Notice to the Bar

Atlantic and Cape May Counties to Conduct Election Hearings

Superior Court judges will be available in Atlantic and Cape May Counties to conduct hearings for election challenges or issues throughout the ten-day election process up to and including Election Day, November 2.

Anyone seeking to petition the court on a voting or election issue may contact their respective county court by phone or email, or in person:

Atlantic County

- Phone: (609) 402-0100 Ext. 47593
- Email: ATLCIVILADMIN.Mailbox@njcourts.gov
- Address: Atlantic City Civil Courthouse, 1201 Bacharach Blvd., Atlantic City or Atlantic County Criminal Courts Complex, 4997 Unami Blvd., Mays Landing

Cape May County

- Phone: (609) 402-0100 Ext. 47910
- Email: CPMLawDiv.mailbox@njcourts.gov
- Address: Cape May Superior Court, 9 N. Main Street, Cape May Court House

If appropriate, the matter will be promptly heard by the designated judge in a remote hearing, with notice to the election officials. Election officials, petitioners, and attorneys will appear before the designated judge by video or telephone.

Up to Election Day, remote access will be provided at all three courthouses from 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., if you are unable to access technology for your hearing. On Election Day, remote access will be provided from 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. at the Atlantic City Civil Courthouse and 8 a.m. – 7 p.m. at the Cape May Superior Court and Atlantic County Criminal Courts Complex.

COVID-19 safety protocols have been implemented in all courthouses consistent with CDC guidelines. Temperature checks, social distancing, and masks are required for all court users and employees entering the courthouse.

Voters and residents with questions about the election or who are seeking assistance on casting their vote can contact the County Clerk's Office and/or the Board of Elections:

Atlantic County:

- County Clerk (609) 625-4011
- Board of Elections (609) 645-5888

Cape May County:

- County Clerk (609) 465-1018
- Board of Elections website <u>www.capemaycountyvotes.com</u>

Hon. Julio L. Mendez Assignment Judge Atlantic/Cape May Vicinage

Dated: October 29, 2021