

DISTRICT 11

DISTRICT COURT REDUCED OPERATIONS EFFECTIVE 12/29/2021

Pursuant to Chief Judge Getty's *Interim Administrative Order of December 27, 2021 Restricting Statewide Judiciary Operations in Light of the Omicron Variant of the COVID-19 Emergency*

Regardless of vaccination status, any person seeking entrance to this courthouse is:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• subject to COVID-19 screening questions• required to wear face masks or coverings | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• subject to non-contact temperature checks• required to maintain social distancing |
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Any person may be denied entrance to or required to leave this courthouse as a result of:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• refusing to comply with the requirement to wear a face mask or covering | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• refusing to maintain social distancing• failing the screening process |
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PHASE III – Open to the public

Matters to be heard by the District Court include:

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| 12/29/2021
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02/08/2022* | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bail reviews and bail reconsiderations, and bench warrants• Trials for incarcerated individuals• Trials for other criminal actions alleging violent acts• Trials for alcohol-related motor vehicle cases• Guilty pleas, with deferral of any incarceration state date considered• Hearings on petitions for mental health evaluations and competency to stand trial• Preliminary hearings• Hearings on petitions for violations of probation• Juvenile waiver hearings• Emergency evaluation petitions• Quarantine and isolation violation petitions• Body attachments• Temporary and final domestic violence, peace, and extreme risk protective orders and petitions during court hours• Temporary restraining orders• Rent escrow actions, provided local inspection practices are capable of being conducted• Tenant holding over actions and any associated warrants of restitution• Any breach of lease actions and any associated warrants of restitution• Any wrongful detainer actions and any associated warrants of restitution• Processing of warrants of restitution for failure to pay rent actions |
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The District Court Clerks' Office is open Monday – Friday from 8:30AM to 4:30PM

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(301) 600-2000

Washington County District Court
36 West Antietam Street
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Filings must be made over the counter, through the mail, or through File and Serve.
Attorneys are required to file through File and Serve.