# **BUTTS COUNTY COURTS**

## **Butts County Superior Court**

Judges: Judge William A. Fears and Judge Tommy Wilson

**Clerk of Court – Morgan Ward** 

Office Location – Open Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.:

26 Third Street

Jackson, Georgia 30233

#### **Butts County Superior Court responsibilities:**

- Anything Relating to Real Estate Records for Butts County
  - Deeds, Liens, Plats
- Civil Cases
  - o Divorce
  - Name Change
  - Paternity
  - Child Support
  - Legitimation
  - Garnishments
- Civil Suits
- Adoption
- Criminal Charges
- Habeas Corpus
- DD-214 (Military Records)
- Tradenames
- Notary
- Jury Duty
- Board of Equalization

## **Butts County Probate Court**

#### **Probate Judge Elizabeth Biles**

Office Location – Open Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.:

Court Annex, 206 South Mulberry Street

Jackson, Georgia 30233

Phone: (770) 775-8204

## **Butts County Probate Court responsibilities:**

- Traffic Tickets
  - o If they were given a ticket by City of Jackson Police Dept. they report to City Hall

- o All other tickets (Sheriff's Office, State Patrol, etc.) go to Probate Court
- Estates
- Wills
- Guardianship
- Firearm License
- Marriage License
- Birth Certificates
- Death Certificates

### **Butts County Magistrate Court**

#### **Chief Magistrate Rebecca Johnston Pitts**

Office Location – Open Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

835 Ernest Biles Drive Jackson, Georgia 30233

Phone: (770) 775-8220

#### **Butts County Magistrate Court Responsibilities:**

- Arrest Warrant Applications
  - o If someone wants to take out a warrant on another individual
- Evictions
- Civil Suits under \$15,000
- Abandon Vehicle

### **Butts County Juvenile Court**

Office location:

206 S Mulberry Street Jackson, GA 30233

Phone: (678) 774-8595

#### Juvenile Court responsibilities:

- Works with Department of Family and Children Services
- Criminal Charges
  - o If the defendant is under the age of 17

## **Towaliga Judicial Circuit**

Jonathan Adams, District Attorney Office Location: 625 W Third Street, Ste. 8 Jackson, Georgia 30233 Phone: 770-504-2407

## **Butts County Justice Center**

# **Gary Long, Sheriff**

Jail and Office Location: 835 Ernest Biles Drive Jackson, Georgia 30233 Phone: 770-775-8216

Emergencies: Dial 911