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Columbus Consolidated Government and Courts of Muscogee County to Host John D. Allen Judicial Center Ribbon-Cutting

[Columbus, Georgia] – Columbus Consolidated Government and Courts of Muscogee County will host a ribbon-cutting ceremony for the John D. Allen Judicial Center on Friday, October 30, 2026, at 1:30 p.m. Community members and members of the media are invited to attend.

The ceremony will bring together local officials, judicial leaders, and community partners to celebrate the facility and honor the legacy of Judge John D. Allen.

“The project reflects the value of collaboration among public officials, judicial leaders, and community partners,” said Mayor Skip Henderson. “Investments in public institutions require a shared commitment to meeting the needs of residents today while building a stronger foundation for future generations.”

Chief Justice Nels S.D. Peterson of the Supreme Court of Georgia will serve as the special guest speaker. The program will also feature remarks from city and judicial leadership, including reflections on Judge Allen’s contributions to the community.

The tour of the building will take place immediately following the ribbon-cutting.

Event Details

Date: Friday, October 30, 2026

Time: 1:30 p.m.

Location: John D. Allen Judicial Center
100 10th Street, Columbus, Georgia

To accommodate ceremony preparations, 10th Street between 1st Avenue and 2nd Avenue will close beginning at 11:30 a.m. Motorists should plan alternate routes and allow additional travel time in the area.

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