

MAGISTRATE COURT OF MURRAY COUNTY
STATE OF GEORGIA

STANDING ORDER FOR JUDICIAL EMERGENCY ORDER COURT GUIDELINES

On June 12, 2020, the Honorable Harold D. Melton, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Georgia, did further extend the Statewide Judicial Emergency order in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Sunday, July 12, 2020 @ 11:59 p.m.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH the extended order, and to protect the health, safety and liberty of all citizens of this county, the Murray County Magistrate Court has implemented procedures consistent with public health guidance. Video-conferencing procedures have been implemented as needed. The Court does hereby adopt the following guidelines:

I. OPERATING GUIDELINES FOR THE COURT LOBBY

- No more than (2) two people shall be in the lobby at any time.
- Individuals should maintain at least six feet apart except for persons living in the same household.
- Hand sanitizer is placed in the lobby for the public use. Public restrooms are also available for hand washing.

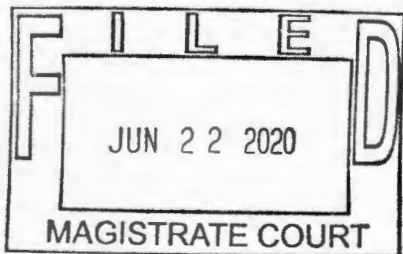
II. COURTROOM ADMISSION GUIDELINES

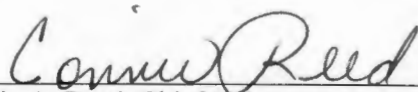
- There shall be no more than (10) ten persons inside the courtroom, including court personnel.
- Upon entering the courtroom, the sheriff's deputy shall screen all individuals for temperature of 100° or more and to confirm no individuals have been in contact or exposed to the coronavirus (COVID-19) within the last 14 days and/or displaying symptoms of the coronavirus.
- Upon entering the courtroom, individuals must sit in designated seats at least six (6) feet away from other individuals, except for, persons living in the same household.
- All individuals are asked to wear a face mask or covering while inside the courtroom.
- Court facilities will be sanitized after each case.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this order shall remain in effect until public health guidance indicates that they are no longer required.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the undersigned shall serve the Administrative Office of the Courts with a copy of this order and shall prominently post at the Magistrate Court Office building and county website.

SO ORDERED this 22nd day of June 2020.





Connie A. Reed, Chief Judge
Murray County Magistrate Court