

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR LAKE
COUNTY, FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER L-2018-13

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER REGARDING JUROR UTILIZATION FOR 2019
IN THE CIRCUIT AND COUNTY COURTS OF LAKE COUNTY

Pursuant to Fla.Stat. §40.231, it is ORDERED AND ADJUDGED as follows:

1. All jurors reporting for duty in Lake County shall be pooled and subsequently randomly selected and directed to a particular court for jury selection purposes. This shall not apply to capital cases for which there shall be a separate and individual venire and the judge presiding in such case shall have sole authority to examine, qualify, and excuse jurors.

2. At least three weeks prior to any scheduled trial date, the circuit and county court judges shall notify the jury clerk in writing of the number and type of all trials scheduled.

3. Upon receipt of notification of trial, the jury clerk shall cause to be summoned a sufficient number of jurors to be examined and serve thereon.

4. A circuit or county judge shall serve as "duty-judge" for each calendar month. The duty-judge shall be responsible for considering and approving requests for excusals from jury duty and for qualifying the jury pool at the beginning of each trial period.

5. The rotation order for service as duty-judge for the calendar year 2019 shall be as designated on the attached exhibit.

DONE AND ORDERED in chambers at Tavares, Lake County, Florida, this 5
day of May , 2018.



LAWRENCE J. SEMENTO
Administrative Judge

JURY QUALIFICATION ROTATION - 2019

JANUARY	METZ
FEBRUARY	SEMENTO
MARCH	HILL
APRIL	WELKE
MAY	BAXLEY
JUNE	SINGELTARY
JULY	NEAL
AUGUST	NEW JUDGE
SEPTEMBER	BRIGGS
OCTOBER	TAKAC
NOVEMBER	DAVIS
DECEMBER	METZ