

SCHEDULE

**** THREE CASES WILL BE HEARD AT THE ELEVENTH DISTRICT COURT OF APPEALS ****

AUGUST 18, 2026 (TUESDAY)

Presiding Judge Matthew J. Lynch, Judge John J. Eklund, Judge Robert J. Patton

9:30 A.M.

2026-T-0001

VALLEY AUTO FINANCE, INC., Plaintiff-Appellant v. SIX BROTHERS INVESTMENT PROPERTIES, L.L.C., Defendant-Appellee.

Counsel: Pilat; Essad

Presiding Judge Matthew J. Lynch, Judge Eugene A. Lucci, Judge Robert J. Patton

10:00 A.M.

2026-P-0013

STATE OF OHIO, Plaintiff-Appellee v. MICHAEL L. HARDNETT, Defendant-Appellant.

Counsel: Pond, Jr.; Lewandowski/Bogner

10:30 A.M.

2026-T-0014

STATE OF OHIO, Plaintiff-Appellant v. DONALD DEMPSEY, Defendant-Appellee.

Counsel: Watkins/Morrow/Stevenson; Miller/Patterson

**** TWO CASES WILL BE SUBMITTED ON THE BRIEFS ****

Presiding Judge Matthew J. Lynch, Judge Eugene A. Lucci, Judge Robert J. Patton

SUBMITTED ON THE BRIEFS

2026-T-0030

STATE OF OHIO, Plaintiff-Appellee v. FELIX O. BROWN, JR., Defendant-Appellant.

Counsel: Brown, pro se; Watkins/Morrow

SUBMITTED ON THE BRIEF

2026-L-0021

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF PAINESVILLE, Plaintiff-Appellee v.

2026-L-0022

WILLIAM B. PISTONE, Defendant-Appellant.

2026-L-0023

Counsel: Lock; Hada

NO APPELLEE BRIEF FILED