

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE FIFTH JUDICIAL
CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SUMTER COUNTY, FLORIDA**

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER S-2026-07

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

S-2022-50, S-2024-52, S-2024-53, S-2025-17, and S-2025-19

WHEREAS, The Chief Judge of the Fifth Judicial Circuit has ordered a review of all administrative orders pursuant to 2.215(e)(3), Florida Rules of General Practice and Judicial Administration, to ensure that they remain current and not in conflict with Supreme Court or Local Rules; and

WHEREAS, The undersigned has been designated as the Administrative Judge of Sumter County pursuant to 2.215(b)(5), Florida Rules of General Practice and Judicial Administration; and

WHEREAS, the Administrative Judge(s) for Sumter County have entered numerous administrative orders throughout the years, and some of these orders may be now outdated, or no longer necessary, and have not been rescinded, vacated, replaced, superseded, or otherwise purged, and have not been removed from the file of active administrative orders; and

WHEREAS, some administrative orders were entered for the limited purpose of establishing initial procedural policies. This Order shall not be construed to eliminate, or vacate any procedural policies having been established by administrative order;

**IT IS THEREFORE,
ORDERED and ADJUDGED** as follows:

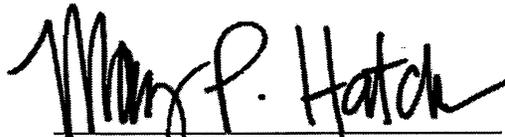
1. The following administrative orders of Sumter County are hereby rescinded, vacated, or superseded (or may have already been vacated, superseded, or replaced) and shall be removed from the set of current administrative orders:

Administrative Order Number	Administrative Order Title
S-2022-50	Administrative Order Regarding Security of the Sumter County Judicial Center and the Clerk's Office Building
S-2024-52	Administrative Order Regarding Judicial Assignments for Calendar Year 2025
S-2024-53	Administrative Order Assigning Duty Judge Rotation for Calendar Year 2025
S-2025-17	Administrative Order Rescinding or Superseding Designated Administrative Orders
S-2025-19	Administrative Order in Re Temporary Appointment of County Court Judge as Acting Circuit Court Judge

2. Any procedures which may currently be established as policy by the provisions of any administrative order herein named above and not superseded by another order shall remain intact pending subsequent policy memorandum, or administrative order, unless otherwise indicated.

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

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers, at Bushnell, Sumter County, Florida, on this 23rd day of February 2026.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mary P. Hatcher", written over a horizontal line.

Mary P. Hatcher
Administrative Judge
Sumter County, Florida