

DISTRICT COURT



STATE OF MICHIGAN

29th JUDICIAL DISTRICT of MICHIGAN

LAURA R. MACK

District Judge

LINDA GABLE

Court Administrator

Effective 6/8/20: In the wake of the Declaration of Emergency by Governor Whitmer regarding the COVID-19 virus, the 29th District Court will open limited hours until further notice.

All court hearings will be held via Zoom. Zoom hearings will be livestreamed to YouTube. See our website and Facebook page for more information.

Staff is available to answer phones, process payments and process new cases and pleadings. Court will answer phones Monday - Thursday from 8am-4:30pm (closed for lunch from noon to 1pm) and Friday from 8am-12pm. Court will be closed for legal holidays.

Payments can be made via credit card through <https://govpaynow.com/> using pay location code 1792. There is also a drop box on the west side of the building.

Pleadings may be faxed to 734-722-7003 or emailed to lgable@cityofwayne.com.

The following steps will be in effective immediately:

- ALL Jury trials are postponed. Court will notify parties of new date.
- ALL Trials on Criminal Cases, Informal/Formal hearings are postponed.
- All General Civil, Landlord Tenant and Small Claims including pretrials, trials, mediation and motions will be handled via video on Zoom.
- All Felony cases and all Misdemeanor cases except cases set for trials will be handled via video on Zoom.
- If you have a scheduled probation appointment, probation violation, pre-sentence investigation or alcohol assessment, please contact your probation officer directly.
- If you are ordered for drug and/or alcohol testing email your probation officer to find out if you are still required to test. JoAnn Darragh: jdarragh@18thdistrictcourt.com Purity Marsh: pmarsh@cityofwayne.com
- All parties will be notified how to access Zoom. This can be done by phone and/or video.

We understand that this is a unique and unprecedented situation and want to do everything we can to ensure the safety the general public and our court employees.

If you have any questions or concerns, contact the court as soon as possible at (734)722-5220.