

Superior Court Minutes  
Honorable Sheryl B. Jolly, Judge Presiding  
Jury Trial  
Tuesday, February 6, 2024  
Courtroom II  
Court Reporter: Brittany Haskell  
Assistant District Attorney: Kevin Majeska  
Deputy Clerk: Ashley Tucker

- 12:40 p.m. Court is in session.
- 12:43 p.m. Court excuses juror #55 – Steven Greiner for cause.
- 1:04 p.m. The following announces ready for jury trial:  
Case number: 2023CR0993  
State of Georgia  
Vs.  
Shayla Aliece Vautaw
- State of Georgia is represented by Assistant District Attorney Kevin Majeska.  
Defendant is represented by Jacque Hawk & Tyler Baum.
- 1:07 p.m. The following Jurors enter the courtroom:
1. Kimberly Mills
  2. Brooke Jackson
  3. Mary Dunn
  4. Ted Kretz
  5. David Carr
  6. Michael Hill
  7. Sherry Smith
  8. Donna Hodges
  9. Melissa Pettit
  10. Lolita Mciver
  11. Chaquita Hubbard
  12. Donald Ingersoll
  13. Jennifer Saxon
  14. Thomas Christian
  15. Julian Armstrong
  16. Chessley Buck
  17. Christian Avrett
  18. Tony Coleman
  19. Jeffery Hutson
  20. Ciarra McConnell

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21. Harold Sorrells
22. Krista Vernon
23. Casey Walker
24. Jennifer Gibson
25. Sheri Dixon
26. Michael Thompson
27. Harold Snellings
28. Kerri Degeronimo
29. Adam Mallard
30. Joseph Yavorsky
31. Christopher Harris
32. Shirlean Talley
33. Kelli Rupprecht
34. Kerri Jones (Alber)
35. Melinda Bozard
36. John Bryant
37. Kyle Peterson
38. Megan Weaver
39. Katronia Stallsworth
40. Christine Pickrell

- 1:10 p.m. Judge Jolly administers Oath to Jurors.
- Judge Jolly administers Oath to Bailiffs.
- 1:17 p.m. Judge Jolly gives preliminary instructions.
- 1:12 p.m. Judge Jolly administers Voir Dire Oath to Jurors.
- 1:16 p.m. Judge Jolly qualifies the jurors.
- 1:38 p.m. Assistant District Attorney Kevin Majeska begins voir dire on behalf of the State of Georgia.
- 1:58 p.m. Attorney Jacque Hawk begins voir dire on behalf of the Defendant.
- 2:17 p.m. Jury exits back to the jury room.  
Court handles matters outside the jury.
- 2:34 p.m. The following jurors are brought back for individual voir dire:  
#4 – Ted Kretz  
#8 – Donna Hodges  
#16 – Chessley Buck  
#29 – Adam Mallard
- 2:55 p.m. Juror #8 – Donna Hodges is excused for cause.
- 3:00 p.m. Jury enters the courtroom.
- 3:01 p.m. Jury is selected using the silent method.

3:10 p.m. Deputy Clerk publishes the jury.

The impaneled jurors are:

1. Kimberly Mills
2. Brooke Jackson
3. Mary Dunn
4. Michael Hill
5. Melissa Pettit
6. Lolita Mciver
7. Jennifer Saxon – Alt. 1

3:11 p.m. Jurors not selected are excused with thanks from the court & exits courtroom.

3:13 p.m. Judge Jolly administers Oath to Jurors.

Judge Jolly gives preliminary trial instructions.

3:28 p.m. Assistant District Attorney Kevin Majeska begins opening statements.

3:34 p.m. Attorney Jacque Hawk begins opening statements.

3:35 p.m. Jury exits the courtroom. Court handles matters outside the presence of the jury.

3:39 p.m. Jury enters the courtroom.

3:39 p.m. Attorney Jacque Hawk resumes opening statements.

3:57 p.m. Jury exits the courtroom with instructions to report back tomorrow morning at 9:00 a.m.

3:58 p.m. Court is adjourned.