

**STATE OF MINNESOTA
IN SUPREME COURT**

**SUPREME COURT CALENDAR
OCTOBER 2012
(AMENDED – 10-10-12)**

**Court convenes at 9:00 a.m.
(unless otherwise noted)**

Please note the following time allotments
for oral argument
unless otherwise ordered by the Court:
appellants are limited to 35 minutes and
respondents are limited to 25 minutes.

COURT CONVENES AT 9:00 A.M.
(unless otherwise noted)

NOTE: Attorneys who will be arguing cases on this calendar should complete and return the argument appearance form attached at the end of this calendar.

Attorneys in all cases scheduled for oral argument must check in with the Marshal in the courtroom no later than 8:40 a.m. Counsel should be present and be prepared to begin whenever their case is called.

Chief Justice Lorie S. Gildea
Justice Alan C. Page
Justice Paul H. Anderson
Justice G. Barry Anderson
Justice Christopher J. Dietzen
Justice David R. Stras
Justice Wilhelmina M. Wright

En Banc Oral

	<u>Case Number</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>
Billion, et al. v. Commissioner of Revenue	A11-2337	10/9/12	Judicial Center, Courtroom 300
In re Discipline of Buchanan	A12-0163	10/8/12	Judicial Center, Courtroom 300
In re Discipline of Clark	A12-0326	10/17/12	Judicial Center, Courtroom 300
Dickhoff, by her parents v. Green, M.D., et al	A11-0402	10/8/12	Judicial Center, Courtroom 300
Green v. BMW of North America, LLC	A11-0581	10/3/12	William Mitchell College of Law Room 245 – 6:30 p.m.
Hawes v. State	A10-1351	10/2/12	State Capitol Building, Second Floor
In the Matter of the Welfare of: J.J.P.	A11-1146	10/10/12	Willmar High School 9:00 a.m.
Langston v. Wilson McShane Corporation	A10-2219	10/4/12	State Capitol Building, Second Floor
Living Word Bible Camp v. County of Itasca	A12-0632	10/2/12	State Capitol Building, Second Floor
Mauer v. Commissioner of Revenue	A12-0499	10/1/12	State Capitol Building, Second Floor
In the Matter of the Application of Minnesota Power for Authority to Increase Rates	A11-0352	10/9/12	Judicial Center, Courtroom 300

Nonoral

Ferguson v. State	A12-0310	10/4/12	
Sontoya v. State	A12-0170	10/1/12	

Administrative Hearing

Civil Justice Reform Task Force	ADM10-8051	10/30/12 2:00 p.m.	Judicial Center, Courtroom 300
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SUPREME COURT COURTROOM, STATE CAPITOL

Monday, October 1, 2012

En Banc Oral

Kenneth B. Mauer,

Relator,

Bradford S. Delapena
Bradford, Delapena, Ltd.
P.O. Box 40418
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55104

vs. A12-0499

Commissioner of Revenue,

Respondent.

Lori Swanson
Minnesota Attorney General
445 Minnesota Street – Suite 1800
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101

Mark B. Levinger
Assistant Attorney General
Tamar N. Gronvall
Assistant Attorney General
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Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101

Minnesota Tax Court

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Nonoral

Michael Carrasco Sontoya,
petitioner,

Appellant,

Gary R. Wolf
Wolf Law Office
Commerce at the Crossings
250 Second Avenue South – Suite 205
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55401

vs. A12-0170

State of Minnesota,

Respondent.

Lori Swanson
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Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101

John J. Choi
Ramsey County Attorney
Kaarin Long
Assistant Ramsey County Attorney
50 Kellogg Boulevard West – Suite 315
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55102

Order Ramsey County

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SUPREME COURT COURTROOM, STATE CAPITOL

Tuesday, October 2, 2012

En Banc Oral

State of Minnesota,

Respondent,

Lori Swanson
Minnesota Attorney General
445 Minnesota Street – Suite 1800
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101

Anthony C. Palumbo
Anoka County Attorney
Kathryn M. Timm
Assistant County Attorney
Anoka County Government Center
2100 Third Avenue – Suite 720
Anoka, Minnesota 55303

vs. A10-1351, A12-0212

Andrew Thomas Hawes,

Appellant.

Davi E. Axelson
Assistant State Public Defender
Office of the Minnesota State Public Defender
540 Fairview Avenue North, Suite 300
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55104

Judgment Anoka County

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Living Word Bible Camp,

Relator,

G. Craig Howse
Jeffrey C. Thompson
Jacob R. Grassel
Howse & Thompson, P.A.
3189 Fernbrook Lane North
Plymouth, Minnesota 55447

vs. A12-0632

County of Itasca,

Respondent.

John J. Muhar
Itasca County Attorney
Michael J. Haig
Assistant County Attorney
Itasca County Courthouse
123 Northeast Fourth Street
Grand Rapids, Minnesota 55744

Minnesota Tax Court

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WILLIAM MITCHELL COLLEGE OF LAW — ROOM 245 – 6:30 P.M.

Wednesday, October 3, 2012

En Banc Oral

Marie Delores Green,
Respondent,

Todd E. Gadtke
Daniel J. Brennan
Gadtke & Brennan, P.A.
11284 – 86th Avenue North
Maple Grove, Minnesota 55369

vs. A11-0581

BMW of North America, LLC, a
foreign limited liability company
qualified to do business in the
State of Minnesota,
Appellant.

Katherine A. McBride
Lenae M. Pederson
Meagher & Geer, P.L.L.P.
33 South Sixth Street – Suite 4400
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402

Timothy V. Hoffman
Sanchez, Daniels, Hoffman, L.L.P.
333 Wacker Drive – Suite 500
Chicago, Illinois 60606

Opinion Court of Appeals

<http://www.lawlibrary.state.mn.us/archive/ctapun/1112/opa110581-121911.pdf>

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SUPREME COURT COURTROOM, STATE CAPITOL

Thursday, October 4, 2012

En Banc Oral

Patricia Ann Langston,
Appellant,

Thomas F. DeVincke
Malkerson, Gunn, Martin, L.L.P.
1900 U.S. Bank Plaza South Tower
220 South Sixth Street
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402

vs. A10-2219, A11-0683, A11-0684

Wilson McShane Corporation, as
Administrator for the Twin Cities
Carpenters and Joiners Pension Fund,
et al.,

Amanda R. Cefalu
Rebecca A. Peterson
Anderson, Helgen, Davis & Nissen, P.A.
150 South Fifth Street – Suite 3100
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402

Respondents.

Opinion Court of Appeals

<http://www.lawlibrary.state.mn.us/archive/ctapun/1201/opa102219-010912.pdf>

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Nonoral

Jermaine Ferguson,
petitioner,
Appellant,

Office of the Minnesota State Public Defender
Renee Bergeron
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540 Fairview Avenue North, Suite 300
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55104

vs. A12-0310

State of Minnesota,
Respondent.

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Minneapolis, Minnesota 55487

Order Hennepin County

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COURTROOM 300, MINNESOTA JUDICIAL CENTER

Monday, October 8, 2012

En Banc Oral

Jocelyn Dickhoff by her parents and
natural guardians Joseph Dickhoff
and Kayla Dickhoff,
Respondents,

Kay Nord Hunt
Robert J. King
Stephen C. Rathke
Lommen, Abdo, Cole, King & Stageberg, P.A.
2000 IDS Center
80 South Eighth Street
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402

vs. A11-0402

Rachel Green, M.D., et al.,
Appellants.

William M. Hart
Damon L. Highly
Meagher & Geer, P.L.L.P.
33 South Sixth Street – Suite 4400
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402

Steven R. Schwegman
James S. McAlpine
Quinlivan & Hughes, P.A.
400 South First Street, Suite 600
P.O. Box 1008
Saint Cloud, Minnesota 56302

Opinion Court of Appeals

<http://www.lawlibrary.state.mn.us/archive/ctappub/1201/opa110402-010312.pdf>

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In re Petition for Disciplinary Action
against Shana Gail Buchanan,
a Minnesota Attorney,
Registration No. 327311.

Office of Lawyers Professional Responsibility
Martin A. Cole, Director
Cassie Hanson
Senior Assistant Director
1500 Landmark Towers
345 St. Peter Street
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55102

Case No. A12-0163

Shana G. Buchanan
247 Third Avenue South
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55415

Petition for Disciplinary Action

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COURTROOM 300, MINNESOTA JUDICIAL CENTER

Tuesday, October 9, 2012

En Banc Oral

John Billion, et al.,

Relators,

Richard E. Billion
Clise, Billion & Cyr
605 U.S. Highway 169 – Suite 300
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55441

vs. A11-2337

Commissioner of Revenue,

Respondent.

Lori Swanson
Minnesota Attorney General
Kathryn M. Woodruff
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Tamar N. Gronvall
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445 Minnesota Street– Suite 900
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101

Minnesota Tax Court

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In the Matter of the Application of
Minnesota Power for Authority to
Increase Rates for Electric Service
in Minnesota.

Case No. A11-0352

Sam Hanson
Briggs and Morgan, P.A.
Thomas Erik Bailey
Elizabeth M. Brama
2200 IDS Tower
80 South Eighth Street
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402

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Minnesota Power
Associate General Counsel
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Duluth, Minnesota 55802

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Ian M. Dobson
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Opinion Court of Appeals

<http://www.lawlibrary.state.mn.us/archive/ctappub/1112/opa110352-120511.pdf> [Summary of issues](#)

WILLMAR HIGH SCHOOL – 9:00 A.M.

Wednesday, October 10, 2012

En Banc Oral

In the Matter of the Welfare of:
J.J.P.

Case No. A11-1146

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Opinion Court of Appeals

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COURTROOM 300, MINNESOTA JUDICIAL CENTER

Wednesday, October 17, 2012

En Banc Oral

In re Petition for Disciplinary
Action against Jill Eleanor Clark,
a Minnesota Attorney,
Registration No. 196988.

Case No. A12-0326

Diana Lynn Longrie
1321 Frost Avenue East
Maplewood, Minnesota 55109

Jill Eleanor Clark
2005 Aquila Avenue North
Golden Valley, Minnesota 55427

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Saint Paul, Minnesota 55102

Petition for Disciplinary Action

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ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING

October 30, 2012

2:00 p.m.

Judicial Center, Courtroom 300

Hearing on proposed changes to the Rules of Civil Procedure and the General Rules of Practice for the District Courts. See Orders filed July 17, 2012 and September 20, 2012, File No. ADM10-8051.

**COUNSEL ARGUING CASES THIS MONTH
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**Supreme Court Marshal
305 Minnesota Judicial Center
25 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.
St. Paul MN 55155**

Case Title: _____

Case Number: _____

_____ representing _____

will argue this case before the Minnesota Supreme Court on _____.

Signed: _____

Phone number: _____

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