

List of Judges Performing Marriage Ceremonies

Marriage Line: 612-348-9962

May 20, 2024 - May 24, 2024

Your marriage ceremony may be scheduled this week or sometime in the future.

The Hennepin County District Court is committed to being a welcoming place, both within the court and in the communities we serve. As part of that commitment, you may see judges who are available for marriage ceremonies share personal information (e.g., languages they speak, faith traditions, LGBTQ+ identity, etc.) that is intended to serve as helpful information for couples as they are choosing a judge for their ceremony. It's important to note that in alignment with the court's core values as well as with Minnesota law, all Hennepin County judges perform marriage ceremonies for same-sex couples, as well as for heterosexual couples.

Judge	1 st Number	2 nd Number	Comments
Amy Dawson	612-596-1474	612-596-1475	Government Center (weekdays and weekends) <i>Self-Disclosed Personal Background/Identities: LGBTQ+</i>
Tamara Garcia	612-596-7753	612-543-0150	Government Center (weekdays and weekends); Ridgedale courthouse; free for active-duty military and first responders
Carolina Lamas	612-543-1792	612-543-1793	Government Center (weekdays) <i>Languages spoken in addition to English: Spanish</i> <i>Self-disclosed personal background/identities: Native Spanish speaker</i>
Bridget Sullivan	612-596-1480		Government Center (weekdays and weekends); any Hennepin County courthouse; anywhere within Hennepin County; anywhere within the seven (7) county metro area
Edward Wahl	612-348-0896	612-348-0897	Government Center (weekdays and weekends); any Hennepin County courthouse; public venues within Hennepin County; public venues within the seven (7) county metro area; free for active-duty military and first responders on weekdays at the Government Center

Remember to bring the following to your marriage ceremony:

- **Marriage license issued by any Minnesota county**
- **Photo ID for each applicant**
- **Two witnesses with photo ID (or ask the judges' staff if witnesses may be provided at additional charge)**
- **Judges perform ceremonies Monday through Friday by appointment at [courthouse locations](https://www.mncourts.gov/Find-Courts/Hennepin/Marriage-Ceremonies.aspx). Check with individual judges for other arrangements, including weekend or evening ceremonies or locations other than a courthouse. Request specific instructions from judges' staff regarding building access outside of regular business hours. Marriage ceremony fees vary based on date, time, and location; contact the judges' staff for this information.**