### SOUTH EUCLID MUNICIPAL COURT CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO

#### **2018 ANNUAL REPORT**



THE HONORABLE JUDGE GAYLE F. WILLIAMS-BYERS Presiding and Administrative Judge



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PROFILE

**FOR** 

2018



Judge Gayle Williams-Byers serves as Administrative and Presiding Judge of the South Euclid Municipal Court in South Euclid, Ohio. At the start of her term on January 1, 2012, she became the first African American elected to this seat in the city's history. She currently serves as the Secretary for the American Judge's Association (AJA), one of the largest judges-only organization in North America which has a mission of providing quality education programs and high level publications to its members. As a member of the organization, Judge Williams-Byers serves as co-chair of the Education, Domestic Violence, Access to Justice and Social Media and Technology Committees. Additionally, she serves as a member of the AJA Diversity and Education committees. Prior to joining the bench, Judge Byers has served as an Assistant Cuyahoga County Prosecutor, ending her career as Supervisor of the Cuyahoga County Grand Jury. Additionally, Judge Byers served as Adjunct Faculty at the Cuyahoga Community College in the Department of Law Enforcement, teaching courses in the areas of Juvenile, Constitutional and Criminal Law. As Municipal Judge in the City of South Euclid, Judge Byers has spearheaded several innovative advancements, including livestreaming court proceedings, creation of an IOS App to provide instant docket access, implementing a monthly Night Court docket to provide parties additional access to justice, and creation of the only suburban Specialized Mental Health Docket in Cuyahoga County. This docket is designed to address the needs of defendants with severe and persistent mental illnesses. Judge Byers was also the catalyst in forming the first suburban Drug Court initiative in partnership with Cleveland Municipal Court, where inaugural funding n the amount of nearly \$2 million has helped to serve suburban communities in northeast Ohio. Judge Byers received her B.A., M.N.O., and J.D. degrees from Case Western Reserve University. She currently serves on the Board of New Directions, an organization that provides life changing treatment to chemically dependent adolescents and their families. She is also a member of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc., Alpha Lambda Sigma Chapter. Judge Gayle Williams-Byers is a member of Beulah Baptist Church, where her father, Dr. A.E. Williams is Pastor. As an active member, Judge Byers is involved in the music, youth and announcement ministries. Judge Byers is married to Gregory D. Byers, Jr. They have one son, Gregory and a rescue puggle, Gator.



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### SOUTH EUCLID MUNICIPAL COURT 2018



#### THE HONORABLE GAYLE F. WILLIAMS-BYERS

ADMINISTRATIVE AND PRESIDING JUDGE

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**DEAN M. VALORE** 

MAGISTRATE



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## South Euclid Municipal Court JUDICIAL and STAFF ASSOCIATIONS

AMERICAN BAR ASSOIATION
AMERICAN JUDGES ASSOIATION
ASSOCIATION OF MUNICIPAL COUNTY JUDGES OF OHIO, INC.
CLEVELAND METROPOLITAN BAR ASSOCIATION
NORMAN S. BAR ASSOCIATION
NORTHERN OHIO MUNICIPAL JUDGES ASSOCIATION
THE NATIONAL JUDICIAL COLLEGE

OHIO ASSOCIATION OF MAGISTRATES

OHIO ASSOCIATION MUNICIPAL COUNTY COURT CLERKS
OHIO ASSOCIATION OF COURT ADMINISTRATION
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COURT MANAGEMENT

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#### ISAIAH K. SIMMONS, CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE BALIFF

Gary Patrick - Bailiff/Security

Ray Adornetto - Bailiff/Security

Cheryl Martin - Chief Probation Officer/Bailiff

#### **CHARDALE P. SUMPTER, CLERK OF COURTS**

#### **Civil Division Clerks**

Jennifer McCown

Evan Szirony

#### **Traffic/Criminal Division Clerks**

Patricia Overberger

MaryAnn Zaky

Patrice Walton

#### **IT Network Administrators**

Shallanna Agbomanyi

Jennifer McCown

**Brian Tarter** 

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### SOUTH EUCLID MUNICIPAL COURT BANK AFFILIATIONS

For

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The following four named accounts are held with KEYBANK, PNC BANK (JUNE 2017) and HUNTINGTON NATIONAL BANK (SEPTEMBER 2018):

**Traffic/Criminal Account** 

**Civil/Small Claims Account** 

**Rent Escrow Account** 

The City of South Euclid holds in trust the following named accounts, however, these accounts are under Judge Gayle Williams-Byers direction and only authorized expenses are to be charged to these accounts upon the Judge's approval:

**Special Projects Account** 

**Clerk of Court Computer Account** 

**Municipal Court Computer Account** 

Indigent Driver Alcohol Monitoring Account (I.D.A.M.)

Indigent Drive Alcohol Monitoring Account (I.D.A.T.)

**Court Probation Account** 



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### END-OF-YEAR DISBURSEMENT REPORT From 01/01/2018 - 12/31/2018

1.	PAID TO CITY OF SOUTH EUCLID: TRAFFIC/CRIMINAL DIVISION: Fines Local Costs Clerk of Court Computer Fund Court Computer Fund Special Projects Fund OVI - Enforcement & Education OVI - Indigent Alcohol Treatment Program OVI - Political Subdivision Resp. for Housing Indigent Driver Interlock/Alc Fund -IDIAM-IDIF Indigent Driver Interlock/Alc Fund -IDIAM-IIFL Indigent Driver Alcohol Treatment -IDIAM-IATC Indigent Driver Alcohol Treatment -IDIAM-IWFC Parking Ticket Fines Expungement Fees (owed to City of South Euclid) Restitution(owed to City of South Euclid) Bond Forfeitures Jury Fees Witness Fees Stop Payment Fees Other Misc. Costs Collected Credit/Debit Card Fees Collected - Bonds Only Credit/Debit Card Fees Collected - Fines/Costs Less Credit/Debit Card Fees Charged by Bank Less Other Fees Charged by Bank	\$ 224,975.36 \$ 185,900.00 \$ 25,572.00 \$ 7,676.00 \$ 38,345.50 \$ .00 \$ .00
	Subtotal for Traffic/Criminal Division  CIVIL/SMALL CLAIMS DIVISION: Costs Clerk of Court Computer Fund Court Computer Fund Special Projects Fund Jury Fees Witness Fees Stop Payment Fees 1% Fee on Civil/Sm Claims Cases (Legal Aid) Less Other Fees Charged by Bank Subtotal for Civil/Small Claims Division	\$ 495,826.16 \$ 158,851.34 \$ 12,020.00 \$ 3,606.00 \$ 18,025.00 \$ .00 \$ .00 \$ .00 \$ .00 \$ .00 \$ .1843.81 ) \$ 190,903.92
2.	TOTAL PAID TO THE CITY OF SOUTH EUCLID:  PAID TO THE CUYAHOGA COUNTY TREASURER:    State Fines    Bond Forfeitures    Drug Fines    Jury Fees    Witness Fees    Expungement Fees (owed to County)    Other Fees    OVI Housing	\$ 686,730.08 \$ 43,960.59 \$ 16,171.00 \$ .00 \$ .00 \$ 18.00 \$ 140.00 \$ .00 \$ .00

	Ohio Department of Public Safety Public Defender Fees CRIS Fees Crime Stoppers	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$	.00 2,196.00 10,160.00 309.00
3.	TOTAL PAID TO THE CUYAHOGA COUNTY TREASURER PAID TO THE TREASURER OF THE STATE OF OHIO:     Legal Aid(from Civil/Small Claims)     Liquor Fines     Seat Belt Fines     Child Restraint Fines     Expungement Fees     Victims of Crime Fund     General Revenue Fund     Ohio State Highway Patrol     Indigent Defense Support Fund -IDFC     Indigent Defense Support Fund -Bail Fee FBB     Indigent Driver Alcohol Treatment - IIFS     Drug Enforcement Fund - DEFC     Justice Program Services Fund - JPSF	ጉ ጥ ጥጥጥጥጥጥጥጥጥጥጥጥ	
	TOTAL PAID TO THE STATE OF OHIO	\$	134,832.61
4.	PAID TO OHIO BMV: License Forfeitures Fees Warrant Block Fees	\$	.00
	TOTAL PAID TO OHIO BMV:	\$	.00
5.	PAID TO CLEVELAND METROPARKS: Fines OVI - Arresting Agency Bond Forfeitures Expungement Fees	\$ \$ \$ \$	13,776.00 .00 201.00 .00
	TOTAL PAID TO CLEVELAND METROPARKS:	\$	13,977.00
6.	PAID TO BOARD OF PHARMACY: Drug Fines	\$	500.00
	TOTAL PAID TO BOARD OF PHARMACY:	\$	500.00
7.	PAID TO THE CUYAHOGA COUNTY AUDITOR: Dog Kennel Fund	\$	.00
	TOTAL PAID TO CUYAHOGA COUNTY AUDITOR:	\$	.00
8.	PAID TO TREASURER OF STATE: Sales Tax Fines	\$	.00
9.	PAID TO STATE OF OHIO State Recreational Vehicle Fund	\$	.00
GRAN	D TOTAL PAID OUT TO ALL AGENCIES:	\$	908,994.28
	SUMMARY: City of South Euclid Clerk of Court Computer Fund  AMOUNT PAID FOR PERIOD \$ 578,377.58 \$ 37,592.00	YE \$	OUNT PAID AR TO DATE 578,377.58 37,592.00

Court Computer Fund	200	11,282.00	5	11,282.00
Special Projects Fund	\$	56,370.50	\$	56,370.50
OVI-Indigent Alc. Treat. Program	\$	.00	\$	.00
	\$	3,108.00	\$	3,108.00
Ind Driver Int/Alc Fund-IDIAM-IDIF	\$	.00	\$	.00
Ind Driver Int/Alc Fund-IDIAM-IIFL	\$	.00	\$	.00
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TOTAL	\$	686,730.08	\$	686,730.08

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#### **CASE FILINGS**

Year 2018

		CRA	CRB	TRC	TRD	CVE	CVF	CVG	CVH	CVI
JAN	New Cases	7	59	2	236	0	56	11	3	32
UAN	Reactivated	11	33	0	34	0	0	0	0	0
FEB	New Cases	12	52	6	265	0	39	14	1	44
FED	Reactivated	14	30	0	28	0	0	0	0	0
MAR	New Cases	11	72	10	281	0	32	9	2	37
MAR	Reactivated	8	46	3	30	0	1	0	2	0
APR	New Cases	3	52	4	292	0	43	14	1	33
APR	Reactivated	5	40	0	32	0	1	0	0	0
MAY	New Cases	9	68	4	263	0	58	13	2	27
MAI	Reactivated	13	34	0	26	0	1	0	0	0
TIDI	New Cases	10	68	4	245	0	41	21	1	39
JUN	Reactivated	11	39	0	41	0	0	0	0	0
7777	New Cases	4	64	4	269	0	32	26	1	35
JUL	Reactivated	8	46	0	22	0	1	0	0	0
AUG	New Cases	8	74	2	254	0	41	16	0	42
AUG	Reactivated	8	38	0	50	13	1	0	0	0
SEP	New Cases	5	58	3	246	13	50	17	3	40
SEP	Reactivated	5	40	0	33	0	1	0	0	0
OCT	New Cases	5	73	4	266	0	54	21	1	40
001	Reactivated	12	34	0	43	0	0	0	0	1
NOV	New Cases	10	51	4	196	0	11	23	1	44
NOV	Reactivated	8	31	1	28	0	0	0	0	0
DEC	New Cases	5	86	1	201	0	83	20	1 ·	39
DEC	Reactivated	6	38	1	33	0	1	0	0	0
Т	New Cases	89	777	48	3014	13	540	205	17	452
O	Reactivated	109	449	5	400	13	7	0	2	1
A L	GRAND TOTAL	198	1226	53	3414	26	547	205	19	453

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#### WEDDING REPORT

DATE 01/01/2018 to 12/31/2018

TOTAL WEDDINGS PERFORMED 10

AMOUNT RECEIVED 400.00

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### CIVIL STATS REPORT DATE 01/01/2018 to 12/31/2018

Small Claim Garnishments	104
Civil Garnishments	199
Bank Garnishments	0
GRAND TOTAL	303
DEBTOR'S EXAMS FILED	0
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#### **SOUTH EUCLID MUNICIPAL COURT PROBATION STATICTICS**

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