

JUDGE
JENNIFER GILLESPIE
WEEMS

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MAGISTRATE
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PUBLIC DEFENDER
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JACKSONVILLE MUNICIPAL COURT

ORDER

The public safety and health interest concerns at this time regarding the community spread of the Coronavirus pandemic (COVID-19) and the Court's response to mitigate the community spread to our citizens, employees and those required to be present in Court on May 19th, 2020 shall be reset by separate orders. This is in compliance with the Alabama Administrative Office of Courts recommendations and guidelines regarding re-opening Municipal Courts. Inmate cases will be monitored and handled as necessary. **When the Jacksonville Municipal Court resumes court dates, all attorneys, officers, parties, witnesses, and persons in the courtroom will be required to wear a mask, no exceptions.** Once court dates resume, no one will be allowed in the courtroom except for parties, witnesses and attorneys. Furthermore, once court dates resume, parties and witnesses will not be allowed to bring minor children and/or other persons into the courtroom. No purses, backpacks, or bags will be allowed into the courtroom.

Any defendants who had a payment court date for May 19th, 2020, may come to the Municipal Court Clerk's Office during normal business hours and address their payment plan or make a payment, as the Municipal Court Clerk's Office remains open to the public. Any deferred defendants who have a review set for May 19th, 2020 and have proof of completion of all requirements may come to the Municipal Court Clerk's Office during the week of May 18th through May 22nd, 2020, during normal business hours to address their case. Otherwise, deferred defendants are to call the Jacksonville Municipal Court at 256-435-6960, press any extension for a new court date. Notices for new court dates will also be sent by mail to defendants.

Ordered this 7th date of May, 2020.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jennifer Weems".

Jennifer Weems
Municipal Court Judge