

Superior Court Minutes  
Honorable Barry A. Fleming, Judge Presiding  
Jury Trial  
Tuesday, December 9, 2025  
Courtroom IV  
Court Reporter: Emma Draper  
Assistant District Attorney: Andy Pascual  
Deputy Clerk: Sharon Long

9:04 a.m. Court is in session.

Court handles pretrial matters.

9:29 a.m. The following case is ready for jury trial.

Case number: 2024CR0409

State of Georgia, Plaintiff

Vs.

Ronald Ricardo Richardson, Defendant

State of Georgia is represented by Assistant District Attorney Andy Pascual.

Defendant is represented by Attorney Clay Jolly.

9:33 a.m. The following jurors enter the courtroom.

1. Evan Clark Phillips
2. Stacey Leigh Fernandez
3. Robert Eugene Couch
4. Vickie Smith Ramos
5. Samuel Frank Speering
6. Christy Lynn Darrisaw
7. Joao Carlos Nunes Da Cruz
8. Judy B Smith
9. Allison Marie Warrick
10. Darin Bernard Davis
11. Shayla Montrice Lapoint
12. Zachary Adam Stenger
13. Joshua Sven Nosalik
14. Robert B Stephens, Jr.
15. Leo Ira Mcgee
16. Jesse Roderick Ferguson
17. Charmaine Jones
18. Arthur Alexander Perry

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19. Gentry Lynn Pham
20. Donna Faye Amacker
21. Harriet A Taylor Veasy
22. Alyssa Marie Usry
23. Matthew Alexander Wise
24. Charles Wayne Gardner, Jr.
25. Kimberly A Guertin
26. Janya Laon Bates
27. Donna Sheppard Seigler
28. Robert Eugene Dooley
29. Jason Foster Beck
30. Abigail Lane Hackett
31. Vera Laverne Johnson
32. Maryann P Jackson
33. Deborah Shanise Benning
34. Julie Marie Little
35. Yong Cha Dailey
36. Christine Bissonnette
37. Michael Douglas Finch
38. Dominique Raicole Hynson
39. Duane Charles Denton
40. Ashaela Yazmeen Abdon
41. Owen Sanders Whitehead
42. Victoria Alexis Johnson
43. Victoria Renee Rook
44. Wyneshia Dowdell
45. Karissa Merrill
46. Edward Ryan Callaway

- 9:37 a.m. Judge Fleming administers Oath to Jurors.
- 9:38 a.m. Judge Fleming swears in the Bailiffs.
- 9:39 a.m. Judge Fleming gives jurors preliminary instructions.
- 9:46 a.m. Judge Fleming administers voir dire oath to Jurors.
- 9:47 a.m. Attorneys introduce themselves to Jurors.
- 9:49 a.m. Judge Fleming reads the indictment to the Jurors.
- 9:52 a.m. Judge Fleming begins qualifying the jurors.
- 9:59 a.m. Juror #35 – Yong Cha Dailey is excused for cause.
- 10:02 a.m. Jurors are qualified.
- 10:03 a.m. Jurors give information from juror information sheet.
- 10:28 a.m. Jurors exit the courtroom.

10:32 a.m. Juror #2 – Stacey Leigh Fernandez is excused for cause.

10:33 a.m. Court is in recess.

10:47 a.m. Court is back in session.

10:47 a.m. Jurors enter the courtroom.

10:49 a.m. Assistant District Attorney Andy Pascual begins voir dire questions.

11:08 a.m. Attorney Clay Jolly begins voir dire questions.

11:23 a.m. Jurors exit the courtroom.

11:25 a.m. Individual voir dire begins.

11:34 a.m. The following jurors are excused for cause.  
Juror # 11 – Shayla Montrice Lapoint  
Juror # 42 – Victoria Alexis Johnson

11:36 a.m. Court is in recess.

11:50 a.m. Court is back in session.

11:58 a.m. Jury enters the courtroom.

11:58 a.m. Jury is selected using the silent method.

12:22 p.m. Deputy Clerk publishes the jury.

12:28 p.m. Jurors not chosen exit the courtroom

Impaneled Jurors are:

1. Robert Eugene Couch
2. Samuel Frank Speering
3. Leo Ira Mcgee
4. Charmaine Jones
5. Arthur Alexander Perry
6. Gentry Lynn Pham
7. Donna Faye Amacker
8. Alyssa Marie Usry
9. Charles Wayne Gardner, Jr.
10. Kimberly A Guertin
11. Janya Laon Bates
12. Abigail Lane Hackett

Alt. 1 Ashaela Yazmeen Abdon  
Alt. 2 Victoria Renee Rook

12:33 p.m. Jury exits courtroom.

12:35 p.m. Court is in recess.

1:46 p.m. Court is back in session.  
Pretrial matters are discussed outside the presence of the jury.

1:56 p.m. Jury enters the courtroom.

1:58 p.m. Judge Fleming administers oath to jury.

1:59 p.m. Judge Fleming gives preliminary trial instructions

2:15 p.m. Assistant District Attorney Andy Pascual delivers his opening statements.

2:24 p.m. Attorney Clay Jolly delivers his opening statements.

2:35 p.m. Assistant District Attorney Andy Pascual begins presenting his case on behalf of the state.

2:52 p.m. Jury exits the courtroom.  
Court is in recess.

2:58 p.m. Court is in session.

2:59 p.m. Jury enters the courtroom.  
Assistant District Attorney Andy Pascual continues presenting his case on behalf of the state.

4:50 p.m. The State rests.

4:52 p.m. Jury exits the courtroom with instructions to report tomorrow at 8:45 a.m.  
Matters are discussed outside the presence of the jury.

5:08 p.m. Court is adjourned.