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Michigan Supreme Court Announces Cases for April 2018 Oral Arguments

LANSING, MI, April 4, 2018—The Michigan Supreme Court announced that oral arguments in 10 cases will be heard April 11-12, 2018. The Court will convene to hear the first case at 9:30 a.m. in the sixth floor of the Hall of Justice, 925 W. Ottawa Street. The schedule of arguments is posted on the Supreme Court's oral arguments [homepage](#).

The Court broadcasts its oral arguments and other hearings [live](#) on the Internet via streaming video technology. Watch the stream live only while the Court is in session and on the bench. Streaming will begin shortly before the hearings start; audio will be muted until justices take the bench. Follow the Court on [Twitter](#) to receive regular updates as cases are heard. Please contact the Office of Public Information at 517-373-0129 or SeaksL@courts.mi.gov for permission to film or photograph during the hearing. See the link to [Request and Notice for Film and Electronic Media Coverage of Court Proceedings](#). The request must be submitted three days in advance of the hearing.

These brief accounts may not reflect the way that some or all of the Court's seven justices view the cases. The attorneys may also disagree about the facts, issues, procedural history, and significance of these cases. For further details about the cases, please contact the attorneys.

**Wednesday, April 11, 2018
Morning Session – 9:30 a.m.**

**[156283, People of MI v Tarone Devon Washington](#)
[155361, People of MI v Benjamin Michael Bentz](#)
[155747-8, People of MI v Lovell Charles Sharp](#)
[154128, 154130, People of MI v Justly Ernest Johnson, Kendrick Scott](#)**

Afternoon Session – Approximately 1:00 p.m.

**[155196, Michigan Gun Owners, Inc v Ann Arbor Public Schools](#)
[155204, Michigan Open Carry, Inc v Clio Area School District](#)**

Thursday, April 12, 2018
Morning Session – 9:30 a.m.

153980-1, In re Estate of James Erwin, Sr
155498, North American Brokers v Howell Public Schools
153829, McQueer v Perfect Fence Co
156057-8, Denishio Johnson v Curt VanderKooi

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