



DATE: March 2, 2026

TO: Leslie Dipple

FROM: Dr. Reyda Taylor, IJPA

RE: March 2026 Monthly Narrative Report

This report documents the activities agreed upon under the terms of the ACLU and Travis County settlement, dated 12/19/25. This report covers the period from 2/1/26 to 2/28/26.

A) CAFA Magistration Shifts:

Date	Time	Magistrate	Appointed Counsel Present Y/N
Sunday, February 1, 2026	7:32AM-12:19PM	Taylor	Y
Sunday, February 1, 2026	3:45PM-9:45PM	J Ortega	Y
Monday, February 2, 2026	7:43AM-1:04PM	Taylor	Y
Monday, February 2, 2026	2:57PM-9:40PM	Moore	Y
Tuesday, February 3, 2026	7:21AM-1:00PM	Taylor	Y
Tuesday, February 3, 2026	3:22PM-10:35PM	Moore	Y
Wednesday, February 4, 2026	7:48AM-1:27PM	Taylor	Y
Wednesday, February 4, 2026	3:24PM-9:50PM	Moore	Y
Thursday, February 5, 2026	7:38AM-3:31PM	Howard	Y
Thursday, February 5, 2026	4:17PM-10:54PM	Moore	Y
Friday, February 6, 2026	7:44AM-2:35PM	Howard	Y
Friday, February 6, 2026	3:39PM-10:56PM	J Ortega	Y
Saturday, February 7, 2026	7:04AM-1:43PM	Moore	Y
Saturday, February 7, 2026	3:25PM-11:10PM	J Ortega	Y
Sunday, February 8, 2026	8:10AM-2:54PM	Moore	Y
Sunday, February 8, 2026	4:19PM-10:27PM	Moore	Y
Monday, February 9, 2026	7:26AM-1:30PM	Taylor	Y
Monday, February 9, 2026	3:38PM-10:36PM	J Ortega	Y
Tuesday, February 10, 2026	7:47AM-12:53PM	Taylor	Y
Tuesday, February 10, 2026	3:33PM-10:25PM	Moore	Y
Wednesday, February 11, 2026	7:48AM-1:20PM	Taylor	Y

Wednesday, February 11, 2026	3:27PM-10:53PM	J Ortega	Y
Thursday, February 12, 2026	7:39AM-2:42PM	Taylor	Y
Thursday, February 12, 2026	3:59PM-11:54PM	Howard	Y
Friday, February 13, 2026	7:55AM-1:38PM	Moore	Y
Friday, February 13, 2026	3:33PM-10:55PM	Howard	Y
Saturday, February 14, 2026	7:33AM-2:30PM	Moore	Y
Saturday, February 14, 2026	3:22PM-11:27PM	J Ortega	Y
Sunday, February 15, 2026	7:58AM-1:10PM	Moore	Y
Sunday, February 15, 2026	3:32PM-10:02PM	J Ortega	Y
Monday, February 16, 2026	7:42AM-1:54PM	Taylor	Y
Monday, February 16, 2026	3:35PM-10:10PM	Moore	Y
Tuesday, February 17, 2026	7:32AM-2:05PM	Taylor	Y
Tuesday, February 17, 2026	3:20PM-9:21PM	Moore	Y
Wednesday, February 18, 2026	7:49AM-12:55PM	Howard	Y
Wednesday, February 18, 2026	4:22PM-10:36PM	J Ortega	Y
Thursday, February 19, 2026	7:52AM-2:28PM	Howard	Y
Thursday, February 19, 2026	3:55PM-11:31PM	Moore	Y
Friday, February 20, 2026	6:41AM-2:06PM	Taylor	Y
Friday, February 20, 2026	3:47PM-11:24PM	Beckett	Y
Saturday, February 21, 2026	7:19AM-1:26PM	Taylor	Y
Saturday, February 21, 2026	2:55PM-11:08PM	J Ortega	Y
Sunday, February 22, 2026	7:53AM-2:36PM	Moore	Y
Sunday, February 22, 2026	3:36PM-10:42PM	J Ortega	Y
Monday, February 23, 2026	6:25AM-1:14PM	Moore	Y
Monday, February 23, 2026	3:31PM-10:30PM	J Ortega	Y
Tuesday, February 24, 2026	7:23AM-12:56PM	Sigman	Y
Tuesday, February 24, 2026	3:16PM-10:56PM	J Ortega	Y
Wednesday, February 25, 2026	7:42AM-2:10PM	Howard	Y
Wednesday, February 25, 2026	2:50PM-10:40PM	Taylor	Y
Thursday, February 26, 2026	7:38AM-2:40PM	Taylor	Y
Thursday, February 26, 2026	3:11PM-11:21PM	Howard	Y
Friday, February 27, 2026	7:18AM-12:57PM	Taylor	Y
Friday, February 27, 2026	3:41PM-11:15PM	J Ortega	Y
Saturday, February 28, 2026	7:05AM-2:40PM	Beckett	Y
Saturday, February 28, 2026	3:07PM-11:40PM	Moore	Y

B) Narrative: Counsel from the Office of First Defense (OFD), Public Defender Office (PDO), and Capital Area Private Defender Service (CAPDS) were appointed sufficiently in advance of magistration proceedings to allow for adequate representation. Defense attorneys were provided with private rooms for interviews with their clients, ensuring the opportunity for in-person, confidential attorney-client consultation prior to magistration. If an arrestee could not be transported to a private interview room (due to physical or mental health needs, or other extenuating circumstances), then counsel conducted

cell-side interviews. When that was necessary, procedures were followed to provide private consultation even if conducted cell-side.

Sufficient time was allowed for defense counsel to review case filings, consult with clients, and provide for time to contact family members and service providers.

Probable cause affidavits, pretrial services reports, and criminal history reports for the limited issues relevant to magistration were provided for defense counsel. This information was provided through a variety of sources, including the Travis County Sheriff's Office, Travis County Clerk's Office, and Travis County Pretrial Services.

No significant issues with providing documentation to counsel, attorney/client consultation, in-person magistration, or public access to magistration were noted.

C) Program Changes: There are no plans to increase the number of counseled magistration shifts for the next calendar month.