

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

SPECIAL ORDER NO.: 2026 – 38

SUBJECT: Legal Holiday Schedule

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

- (a) With the exception of First Appearance Court and Juvenile Court, which convene every day of the year, the Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois, shall adjourn, and the Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois, shall be closed on the following legal holidays for the year 2027:

January 1	New Year's Day	Friday
January 18	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	Monday
February 12	Lincoln's Birthday	Friday
February 15	Washington's Birthday	Monday
March 1	Casimir Pulaski Day	Monday
May 31	Memorial Day	Monday
June 18	Juneteenth Day (Observed)	Friday
July 5	Independence Day (Observed)	Monday
September 6	Labor Day	Monday
October 11	Columbus Day	Monday
November 11	Veterans' Day	Thursday
November 25 - 26	Thanksgiving	Thursday, Friday
December 24	Christmas Day (Observed)	Friday
December 31	New Year's Day 2028 (Observed)	Friday

- (b) All matters returnable on said legal holidays shall be continued to the next business day of the court.
- (c) The time for filing all motions and pleadings shall be extended to the next business day of the court.

Dated this 17th day of June, 2026.