HABERSHAM COUNTY CLERK OF COURT

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURTS MOUNTAIN JUDICIAL CIRCUIT STATE OF GEORGIA

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IN RE:

Superior Court

Coverage for Election

Day/Night

Standing Order of the Courts

Date:

November 5, 2024

ORDER

Pursuant to O.C.G.A. Title 21, should an issue arise on Election Day concerning the election procedure/process that requires a Superior Court Judge to resolve said issue, the following shall apply:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the following Judges are assigned to the following Counties and shall be contacted via email at the address provided herein:

Habersham County -

Judge B. Chan Caudell

becaudell@habershamga.com

Rabun County -

Judge William R. Oliver

William.Oliver@rabuncounty.ga.gov

<u>Stephens County -</u>

Chief Judge Russell W. Smith rwsmith@stephenscountyga.gov

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Sheriff of each County and the Clerk of Superior Court of each County shall be available, or have a staff member available, should the need arise to open the Courtroom to conduct a hearing. The Official Court Reporter for each Judge shall be available to appear and take down evidence;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of Superior Court shall provide a copy of this Order to the Sheriff and the Election Superintendent for their County.

The Sheriff shall post a copy of this Order on the public notification site in the

Courthouse. The Election Superintendent shall post a copy of this Order in a conspicuous location at their office.

The above shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of this Court.

The Clerk will spread this Order upon the minutes.

SO ORDERED this the 21st day of October, 2024.

Russell W. Smith, Chief Judge

Superior Courts

Mountain Judicial Circuit

B. Chan Caudell, Judge

Superior Courts

Mountain Judicial Circuit

William R. Oliver, Judge

Superior Courts

Mountain Judicial Circuit