

Location: Canton

Salary: Commensurate with experience

The Cherokee County Magistrate Court is seeking highly motivated attorneys looking to grow their careers and make an impact in their community as a full-time or part-time Assistant Magistrate Court judge. Selected candidates are subject to Superior Court approval, and will begin employment on Jan. 1, 2025. Approved candidates shall be appointed for a four-year term.

As an Assistant Magistrate Court judge, one could expect to conduct hearings in regards to the following matters:

- First Appearance Hearings (Bond Hearings);
- Preliminary hearings;
- Pre-warrant application hearings;
- Dispossessory (eviction) cases;
- Civil claims involving funds up to \$15,000.00;
- Garnishments;
- Abandoned Motor Vehicles;
- Personal Property Foreclosures.

Minimum Qualifications Per O.C.G.A. § 15-10-22:

- Have been a resident of Cherokee County for two years preceding the beginning of his or her term of office;
- Be at least 25 years of age;
- Remain a resident of Cherokee County during his or her term of office;
- Be a citizen of the United States;
- Be a registered voter; and
- Have obtained a state accredited high school diploma or state approved high school equivalency (HSE) diploma.

Preferred Qualifications:

- Licensed attorney;
- Member of the State Bar of Georgia and in good standing.

Of Note:

- Candidates are subject to a background check;
- Candidates must be approved by the Superior Court of Cherokee County.

To Apply:

All applications will be considered through the close of business on October 18th. Please submit resume and cover letter to cherokeemagistratecourt@gmail.com.