

**PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY - COVID 19 PANDEMIC
THE DISTRICT COURT IS CLOSED THROUGH JUNE 5, 2020
BY ORDER OF THE COURT OF APPEALS**

**MANDATORY CASES HEARD DAILY
ALL HEARINGS ARE TIME LIMITED**

- BAIL REVIEWS
- BENCH WARRANTS
- BODY ATTACHMENTS
- EMERGENCY EVALUATION PETITIONS
- QUARANTINE AND ISOLATION VIOLATIONS

**REMOTE PARTICIPATION ONLY BY LAWYERS, LITIGANTS FOR THESE CASES AND
CREDENTIALLED MEMBERS OF THE MEDIA ONLY**

**EMERGENCIES HEARD IN COURT'S DISCRETION
ALL HEARINGS ARE TIME LIMITED**

- DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTIVE ORDERS
- CRIMINAL COMPETENCY
- MOTIONS REGARDING
 - EXTREME RISK PROTECTIVE ORDERS
 - DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTIVE ORDERS
 - PEACE ORDERS
 - CONTEMPT HEARINGS-PEACE AND PROTECTIVE ORDERS
 - MATTERS FOR LOCALLY INCARCERATED DEFENDANTS

YOU MAY FILE A REQUEST FOR EMERGENCY HEARING/RULING:

- PROVIDE **PHONE CONTACT**.
- A CASE WILL BE BY **PHONE OR REMOTE VIDEO (SKYPE, ETC.)**
- A CASE MAY BE **AFTER THE EMERGENCY PERIOD HAS ENDED**
- A CASE MAY BE **DECIDED WITHOUT A HEARING**.

****THE CLERK'S OFFICE IS CLOSED****

FILING PLEADINGS

US MAIL

DROP BOX 8:30 AM-4:30 PM* M-F

COMMISSIONER-4:30 PM-8:30 AM & SAT/SUN. ONLINE – 24 HOURS

MAKING PAYMENTS

US MAIL

DROP BOX 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM*M-F

ONLINE – 24 HOURS

ALL OTHER CASES ARE CONTINUED AND WILL BE RESET BY MAIL

NO BENCH WARRANT WILL ISSUED

QUESTIONS – CALL 301-563-8800 – 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM

COMMISSIONERS OFFICES ARE OPEN

Rockville - 191 E. Jefferson Street

OPEN 24/7/365

Central Processing Unit - 1307 Seven Locks Rd

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GO TO THE COMMISSIONERS OFFICE TO:

- **FILE FOR CRIMINAL CHARGES**
- **INITIAL APPEARANCE ADVICE OF RIGHTS**
- **POST BAIL/BOND**
- **SATISFY A BENCH WARRANT**
- **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTION**
- **PEACE ORDER PROTECTION**
- **EXTREME RISK PROTECTIVE ORDER PROTECTION**
- **EMERGENCY EVALUATION PETITION**

***AVOID GROUPS OF OVER 10 PEOPLE**

***REMAIN 6 FEET AWAY FROM OTHERS**

***IF YOU HAVE ANY OF THESE SYMPTOMS AND**

YOU ARE SAFE, GO HOME & CONTACT YOUR DOCTOR

- **RUNNY NOSE**
- **SORE THROAT**
- **COUGH**
- **FEVER**
- **DIFFICULTY BREATHING**

CALL 911 FOR EMERGENCY HELP

Patricia Mitchell, District Six Administrative Judge