

Trial Docket Process

The State and the defendant shall announce "ready" or "not ready," and the Court shall then consider any properly filed pre-trial motions.

If the defendant, without good cause shown, fails to announce ready for trial at the time the case is called for trial, the Court will enter a plea of "not guilty" on the defendant's behalf and proceed with the trial.

If the State, without good cause shown, fails to announce ready for trial at the time a case is called for trial, the Court will dismiss the case.

If the defendant fails to appear in person at the time the case is called for trial a warrant may be issued for his arrest unless a Motion for Continuance was filed and granted.