



UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
District of Alaska
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Janet Stafford, Clerk of Court

CLERK'S NOTICE RE: CHANGES TO JUDGE SPRAKER'S CALENDAR REQUEST PROCEDURE

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2018, Chief Judge Gary Spraker will implement the following updated procedure for requesting hearing dates on all matters pending in his courtroom:

1. On **Wednesdays**, Judge Spraker will hear the following matters at the times listed:

<u>Matter</u>	<u>Time</u>
Miscellaneous Chapter 13 motions	10:00 a.m.
Miscellaneous Chapter 7 motions	11:00 a.m.
Miscellaneous adversary motions	1:30 p.m.
Chapter 7, 11 and 13 matters and adversary matters requiring <i>more than 15 minutes</i> of hearing time	2:00 p.m.

Judge Spraker's available hearing dates will be posted to the court website, www.akb.uscourts.gov, in a calendar format substantially similar to the attached. The posted calendar will also reflect the few occasions on which available calendar request dates do not fall on Wednesdays.

2. When possible, attorneys should request the same calendar date and time for multiple matters in any given case (*i.e.*, if an attorney knows his client's chapter 13 confirmation hearing is scheduled for January 11, 2017 at 10:00 a.m., the attorney should submit a calendar request for that same date and time for his client's claim objection). See AK LBR 2083-1(a).
3. Calendar requests may be submitted only after the motion which is the subject of the requested hearing has been filed with the court, with the exception of objections to claims.
4. Requested calendar dates must comply with applicable notice requirements. For a list of select notice periods, visit <http://www.akb.uscourts.gov/information-attorneys>.
5. Only the current version of the court's official form calendar request (AK LBF 7) will be accepted. The current version is available on the court's website at www.akb.uscourts.gov under "Forms." **Outdated versions of the court's form calendar request submitted after January 1, 2018 will be rejected.**

The above procedure is subject to the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and the Local Bankruptcy Rules, and should not be interpreted as superseding established procedures for matters to be heard on shortened notice, etc.

All calendar requests remain subject to the court's availability and discretion.

Judge Spraker's AK Hearing Dates (as of 1/12/2026)

Jan 2026 (Alaska Time - Anchorage)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	28	29	30	31	1	2
	UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	COURT CLOSED	UNAVAILABLE	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
			10am - Ch13 Misc 11am - Ch7Misc 1:30pm - AdvMisc 2pm - All Misc >15min	UNAVAILABLE		
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
			10am - Ch13 Misc 11am - Ch7Misc 1:30pm - AdvMisc 2pm - All Misc >15min			
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	COURT CLOSED	UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
			10am - Ch13 Misc 11am - Ch7Misc 1:30pm - AdvMisc 2pm - All Misc >15min			

Judge Spraker's AK Hearing Dates (as of 1/12/2026)

Feb 2026 (Alaska Time - Anchorage)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
				UNAVAILABLE		7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
			10am - Ch13 Misc 11am - Ch7Misc 1:30pm - AdvMisc 2pm - All Misc >15min	UNAVAILABLE		
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	COURT CLOSED	UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	

Judge Spraker's AK Hearing Dates (as of 1/12/2026)

Mar 2026 (Alaska Time - Anchorage)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
	1 UNAVAILABLE	2 UNAVAILABLE	3 UNAVAILABLE	4 UNAVAILABLE	5 UNAVAILABLE	6 UNAVAILABLE	
	8	9	10	11 10am - Ch13 Misc 11am - Ch7Misc 1:30pm - AdvMisc 2pm - All Misc >15min	12 UNAVAILABLE	13 UNAVAILABLE	14
	15	16	17	18 UNAVAILABLE	19 UNAVAILABLE	20 UNAVAILABLE	
	22	23	24	25 10am - Ch13 Misc 11am - Ch7Misc 1:30pm - AdvMisc 2pm - All Misc >15min	26	27	28
	29	30	31	1 UNAVAILABLE	2	3	4

Judge Spraker's AK Hearing Dates (as of 1/12/2026)

Apr 2026 (Alaska Time - Anchorage)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	29	30	31	1	2	3
	5	6	7	8	9	10
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	1	2

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10am - Ch13 Misc

11am - Ch7Misc

1:30pm - AdvMisc

2pm - All Misc >15min

Judge Spraker's AK Hearing Dates (as of 1/12/2026)

May 2026 (Alaska Time - Anchorage)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	26	27	UNAVAILABLE			2
			10am - Ch13 Misc 11am - Ch7Misc 1:30pm - AdvMisc 2pm - All Misc >15min			
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
			10am - Ch13 Misc 11am - Ch7Misc 1:30pm - AdvMisc 2pm - All Misc >15min			
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
			UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
			10am - Ch13 Misc 11am - Ch7Misc 1:30pm - AdvMisc 2pm - All Misc >15min	UNAVAILABLE		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	COURT CLOSED	UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	UNAVAILABLE	
31	1	2	3	4	5	6