ANNOUNCEMENT

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Supreme Court of Missouri has suspended all non-essential, in-person proceedings until <u>April 3, 2020.</u>

It is further ordered that the following persons shall not enter the Jasper County Courts Building, or any of its Divisions in Jasper County, Missouri:

Persons who have traveled to any foreign country within the last 14 days;

Persons who reside or have had close contact with someone who has traveled to any foreign country within the last 14 days;

Persons who have been asked to self-quarantine by any doctor, hospital or health agency;

Persons who have tested positive, been diagnosed with, or have had contact with, anyone who has been diagnosed with COVID-19; and

Persons with fevers, or unexplained coughs or shortness of breath.

- If you need information about the status of your case, please contact your attorney. If you do not have an attorney, consult Missouri case.net or contact the Circuit Clerk's Office at 417-625-4310.
- If you are seeking an Order of Protection regarding adult or child abuse, please visit the Circuit Clerk's Office, Jasper County Court's Building, 601 S. Pearl Ave., Joplin, Missouri, 3rd Floor, Room 300 or call 417-625-4310.
- For matters concerning the Jasper County Prosecutor's Office, contact that office at 417-625-4315
- If you are scheduled to meet with a Probation Officer, please contact the Missouri Board of Probation and Parole at 417-629-3200.
- For Public Defender matters, contact that office at 417-627-0467
- For the Jasper County Sheriff's Office, contact that office at 417-624-1601.

For safety reasons, these restrictions will remain in place until further order of this Court. Those individuals who think that they may have been exposed to COVID-19 should contact their healthcare provider immediately.