

8. When, under these rules, no judge is available for appointment, or when, in the discretion of the regular presiding judge, the particular circumstance warrants selection of a special judge by the Indiana Supreme Court, the presiding judge shall certify these facts to the Indiana Supreme Court and request an appointment of a Special judge under the applicable procedural rules.

(Adopted May 22, 2008, effective January 1, 2009; amended June 1, 2011; amended effective June 1, 2012)

LR16-AR00-1 Civil Case Filings

Civil cases may be filed in either court in Decatur County with the following exceptions:

1. All juvenile cases (CHINS and delinquency) are filed in Circuit Court.
2. All small claims (SC), protective order (PO), mortgage foreclosure (MF), and civil collections (CC) cases are filed in Superior Court.

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