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Atlantic/Cape May Vicinage to Conduct Virtual Court Election Day Hearings

A Superior Court judge will be available to conduct remote hearings for any election challenges or issues in Atlantic and Cape May counties on Tuesday, May 12, Assignment Julio L. Mendez and Trial Court Administrator Howard H. Berchtold Jr. announced today.

Anyone seeking to petition the court on a voting or election issue on the date of the election can contact the Superior Court in Atlantic County or Cape May County at 609-402-0100, ext. 47594, or at ATLCIVILADMIN.Mailbox@njcourts.gov.

This year's elections in Atlantic City, Ocean City and Ventnor were moved from April 21 because of the COVID-19 pandemic. Under the new arrangement, Tuesday's election will only be vote by mail. The county clerk's offices in both counties have mailed voting ballots to all registered voters.

Voters and residents with questions about the May 12 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: www.capemaycountyvotes.com

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

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