

DOCKET SUMMARY – October 5, 2022

195 defendants were scheduled for the October 5, 2022, virtual session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 195 defendants, 37 (about 19%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname.

None of the defendants who appeared for the session used Language Line for Spanish-language video remote interpreting.

Of the 195 defendants on the October 5, 2022 calendar:

- 189 were confirmed to have been scheduled consistent with various sections of the Supreme Court's November 18, 2021 Order.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Supreme Court framework for virtual and in-person court events account for 96.9% of the docket.

Audio records and case files are unclear as to why another 6 defendants were scheduled virtually. Sound recordings from prior court appearances did not clarify the basis for the virtual appearance.

DOCKET SUMMARY – October 12, 2022

181 defendants were scheduled for the October 12, 2022, virtual session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 181 defendants, 32 (about 17.7%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname.

Case notes reflect at least one matter scheduled for virtual Spanish-language interpreting services. However, none of the defendants who appeared for the session used Language Line for Spanish-language video remote interpreting.

Of the 181 defendants on the October 12, 2022 calendar:

- 163 were confirmed to have been scheduled consistent with various sections of the Supreme Court's November 18, 2021 Order.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Supreme Court framework for virtual and in-person court events account for 90.1% of the docket.

Audio records and case files are unclear as to why another 18 defendants were scheduled virtually. Sound recordings from prior court appearances did not clarify the basis for the virtual appearance.

DOCKET SUMMARY – October 17, 2022

106 defendants were scheduled for the October 17, 2022, in-person session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 106 defendants, 21 (about 19.8%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname. 4 defendants used the services of the on-site Spanish-language interpreter.

Of the 106 defendants on the October 17, 2022 calendar:

- 100 defendants were scheduled consistent with the provisions of the Supreme Court's November 18, 2021 Order or based on specific direction by law enforcement.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Supreme Court framework for virtual and in-person court events account for 94.3% of the docket.

Audio records and case files are unclear as to why another 6 defendants (Larouche-Baird, Taylor, Talley, Carlos, Cisneros, and Feliciano) were scheduled in person. Sound recordings from prior court appearances and case notes did not clarify the basis for an in-person appearance.

- Of those 6 defendants, 2 may have used the on-site interpreter and 4 did not use interpreting services.

DOCKET SUMMARY – October 19, 2022

212 defendants were scheduled for the October 19, 2022, virtual session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 212 defendants, 36 (about 17%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname. None of the defendants who appeared for the session used Language Line for Spanish-language video remote interpreting.

Of the 212 defendants on the October 19, 2022 calendar:

- 207 were confirmed to have been scheduled consistent with various sections of the Supreme Court’s November 18, 2021 Order.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Supreme Court framework for virtual and in-person court events account for 96.2% of the docket.

Audio records and case files are unclear as to why another 5 defendants were scheduled virtually. Sound recordings and notes from prior court appearances did not clarify the basis for the virtual appearance.

DOCKET SUMMARY – October 24, 2022

32 defendants were scheduled for the October 24, 2022, in-person session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 32 defendants, 3 (about 9.1%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname.

Of those 32 defendants:

- 29 defendants were scheduled consistent with the provisions of the Supreme Court's November 18, 2021 Order or based on specific direction by law enforcement.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Order account for 90.6% of the docket.

Audio records and case files are unclear as to why another 3 defendants (Bamboo, Watson, and Tighe) were scheduled in person. Sound recordings from prior court appearances and case notes did not clarify the basis for an in-person appearance.

No defendants required or used interpreting services.

DOCKET SUMMARY – October 26, 2022

45 defendants were scheduled for the October 26, 2022, virtual session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 45 defendants, 5 (about 11.1%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname. None of the defendants who appeared for the session used Language Line for Spanish-language virtual remote interpreting.

Of the 45 defendants on the October 26, 2022 calendar:

- 42 were confirmed to have been scheduled consistent with various sections of the Supreme Court’s November 18, 2021 Order.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Supreme Court framework for virtual and in-person court events account for 93.3% of the docket.

Audio records and case files are unclear as to why another 3 defendants were scheduled virtually. Sound recordings and notes from prior court appearances did not clarify the basis for the virtual appearance.

DOCKET SUMMARY – October 31, 2022

111 defendants were scheduled for the October 31, 2022, in-person session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 111 defendants, 18 (about 16.2%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname.

Of those 111 defendants:

- 98 defendants were scheduled consistent with the provisions of the Supreme Court's November 18, 2021 Order.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Order account for 88.3% of the docket.

Audio records and case files are unclear as to why another 13 defendants (Burroughs-Thomas, Carter, Clemente, Clouse, Contreras, Cruz, Hudgon, Leider, Massaio, Moore, Ortiz-Martinez, Samuels, and Schwebel) were scheduled in person. Sound recordings from prior court appearances and case notes did not clarify the basis for an in-person appearance.

No defendants required or used interpreting services.

DOCKET SUMMARY – November 2, 2022

244 defendants were scheduled for the November 2, 2022 virtual session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 244 defendants, 48 (about 19.7%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname.

Case notes reflect at least 3 matters were scheduled for virtual Spanish-language interpreting services. However, none of the defendants who appeared for the session used Language Line for Spanish-language virtual remote interpreting.

Of the 244 defendants on the November 2, 2022 calendar:

- 244 were confirmed to have been scheduled consistent with various sections of the Supreme Court's November 18, 2021 and October 27, 2022 Orders.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Supreme Court framework for virtual and in-person court events account for 100% of the docket.

DOCKET SUMMARY – November 7, 2022

107 defendants were scheduled for the November 7, 2022 in-person session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 107 defendants, 29 (about 27%) had a Hispanic/Latino-sounding surname.

7 of the defendants who appeared for the session used the services of the in-person Spanish-language interpreter.

Of the **107** defendants on the November 7, 2022 calendar:

- **100** were confirmed to have been scheduled consistent with various sections of the Supreme Court's October 27, 2022 Order and **2** were scheduled in person by law enforcement.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Supreme Court framework for virtual and in-person court events account for 95.3% of the docket.

Audio records and case files are unclear as to why **5** defendants (Forman, Potts, Capelesburgos, Testa and Thomas) were scheduled in person. Sound recordings from prior court appearances and case notes did not clarify the basis for an in-person appearance.

DOCKET SUMMARY – November 9, 2022

164 defendants were scheduled for the November 9, 2022, virtual session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 164 defendants, 25 (about 15.2%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname.

Case notes reflect that at least 2 matters were scheduled for virtual Spanish-language interpreting services. However, none of the defendants who appeared for the session used Language Line for Spanish-language video remote interpreting.

Of the 164 defendants on the November 9, 2022 calendar:

- 162 were confirmed to have been scheduled consistent with various sections of the Supreme Court's November 18, 2021 and October 27, 2022 Orders.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Supreme Court framework for virtual and in-person court events account for 98.8% of the docket.

Audio records and case files are unclear as to why another 2 defendants were scheduled virtually. Sound recordings from prior court appearances did not clarify the basis for the virtual appearance.

DOCKET SUMMARY – November 14, 2022

21 defendants were scheduled for the November 14, 2022, in-person session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 21 defendants, 4 (about 19%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname.

None of the defendants who appeared for the session used Language Line for Spanish-language video remote interpreting.

Of the 21 defendants on the November 14, 2022 calendar:

- 18 were confirmed to have been scheduled consistent with various sections of the Supreme Court's October 27, 2022 Order.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Supreme Court framework for virtual and in-person court events account for 85.7% of the docket.

Audio records and case files are unclear as to why another 3 defendants (Scurry, Kellett and Street) were scheduled in person. Sound recordings from prior court appearances and case notes did not clarify the basis for an in-person appearance.

DOCKET SUMMARY – November 16, 2022

180 defendants were scheduled for the November 16, 2022, virtual session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 180 defendants, 34 (about 18.9%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname.

Case notes reflect that at least 4 matters were scheduled for remote Spanish-language interpreting services. Of those 4 defendants scheduled, 2 appeared and used Language Line for Spanish-language video remote interpreting.

Of the 180 defendants on the November 16, 2022 calendar:

- 174 were confirmed to have been scheduled consistent with various sections of the Supreme Court's November 18, 2021 and October 27, 2022 Orders.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Supreme Court framework for virtual and in-person court events account for 96.7% of the docket.

Audio records and case files are unclear as to why another 6 defendants were scheduled virtually. Sound recordings from prior court appearances did not clarify the basis for the virtual appearance.

DOCKET SUMMARY – November 23, 2022

131 defendants were scheduled for the November 23, 2022 virtual session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 131 defendants, 15 (about 11%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname.

None of the defendants who appeared for the session used Language Line for Spanish-language video remote interpreting.

Of the 131 defendants on the November 23, 2022 calendar:

- 129 were confirmed to have been scheduled consistent with various sections of the Supreme Court's November 18, 2021 and October 27, 2022 Orders.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Supreme Court framework for virtual and in-person court events account for 98.5% of the docket.

Audio records and case files are unclear as to why another 2 defendants were scheduled virtually. Sound recordings and notes from prior court appearances did not clarify the basis for the virtual appearance.

DOCKET SUMMARY – November 28, 2022

95 defendants were scheduled for the November 28, 2022, in-person session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 95 defendants, 14 (about 15%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname.

None of the defendants who appeared for the session used Language Line for Spanish-language video remote interpreting.

Of the 95 defendants on the November 28, 2022 calendar:

- 85 were confirmed to have been scheduled consistent with various sections of the Supreme Court's October 27, 2022 Order and 1 was scheduled in-person by law enforcement
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Supreme Court framework for virtual and in-person court events account for 90.5% of the docket.

Audio records and case files are unclear as to why another 9 defendants (Abrams, Greensmith, Pierce, Taylor, Tomlin, Massaio, Varelaluna, Vurganov, and Cunniff) were scheduled in person. Sound recordings from prior court appearances and case notes did not clarify the basis for an in-person appearance.

DOCKET SUMMARY – November 30, 2022

139 defendants were scheduled for the November 30, 2022, virtual session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 139 defendants, 22 (about 15.8%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname.

Case notes reflect at least 3 matters were scheduled for virtual Spanish-language interpreting services. Of the defendants who appeared, 4 used Language Line for Spanish-language video remote interpreting.

Of the 139 defendants on the November 30, 2022 calendar:

- 133 were confirmed to have been scheduled consistent with various sections of the Supreme Court's November 18, 2021 and October 27, 2022 Orders.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Supreme Court's framework for virtual and in-person court events account for 95.7% of the docket.

Audio records and case files are unclear as to why another 6 defendants were scheduled virtually. Sound recordings from prior court appearances did not clarify the basis for the virtual appearance.

DOCKET SUMMARY – December 5, 2022

116 defendants scheduled for the December 5, 2022 in-person session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 116 defendants, 49 people had what the Judiciary categorized for the purpose of this investigation as a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname, and 22 used the services of the Spanish-language interpreter. The December 5, 2022, calendar included a number of cases previously scheduled for the November 21, 2022, court session, which was cancelled. There were 18 defendants in need of Spanish interpreting services who were rescheduled from November 21, 2022, to December 5, 2022.

A review of the cases of all 116 defendants on the December 5, 2022, calendar found 103 of those defendants (88.8%) were appropriately scheduled in person according to the guidelines established by the Supreme Court.

Of those 116 defendants:

- 88 defendants were charged with one or more offenses that involved a reasonable likelihood of a jail sentence or loss or suspension of license.
- 4 defendants who would not otherwise have been in person requested to appear in person.
- 2 defendants were specifically scheduled by law enforcement for the December 5, 2022, court date (contrary to the general practice of scheduling initial appearances to be conducted virtually).
- 9 additional defendants were scheduled in person for case-specific reasons (e.g., failures to appear, disruption during prior virtual appearance, in-person victim).

2 defendants (Jones and Tomlin) should not have been scheduled in person. In addition, audio records and case files are unclear as to why another 11 defendants (Aulffo, Clouse, G. Cruz, J. Cruz, Gallo, Hernandez Martir, Lewis, Mendez-Palmas, Mills, Moya-Lara, and Potts) were scheduled in person. Sound recordings from prior court appearances did not clarify the basis for an in-person appearance.

Of those 13 defendants who could have been scheduled virtually, three required and used Spanish-language interpreting services, and one defendant failed to appear.

DOCKET SUMMARY – December 7, 2022

243 defendants scheduled for the December 7, 2022, virtual session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 243 defendants, 41 (about 16.9%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname.

Case notes reflect that at least 5 matters were scheduled for virtual Spanish-language interpreting services. Of those 5 defendants, 2 appeared and used Language Line for Spanish-language video remote interpreting.

Of the 243 defendants on the December 7, 2022 calendar:

- 228 were confirmed to have been scheduled consistent with various sections of the Supreme Court's November 18, 2021 and October 27, 2022 Orders.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Supreme Court framework for virtual and in-person court events account for 93.8% of the docket.

Audio records and case files are unclear as to why another 15 defendants were scheduled virtually. Sound recordings from prior court appearances did not clarify the basis for the virtual appearance.

DOCKET SUMMARY – December 12, 2022

95 defendants were scheduled for the December 12, 2022, in-person session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 95 defendants, 24 (about 25%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname. 6 defendants used the services of the in-person Spanish-language interpreter.

Of the 95 defendants on the December 12, 2022 calendar:

- 95 were confirmed to have been scheduled consistent with various sections of the Supreme Court's October 27, 2022 Order.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Supreme Court framework for virtual and in-person court events account for 100% of the docket.

DOCKET SUMMARY – December 14, 2022

176 defendants were scheduled for the December 14, 2022, virtual session of the Millville Municipal Court. Of those 176 defendants, 35 (about 19.9%) had a Hispanic/Latino sounding surname.

Case notes reflect that at least 2 matters were scheduled for virtual Spanish-language interpreting services. However, none of the scheduled defendants who appeared for the session used Language Line for Spanish-language virtual remote interpreting.

Of the 176 defendants on the December 14, 2022 calendar:

- 149 were confirmed to have been scheduled consistent with various sections of the Supreme Court's November 18, 2021 and October 27, 2022 Orders.
- The total number of defendants scheduled consistent with the Supreme Court framework for virtual and in-person court events account for 84.7% of the docket.

Audio records and case files are unclear as to why 27 defendants were scheduled virtually. Sound recordings from prior court appearances did not clarify the basis for the virtual appearance.