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BCBA MEMBER BENEFITS

Bar Office (Room 100, County Courts Building)

- FREE use of the fax machine
- FREE use of the copier
- FREE use of a computer with internet access and printer
- FREE Wi-Fi access in the Bar Office
- FREE use of the Bar Association phones
- FREE Notary services
- Meeting space available upon request
- Hang up your coat, hat and umbrella
- FREE coffee, water, chocolate and mints available

The Bar Office is conveniently located on the first floor of the County Courts Building and is there to serve its members. It is also the 'hub of the courthouse,' frequented by other attorneys, Judges and Magistrates throughout the day. Stop in to say hello and find out what is happening. We are here to make your day in Towson more manageable, whether your office is close or far away.

Audio Visual Equipment

The BCBA has several pieces of equipment available for rental. BCBA Members receive the first day rental FREE. However, you MUST call the Bar Office to reserve equipment (410-337-9100).

- HDTV with DVD player and HDMI connections (on an AV cart)
- 70" HDTV with DVD player and HDMI connections
- Projector
- Screen
- CD player

Continuing Legal Education

BCBA committees host more than 75 programs throughout the Bar Year, which are free or minimally priced for BCBA Members. These include general "nuts and bolts" programs, as well as area-specific seminars. Most programs are held in the County Courts Building, 401 Bosley Avenue, Towson. Some committees host monthly dinner meetings at area restaurants and country clubs. Please see the Calendar or Committee Reports on www.bcba.org for currently-scheduled programs.

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American Bar Association Publishing 15% Discount

Any time you purchase books, periodicals, or journals from the American Bar Association, use this code when checking out PAB0EBCB (that is a zero in the middle!), and receive a 15% discount. In addition, you will be supporting the Baltimore County Bar Association, because the ABA will send us 15% of the sale! Woo-hoo, we LOVE non-dues revenue!

Events

The BCBA "Bar Year" is July 1 - June 30. The Bar Year is kicked off with the Annual Stated Meeting usually held on the third Thursday of June in Ceremonial Courtroom No. 5, 400 Washington Avenue, Second Floor, Towson. At this meeting, outgoing Committee Chairs give their final report and recap of the year's activities; incoming Committee Chairs are introduced; the annual Budget is provided and approved; and the incoming President, Officers and Executive Council Members take office.

The first event of the new Bar Year is a Reception immediately following the Annual Stated Meeting. Please see Events for more details.

Other events (some family-friendly) held throughout the year, at reduced pricing for BCBA Members:

- Hospitality Suite at the MSBA Annual Conference in Ocean City (free admission)
- Night at the YARD, Orioles Game
- Statewide Softball Tournament
- Wines and Whiskey Event
- Pro Bono Volunteer Appreciation Reception
- National Adoption Day
- Annual Memorial Service
- Young Lawyers Holiday Lunch and Toy Drive
- Holiday Party
- Annual Black-Tie (Attorneys Only) Banquet
- Bull & Oyster Roast
- Pro Bono Community Clinics
- Law Day Breakfast & Noon Ceremonies
- Golf Outing

Lawyer Referral & Information Services

Attorneys interested in receiving screened referrals should consider joining the BCBA's Lawyer Referral & Information Service. Contact Rae Wyatt at rw Wyatt@bcba.org for more information.

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Weekly Email Notices

As a BCBA Member, you will receive weekly notifications of programs and events coming up the following week (The Week Ahead ...), and when the court requests notifications to be sent out to the membership (closing related to weather or power outages, etc.).

The Advocate

Originally *The Bar Quarterly*, and now *The Advocate*, this monthly newsletter is in its 32nd year in publication, and remains members' number one benefit. This informative publication went completely digital as of July 2013 and can easily be found from the home page of our website (www.bcba.org). The current (and past) issues can also be found there.

Each issue includes information on currently-scheduled programs and events, court notifications from the District, Orphans, and Circuit Courts, as well as the Circuit Court Magistrates, reports on programs held (especially helpful if you were not able to attend), civil and criminal law updates, as well as other timely information from the local Baltimore County legal community. Please make sure to check out the advertisers who may provide you with the services you need.

Members can announce their move to a new location, change of contact information, or a small classified ad for FREE.

BALTIMORE COUNTY DISTRICT COURTS

Towson

District Court for Baltimore County (08-04)
120 E. Chesapeake Avenue
Towson, MD 21286-5307

410-512-2000
Toll-free Number (In-state only): 1-800-944-1826
TTY users call Maryland RELAY: 711

Bus Information: MTA Buses, numbers 3, 8 and 12, have bus stops nearby.
<https://mta.maryland.gov>

Directions: From Annapolis, take Route 50 West to I-97 North, exit #21, toward Baltimore. Take I-695 West, exit #17A, toward Baltimore/Towson merge onto I-695 West, Take Route 695 to Exit 26 - York Road. [Or take exit 27 (Dulaney Valley Road) which will intersect with York Road] Continue south on York Road until you come to Chesapeake Avenue. Turn left on Chesapeake Avenue. District Court location is on the right.

From North of Baltimore, take Route 695 to Exit 26 - York Road. [Or take exit 27 (Dulaney Valley Road) which will intersect with York Road] Continue south on York Road until you come to Chesapeake Avenue. Turn left on Chesapeake Avenue. District Court location is on the right.

Parking: Public garage next to court location.

Essex

District Court for Baltimore County (08-05)
8914 Kelso Drive
Essex, MD 21221-3121

410-512-2300
Toll-free Number (In-state only): 1-800-944-1826
TTY users call Maryland RELAY: 711

Bus Information: MTA Buses, number 4
<https://mta.maryland.gov>

Directions: Route 695 to exit 35, Pulaski Highway. East on Pulaski Hwy. for 1 mile. Right turn on Martin Blvd. Court is located on right side at intersection of Kelso Drive and Martin Blvd.

Parking: Free parking at site.

Catonsville

District Court for Baltimore County (08-01)
900 Walker Avenue
Catonsville, MD 21228-5341

410-512-2500
Toll-free Number (In-state only): 1-800-944-1826
TTY users call Maryland RELAY: 711

Bus Information: MTA Buses, number 77
<https://mta.maryland.gov>

Directions: From 695, take Exit 12, Wilkens Ave. West. Make left on Walker Ave. (entrance to UMBC). Court is on left.

Parking: Free parking on site.

BALTIMORE COUNTY DISTRICT COURTS

Office of the Chief Judge

Chief Judge John P. Morrissey

District Court Headquarters
Maryland Judicial Center
580 Taylor Avenue A-3
Annapolis, MD 21401

District Court Judges

Sally C. Chester

Stacy A. Mayer

Michael T. Pate

Lisa Ann Phelps

Karen Anne Pilarski

Keith Dana Pion

Marsha Lynette Russell

Leo Ryan, Jr.

Kimberly M. Thomas

Philip N. Tirabassi

Kevin Yvonne Thomas Wiggins

Dorothy J. Wilson*

Steven Donald Wyman

*Administrative Judge

BALTIMORE COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT

Circuit Court for Baltimore County
401 Bosley Avenue
County Courts Building
Towson, MD 21204
410-887-2139

Email: circuitcourt@baltimorecountymd.gov

8:30 am – 4:30 pm
Monday – Friday *except holidays*

Hon. Kathleen Gallogly Cox, Administrative Judge
410-887-6510
Judicial Assistants, Kathy Schwender & Brittany Jackson

Julie Ensor, Clerk of the Court
401 Bosley Avenue
County Courts Building, 2nd Floor
Towson, MD 21204
410-887-2601
www.mdcourts.gov/clerks/Baltimore

Daily Docket

The Daily Docket is updated between 4:00 and 4:30 pm each day for the next day's docket. The online Daily Docket includes all scheduled events for Civil, Criminal and Domestic cases. It's updated between 4 and 4:30 p.m. each day for the next day's docket. If a case has been assigned to "Stand By Facility," please contact the Central Assignment Office at 410-887-3497 for further instructions.

Cell Phone and Tablet Policy

Cell phones, tablets and similar electronic devices are permitted in the Courthouse, provided that the device clears security. Possession and use of cell phones and other electronic devices may be limited or prohibited in designated areas of the Court facility.

Security Protocol

The Circuit Court for Baltimore County requires all employees, visitors, litigants, witnesses and attorneys to pass through a security checkpoint at the main entrance. Uniformed police officers on official duty, have a separate protocol.

BALTIMORE COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT

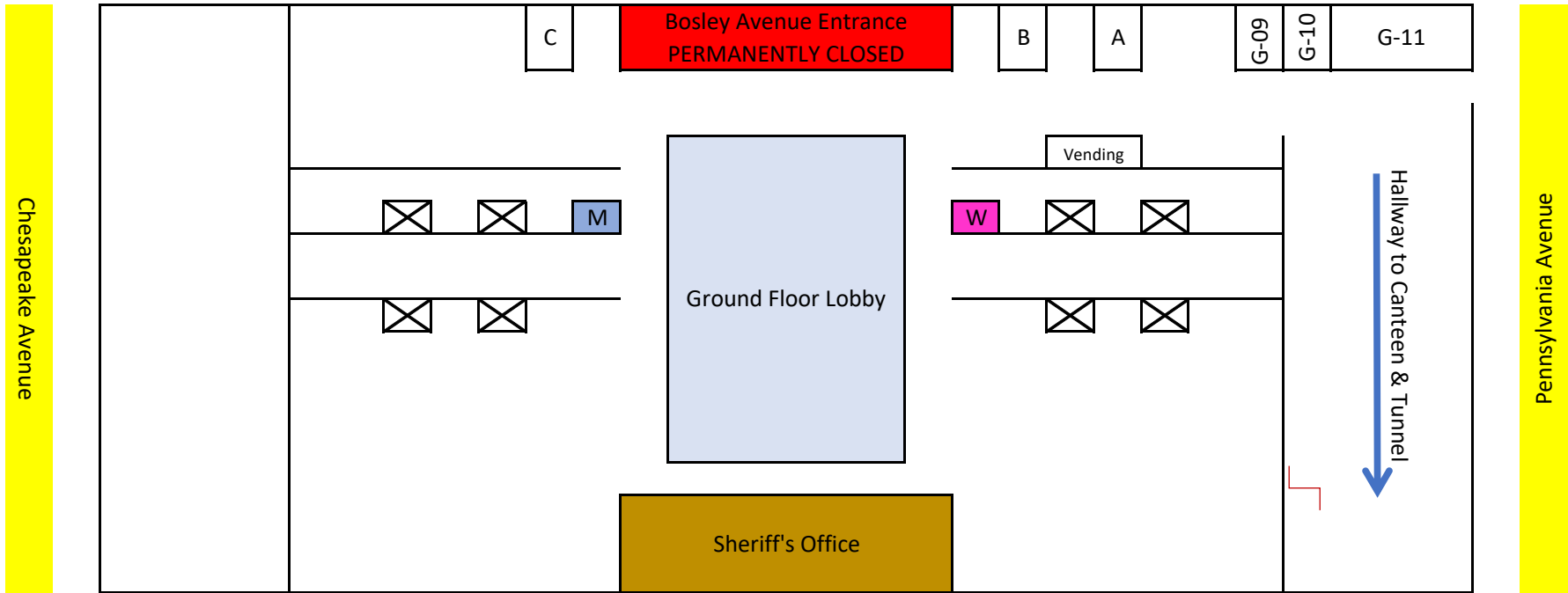
The following pages include contact information (including Judge, Judicial Assistant, Judicial Law Clerk, Court Clerk, *et al.*) as well as maps developed by committee and staff members (not the court) and are only as current as the time of their development. Changes in space, courtroom, chambers and office assignments can and will happen without prior notice or revision of these maps. The purpose is to give you a general overview of the County Courts Building. You are encouraged to confirm the location of any judge or court staff/office, as you deem necessary. We assume absolutely no responsibility nor liability if you are in the wrong place at the wrong time.

GROUND FLOOR


South


Bosley Avenue

North





- A Magistrate Woods
- B Magistrate Farmer
- C Magistrate Brown
- G-09 Magistrate Farmer's Office
- G-10 Child Support Hearings
- G-11 Family Employment Support Program
- G-11 Appellate Judges' Attorneys


 = Elevator

 Restroom

 Restroom

 = Stairs

 = Elevator

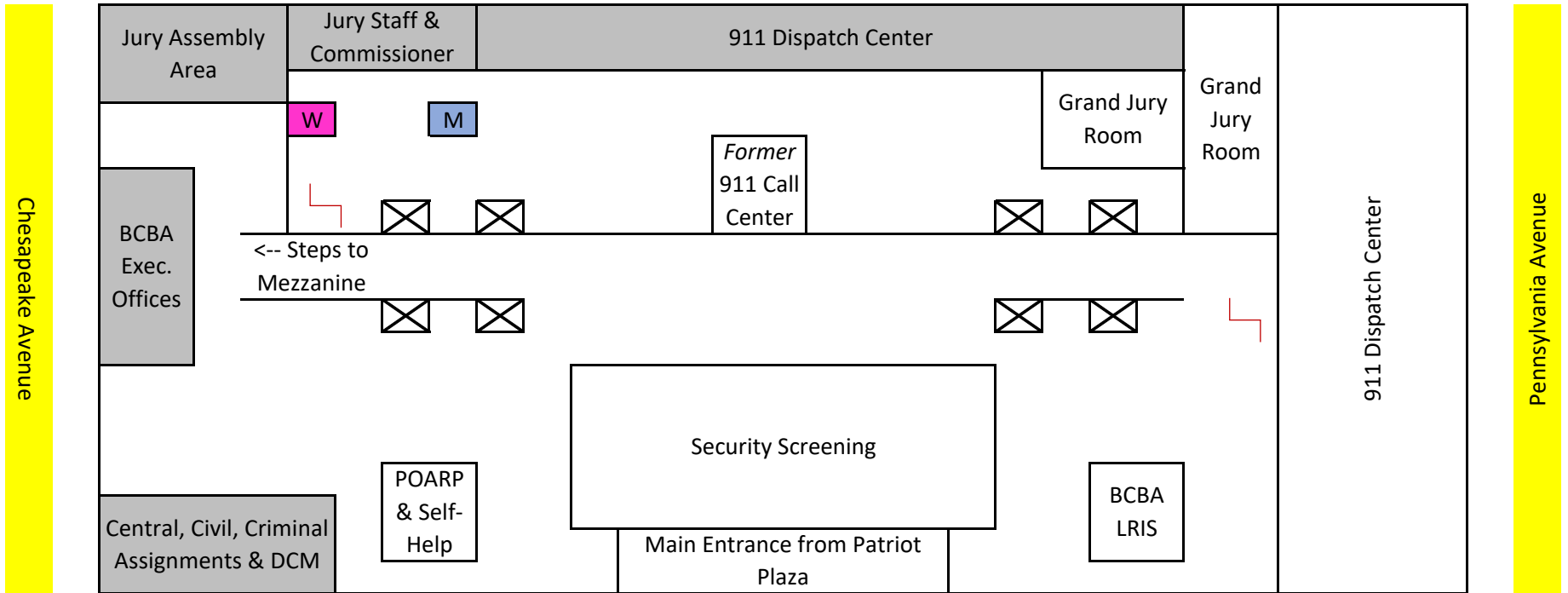
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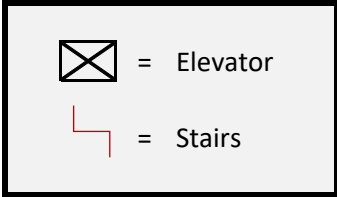
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Mezzanine Level

M Restroom
 W Restroom

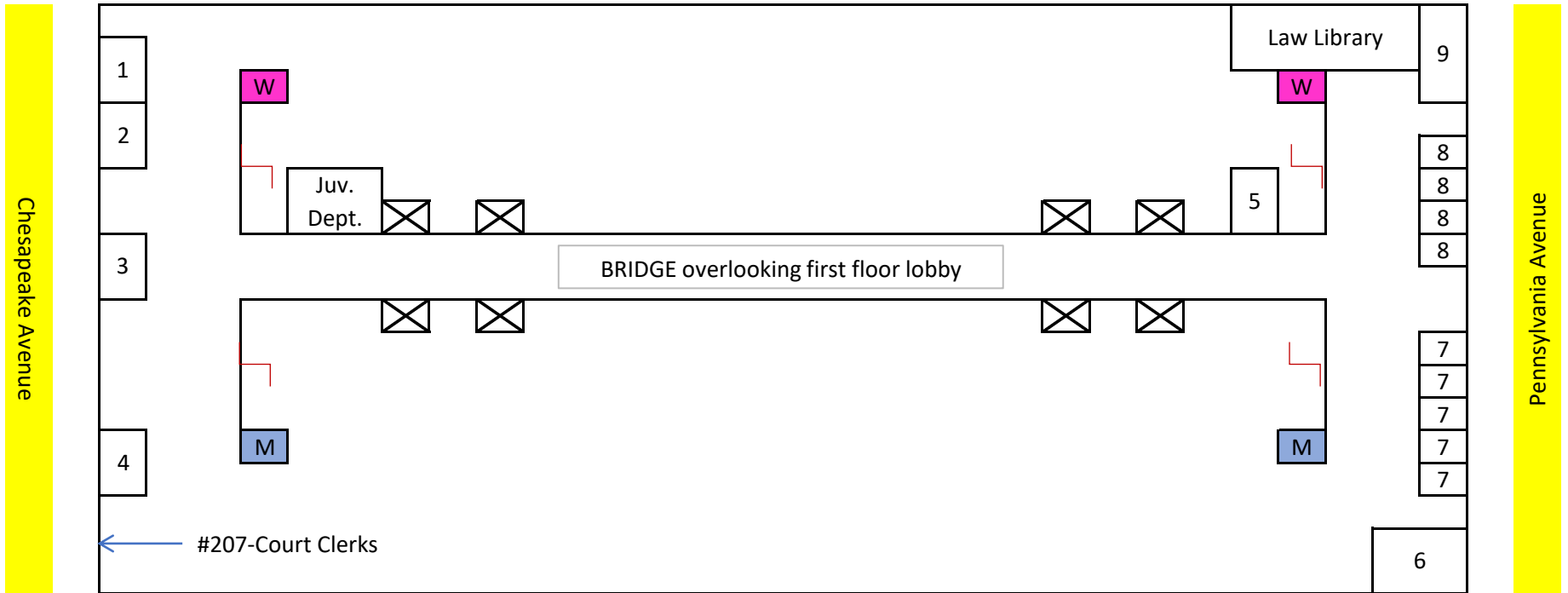


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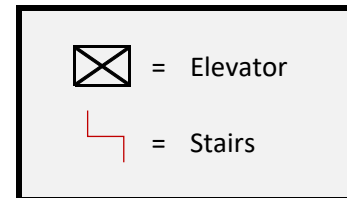
Bosley Avenue

North



- 1 Civil Division Clerk
 - 2 Family Law Clerk
 - 3 Copy Center / File Room
 - 4 Criminal Clerk / Appeals / Trusts
 - 5 Marriage Ceremony Room
 - 6 Photocopy Room
 - 7 Land Records / Deed Recording
 - 8 Business & Marriage Licenses
 - 9 Records Office
- Law Library: Law Library / Self-service copier / LexisNexis & Westlaw

M Restroom
W Restroom

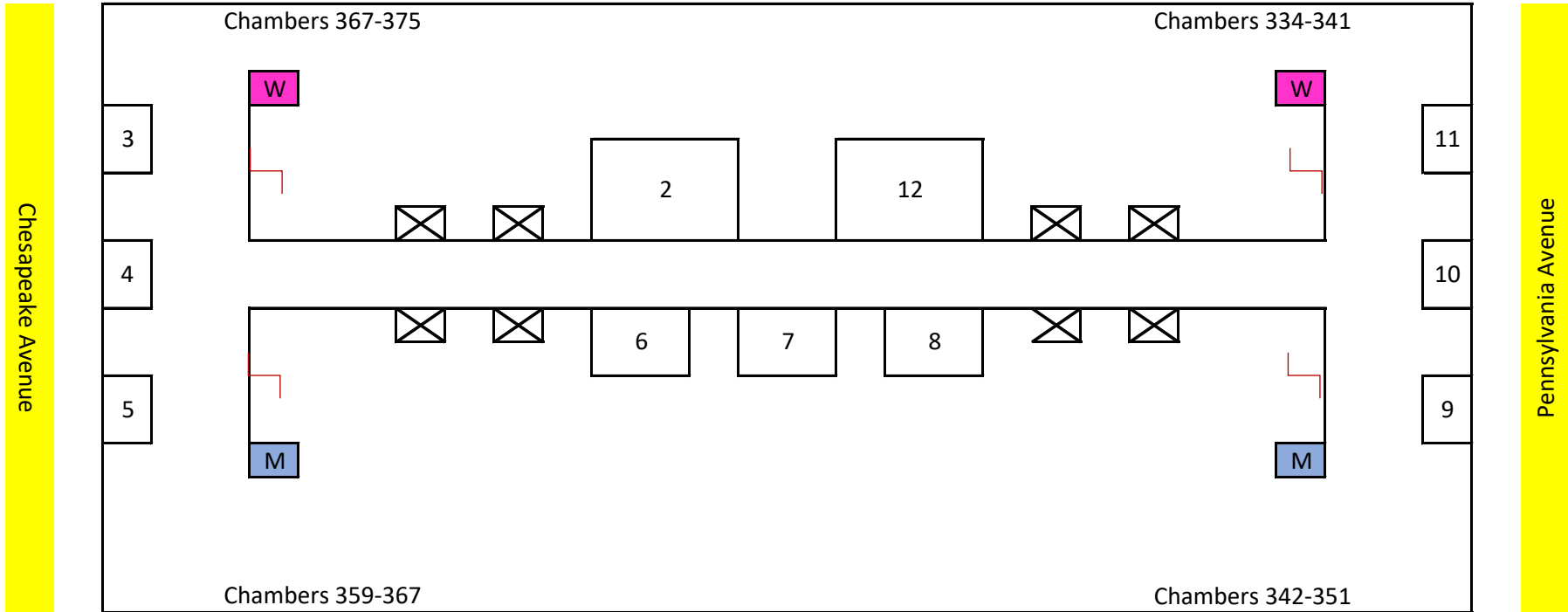


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Bosley Avenue

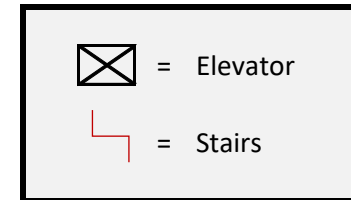
North



- 2 Judge King
- 3 Judge Purpura
- 4 Judge Cavanaugh
- 5 Judge Stringer
- 6 Judge Nagle
- 7 Judge Deeley, Jr.
- 8 Judge Norman
- 9 Judge Hanley
- 10 Judge Truffer
- 11 Judge Glass
- 12 Judge Bailey

M Restroom
W Restroom

Chambermates	
363	Bailey & Glass
342	Hanley & Truffer
361	Nagle & Deeley, Jr.
363	Norman (solo)
367	Stringer & Purpura
373	King & Cavanaugh



FOURTH FLOOR

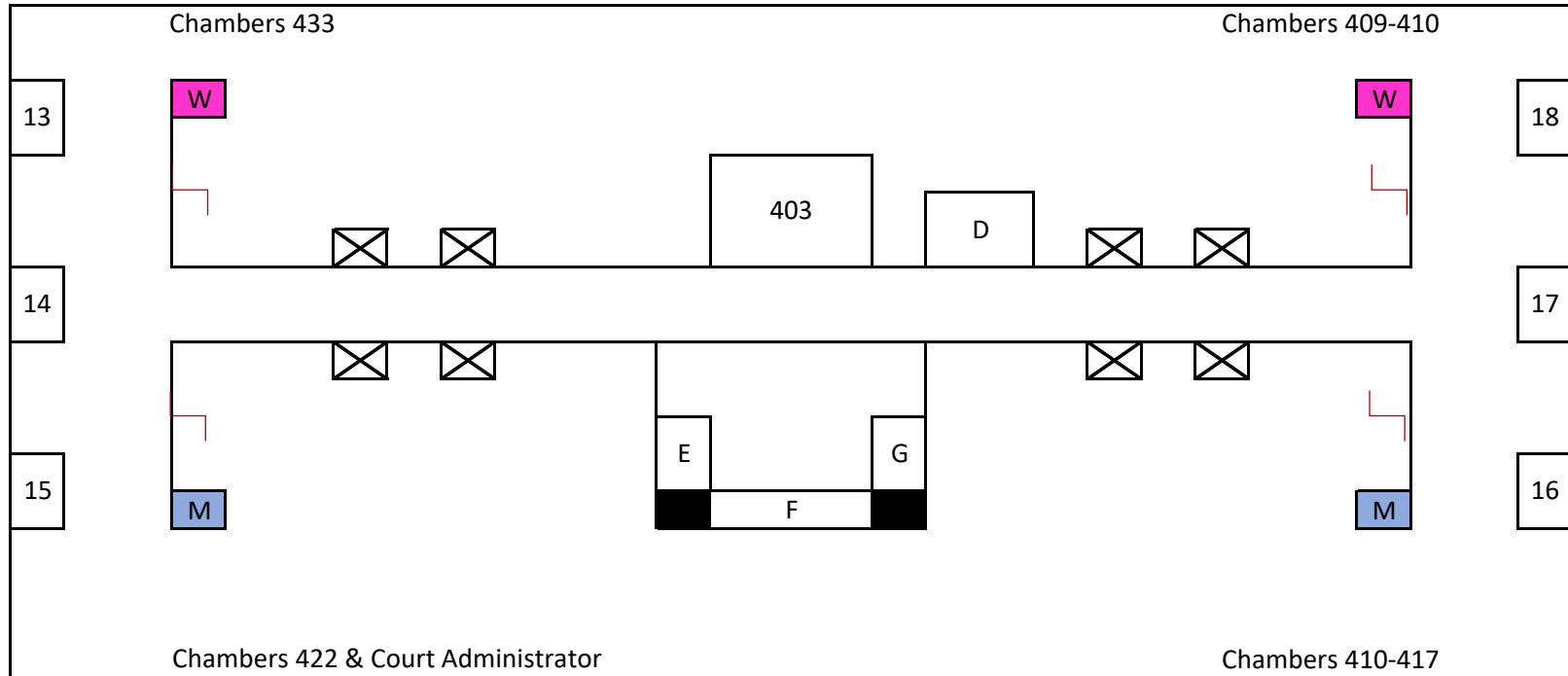
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Bosley Avenue

North

Chesapeake Avenue

Pennsylvania Avenue

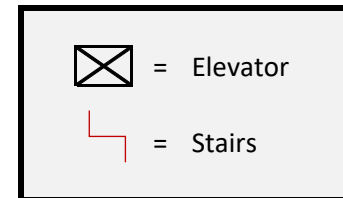


- D Magistrate Beck
- E Magistrate McAllister
- F Magistrate Gilbert
- G Magistrate Schenker
- 13 Judge Finifter
- 14 Judge Ensor
- 15 Judge Cox
- 16 Judge Alexander
- 17 Judge Robinson, Jr.
- 18 Judge Cahill
- 403 Digital Recording

- M Restroom
- W Restroom

Judicial Conference
Room 412

Chambermates	
409	Robinson, Jr. (solo)
410	Cahill & Alexander
422	Cox (solo)
433	Finifter & Ensor

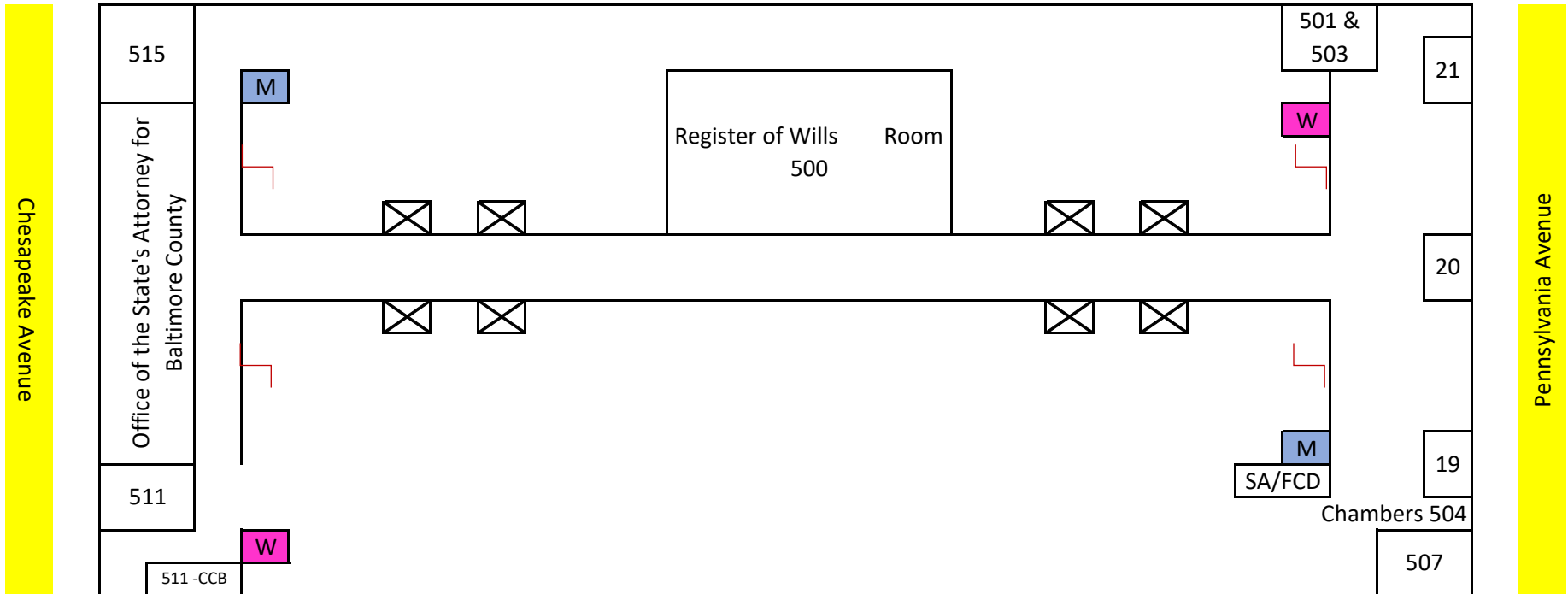


FIFTH FLOOR

South

Bosley Avenue

North



- SA/FCD State's Attorney - Felony Complaint Division
- 19 Judge Jakubowski
- 20 Judge Battista
- 21 Judge Ballou-Watts
- 500 Register of Wills
- 501 Orphan's Court & COSA
- 503 Court of Appeals
- 507 Settlement Court
- 511 State's Attorneys Office - Main Reception
- 511 CCB = Citizen Complaint Bureau
- 515 Office of Family Mediation / Family Support Services

- M Restroom
- W Restroom

Chambermates	
504	Battista (solo)
505	Jakubowski & Ballou-Watts

