

**STATE OF ILLINOIS**



**THIRD DISTRICT APPELLATE COURT  
OTTAWA, ILLINOIS**

**CALL OF THE DOCKET  
JULY 14, & 15, 2026 ZOOM ORAL ARGUMENTS**

**JUSTICE JOSEPH P. HETTEL, Presiding**

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**JUSTICE LIAM C. BRENNAN**

**JUSTICE LANCE R. PETERSON**

**JUSTICE LINDA E. DAVENPORT**

**JUSTICE JOHN C. ANDERSON**

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**ZOOM ORAL ARGUMENTS TUESDAY, JULY 14, 2026 – A.M. SESSION**

**All parties/counsel for the cases listed below shall join and check in with the zoom clerk no less than 15 minutes prior to scheduled time of Oral Argument.**

\*\*\*\*\***TUESDAY, JULY 14, 2026 – 9:00 A.M.**\*\*\*\*\*

3-25-0346      Will

J.L.F., a minor, by her parent and Next Friend,  
Melissa Fray, Appellants  
(Sheila A. Genson & Michael C. Goode)

vs. Hannaberry Farm, LLC, Appellee  
(Jeffrey S. Pavlovich & Jonathan P.  
Schaefer)

\*\*\*\*\* **TUESDAY, JULY 14, 2026 – 10:00 A.M.**

3-25-0099      DuPage

People of the State of Illinois, Appellee  
(Lisa A. Hoffman & Kristin M. Schwind)

vs. Odell A. Wright, Appellant  
(Adam Bukani)

\*\*\*\*\* **TUESDAY, JULY 14, 2026 – 11:00 A.M.**

3-25-0070      ICC

Village of Bolingbrook, an Illinois Municipal  
Corporation, Appellant  
(Burton S. Odelson & Patrick N. Roberts)

vs. The Illinois Commerce Commission,  
Appellee ( Brian JD Dodds, Robert W.  
Funk, II & Thomas R. Stanton)  
and  
Illinois-American Water Company,  
Appellee, (Scott B. Elmer & Albert D.  
Sturtevant, III)

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**ZOOM ORAL ARGUMENTS TUESDAY, JULY 14, 2026 – P.M. SESSION**

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\*\*\*\*\* **TUESDAY, JULY 14, 2026 – 1:00 P.M.**

3-25-0360      Bureau

In Re the Estate of Richard Mueller, Deceased  
(Jared Mueller, Appellant  
(Philip J. Piscopo)

vs.      Lance Leslie, Mark Leslie, & Brett  
Leslie, Appellees  
(Jason J. O’Rourke))

\*\*\*\*\* **TUESDAY, JULY 14, 2026 –2:00 P.M.**

3-25-0303      Will

James Browning, Appellee  
(Michael A. Silverman)

vs.      Katelyn Breen, as Special Representative  
for Thomas Collins, Appellant  
(Reagan M. Flavin)

\*\*\*\*\* **TUESDAY, JULY 14, 2026 – 3:00 P.M.**

3-26-0014      DuPage

Steve Roake, Appellee  
(Carmen A. Gaspero)

vs.      Next Realty Age, LLC, Appellant  
(Joyce L. Wixson)

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**ZOOM ORAL ARGUMENTS WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 2026 – A.M. SESSION**

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\*\*\*\*\* **WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 2026 – 9:00 A.M.** \*\*\*\*\*

3-25-0162      Will  
American Cleaning & Restoration South, LLC      vs.      Pasual A. Bibian & Soccor F.  
Appellee, (Paul B. Porvaznik & Michael S.      Bibian, Appellants  
Fates)      (Pamela Gorcowski)

\*\*\*\*\* WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 2026 – 11:00 A.M.

3-25-0242      DuPage  
Jason Johnson, Appellant  
(Bernard Puglisi & Alex C. Wimmer)

vs.      Menard, Inc., Appellee  
(Michael A. Ciulla, Martha J. Heiberger, &  
Timothy J. Young)  
and  
Klein Construction Services, Inc., Appellee  
(Christopher J. Kenney)

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\*\*\*\*\* WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 2026 – 1:00 P.M.

3-25-0568      DuPage  
St. Charles Square Limited Partnership, LLC,  
Appellee (James W. Scales & Reese J. Peck)      vs.      Kenneth Cody & Jonathon Cody,  
Appellants (Daniel C. Jackson, Carter D.  
Null, Kathryn M. Liss, & Kimberly D.  
Loewen)

\*\*\*\*\* WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 2026 – 2:00 P.M.

3-25-0305     Kankakee  
The People of the State of Illinois, Appellee  
(James R. Rowe, II & Laura Bialon)

vs.     Larry J. Kent, Appellant  
(Sekoya Pelayo)

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**REGISTRATION:**

IN-PERSON: Attorneys shall register no less than thirty minutes prior to the scheduled time of Oral Argument.

ZOOM: Attorney shall register no less than fifteen minutes prior to the scheduled time of Oral Argument.

**ORAL ARGUMENT:**

Only attorneys are allowed at counsels' tables.  
See Local Rule 106: Appellant(s) will receive a total of 15 minutes for their main argument, the Appellee(s) will receive a total of 15 minutes for their response, and the Appellant(s) will receive a total of 5 minutes for their rebuttal. A Cross-Appellant's attorney receives 5 minutes to reply following the Appellant's reply. Any proposed deviation in length, or division of time amongst co-counsel, shall be requested via written motion. The motion shall include a specific proposal and be filed at least 7 days before the oral argument.

**BRIEFS, ETC.:**

The briefs in each case have been thoroughly reviewed by the Justices of the Appellate Court prior to this day of Oral Argument.

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CLERK'S OFFICE SO PRIOR ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE.**

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