

## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Bankruptcy Attorneys Appearing in the Southern District of Iowa  
**FROM:** Judge Lee M. Jackwig  
**DATE:** January 16, 2025  
**SUBJECT:** 2025 LMJ Courtroom Hearings in Chapter Cases (Routine Matters)  
and Scheduling Conferences\* in Adversary Proceedings Related to Chapter 7 Cases

**Des Moines**  
**9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.**  
(7, 13 / 11 and 12)

January 22 / none  
February 19 / 13  
none / 13  
April 16 / 10  
May 21 / 15  
June 18 / 12  
July 16 / 10  
August 20 / 14  
September 17 / 11  
October 22 / 16  
November 19 / 13  
December 17 / 11

**Davenport**  
**9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.**  
(7, 11, 12, and 13)

January 8  
February 5  
March 5  
April 2  
May 7  
June 4  
none  
August 6  
September 3  
October 8  
November 5  
December 3

**Council Bluffs**  
**9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.**  
(7, 11, 12, and 13)

January 15  
February 12  
March 12  
April 9  
May 14  
June 11  
none  
August 13  
September 10  
October 15  
November 12  
December 10

Parties should appear at the following designated locations unless otherwise advised in the notice of hearing or in a subsequent order or notice entered prior to the date and time of the hearing.\*\*

<b>Des Moines</b>	<b>Davenport</b>	<b>Council Bluffs</b>
Courtroom 430 United States Courthouse 111 Locust Street Des Moines, Iowa	Courtroom 120 or 140 Davenport Courthouse 131 East 4 <sup>th</sup> Street Davenport, Iowa or Courtroom 430 United States Courthouse 111 Locust Street Des Moines, Iowa	Bankruptcy Courtroom, Room 101 United States Courthouse 2146 27 <sup>th</sup> Avenue Council Bluffs, Iowa or Courtroom 430 United States Courthouse 111 Locust Street Des Moines, Iowa

**\*NOTE: If the parties in an adversary proceeding file their Stipulation Re: Scheduling prior to the date and time set for the scheduling conference or contact the courtroom deputy to advise the stipulation will be filed shortly, I consider the conference to be canceled and the parties need not appear for the conference.**

**\*\*NOTE: Despite the bankruptcy clerk's office and bankruptcy chambers having moved into the new courthouse in February and March of 2024, it remains unknown exactly when the new courthouse will be open to the general public in 2025. As has been the practice since April 2024, docket text notices will advise participants regarding the designation of a courtroom du jour in the historic courthouse, located at 123 East Walnut in Des Moines, Iowa, or if a courtroom hearing will be held by phone instead of in person. I sincerely appreciate your ongoing patience with this unusual situation.**