

FILE
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CRAWFORD COUNTY PENNSYLVANIA

Criminal Division

2024 JUN 24 PM 3:46:

COMMONWEALTH OF :
PENNSYLVANIA CRAWFORD COUNTY, PA :

CR 227-2024

v. :

SHAWN C. CRANSTON :

PRE-TRIAL ORDER

Francis J. Schultz, J.

AND NOW, June 24, 2024, following a Pre-Trial Conference, the Court enters the following Order:

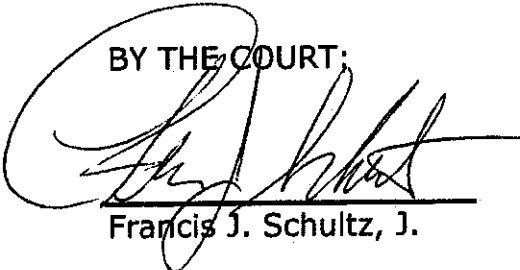
1. This case shall be tried during the November 2024 term of criminal trials before the undersigned. It is anticipated that the trial will last between 5 and 7 days. Jury selection will commence on Tuesday, November 12, 2024, at approximately 10:00 a.m. Counsel shall be present at 8:45 a.m. to discuss any issues including, but not limited to, objections regarding opposing counsel's anticipated voir dire questions. The trial will begin immediately after jury selection with a normal trial schedule from 9:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. The parties should be prepared to go past 4:30 p.m., if necessary.
2. Counsel shall file and serve on opposing counsel and the Court their intended voir dire questions on or before October 31, 2024.
3. Motions in Limine shall be filed on or before October 31, 2024.
4. Counsel shall file and serve on opposing counsel their requested instructions to the jury and their proposed verdict slip on or before November 8, 2024. Any request for a jury instruction that is included in the Pennsylvania Suggested Standard Criminal Jury Instructions need only be cited to in the written request. The Court will permit counsel to submit additional requests for jury instructions prior to closing arguments as the evidence and the law dictates.

5. Either party may file a motion requesting another pre-trial conference be held if it is believed another conference would aid in the disposition of this case.
6. There shall be no continuances of this trial absent extraordinary circumstances.
7. All media inquiries should be directed to the Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts (AOPC):

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BY THE COURT:



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