

IN THE WICKENBURG TOWN COURT
COUNTY OF MARICOPA, STATE OF ARIZONA

In the matter of the)
Limiting Court Operations During a)
Public Health Emergency)
_____)

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
NO. 2020-002

Due to the concern for the spread of COVID-19 in the general population, the Governor of the State of Arizona declared a statewide emergency. Additionally, the Arizona Supreme Court has Issued Administrative Order 2020-197 authorizing limitations of court operations during a public health emergency.

Therefore, to avoid all in-person proceedings in the Wickenburg Municipal Court to the greatest extent possible, consistent with core constitutional rights and until further order of the Arizona Supreme Court, pursuant to Administrative Order No 2020-197.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:

- a) The Wickenburg Municipal Court will be available for in-person appearances on Mondays, from 7:00 am to 12:00 pm, effective Tuesday, December 8th through the end of December 2020.
- b) The Court will be available by phone and email from 12:00 pm Monday through Thursday.
- c) All non-jury proceedings scheduled will be changed to a telephonic appearance or video, using ZOOM.
- d) All persons with scheduled appearances are required to notify the Court of any COVID-19 symptoms or suspected exposure and to refrain from entering the Court.
- e) All persons entering the Court, without a scheduled appearance. are required to notify the Court of any COVID-19 symptoms or suspected exposure and to refrain from entering the Court.
- f) All Protective Order proceedings will proceed, with the direction that telephonic appearances are to be utilized, where feasible, until further notice.
- g) All proceedings occurring within the Court are to be conducted in a manner consistent with The Center for Disease Control's social distancing recommendations, until further notice.

IT IS FURTHER ENCOURAGED that all parties continue to work towards the resolution and settlement of cases subject to this Order.

DATED this 15th Day of December 2020.

/s/ Sherri T Rollison
Sherri T Rollison
Presiding Town Magistrate
Wickenburg Town Court