

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA**

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER A-2021-46

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER RESCINDING, VACATING, OR
SUPERSEDING DESIGNATED ADMINISTRATIVE ORDERS:**

**A-2012-25-B, A-2017-14, A-2017-46, A-2018-07,
A-2018-18-A, A-2018-20, A-2018-43, A-2019-34, A-2021-21,
A-2021-41**

WHEREAS, the Chief Judge for the Fifth Judicial Circuit has entered numerous administrative orders throughout the years; and,

WHEREAS, some of these orders are now outdated, or no longer necessary, and have not been purged, vacated, superseded, or rescinded by other orders, and have not been removed from the file of active administrative orders; and

WHEREAS, many administrative orders were entered for the limited purpose of establishing initial procedural policies, and it is not the intent to the undersigned to eliminate, or vacate any procedural policies which may have been established by administrative order, but rather to simply eliminate unneeded orders for established policy;

IT IS THEREFORE

ORDERED and ADJUDGED as follows:

1. The following administrative orders of the Fifth Judicial Circuit are hereby rescinded, vacated, or superseded (or may

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have already been vacated or superseded) and shall be removed from the index of current administrative orders:

Administrative Order Number	Administrative Order Title
A-2012-25-B	Amended Administrative Order Prohibiting Correspondence and Motions Transmitted Via Email to the Offices of the Judiciary and Rescinding Administrative Order A-2013-19-B
A-2017-14	Administrative Order Regarding Weekend and Holiday Duty 2018
A-2017-46	Administrative Order Closing Courts
A-2018-07	AO Rescinding and Vacating Designated Administrative Orders
A-2018-18-A	Amended Administrative Order Regarding Weekend and Holiday Duty 2019
A-2018-20	Administrative Order Ending Backlog Foreclosure Program and Reassignment of Cases
A-2018-43	Order of Special Appointment to the Appellate Division of the Circuit Court for Docket Date August 17, 2018
A-2019-34	Administrative Order Regarding Weekend and Holiday Duty 2020
A-2021-21	AO Closing Courts
A-2021-41	RE: Assignment of Honorable Bruce Carney to Temporary Service as Circuit Court Judge and Assignment of Sumter County Case Numbers: 2016-CA-0424, 2017-CA-0117, and 2017-CA-0220.


2. Any procedures which may currently be established as

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policy by the provisions of any administrative order vacated above, and not superseded by another order shall remain intact pending subsequent policy memorandum, or administrative order, unless otherwise indicated.

3. Vacation or rescission of any administrative order does not re-instate any force or effect of any prior related administrative order. Likewise, with any superseded administrative order. This order may be subject to amendment as the circumstances require.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers, in Brooksville, Hernando County, Florida, this 18th day of October 2021.



Daniel B. Merritt, Jr.
Chief Judge
Fifth Judicial Circuit