

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
ATLANTA DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

v.

CARLA JACKSON, JOHN GAINES,
JERRY BAPTISTE and TELDRIN
FOSTER,

Defendants.

CRIMINAL ACTION NO.
1:20-CR-00296-JPB

ORDER

This matter is currently set for trial on June 12, 2023, at 9:00 AM. Recently, the parties contacted chambers to request a continuance from the June calendar. The parties also requested a special setting. For good cause shown, the parties' request is **GRANTED**. The jury trial scheduled for June 12, 2023, is **CONTINUED**.

This matter is now specially set for a jury trial to begin on February 5, 2024, at 9:00 AM in Courtroom 2306. The status conference scheduled for May 23, 2023, is canceled, and the June 8, 2023, pretrial conference is rescheduled to January 18, 2024, at 10:00 AM in Courtroom 1908.

Motions in limine and proposed voir dire shall be filed on or before January 4, 2024, and responses to motions in limine shall be filed on or before January 12,

2024. Only one consolidated motion in limine shall be filed by each party, and the motion shall not exceed twenty-five pages. The response brief to the motion in limine shall also not exceed twenty-five pages.

The time from May 11, 2023, to February 5, 2024, shall be excluded from computation under the Speedy Trial Act pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) and (h)(7)(B)(iv) to give the parties sufficient time to effectively prepare for trial and consider whether a plea is appropriate. The Court finds that the ends of justice outweigh the best interests of the public and Defendants in a speedy trial.

A single, unified set of requests to charge and proposed verdict forms are required to be filed the day prior to the pretrial conference and e-mailed to the courtroom deputy clerk in Microsoft Word format. Where a proposed instruction is not agreed upon, the parties should indicate who is proposing the instruction and the legal bases both for the instruction and for the other party's opposition to the instruction. Counsel must use the Eleventh Circuit Pattern Jury Instructions, if applicable.

The parties should be prepared to provide the courtroom deputy clerk with three copies of their respective exhibit and witness lists at the start of trial for use by the Judge, court reporter and courtroom deputy clerk. Each party should also provide a courtesy copy of all exhibits in an appropriately labeled notebook on the

first day of trial for the Judge. The parties are referred to Local Rule 16.4(B)(19)(b), NDGa, concerning exhibit labeling. The parties must provide a courtesy copy of any documents e-filed just prior to trial or on any day during the trial.

Any training or trial runs regarding the courtroom technology must be scheduled in advance of trial via the courtroom deputy clerk. The Court will not allow time for training or trial runs at the beginning of the trial. Any motions requesting leave to bring technology into the courtroom must be filed no later than three days in advance of trial to allow time for proper notification to the U.S. Marshals Service.

SO ORDERED this 11th day of May, 2023.



J. P. BOULEE
United States District Judge