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UPDATED: Troup County State Court Extends Rescheduled Court Sessions

Troup County, Ga. April 15, 2020 – Due to the growing concerns of Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) and the extended Statewide Judicial Emergency in the State of Georgia, the following Troup County State Court changes have been updated to currently scheduled sessions.

All non-essential court functions are suspended for Troup County, effective March 16, 2020. At this point, all non-essential court is postponed until after May 13, 2020, and all cases are hereby re-noticed as follows. All of these dates are subject to future changes due to the Statewide Judicial Emergency. Defendants should notify the Clerk of Court's Office of any future home address changes to ensure proper delivery of notice. Future notices will also be posted online via the Troup County website at www.troupcountyga.gov.

March 30, 2020 pre-trials are rescheduled to May 20, 2020. Any individuals who require a lawyer and do not have one yet should be advised to acquire one before May 20, 2020. For those in need of a public defender, please contact 706-298-2701. All lawyers should be advised to communicate with State Court Judge Jeanette Little concerning further instructions.

April 2, 2020 and May 7, 2020 traffic court is rescheduled to June 4, 2020; however, most cases may be resolved by online payment at www.troupclerkofcourts.com or by calling 1-866-339-0646. If you are not represented by counsel and would like to discuss your case, you may contact the Solicitor's office at (706) 883-1726.

April 3, 2020 and May 1, 2020 non-English arraignment and status calls are rescheduled to June 5, 2020.

April 6, 2020 arraignments are rescheduled to June 30, 2020 for those with last names A-L only and July 1, 2020 for those with last names M-Z only. On June 30, 2020, those with last names A-F will be scheduled at 9:00AM, while those with last names G-L will be scheduled at 1:30PM. On July 1, 2020, those with last names M-O will be scheduled at 9:00AM, while those with last names P-Z will be scheduled at 1:30PM.

April 20, 2020 arraignments are rescheduled to June 16, 2020 for those with last names A-L only and June 17, 2020 for those with last name M-Z only. On June 16, 2020, those with last names A-F will be scheduled at 9:00AM, while those with last names G-L will be scheduled at 1:30PM. On June 17, 2020, those with last names M-O will be scheduled at 9:00AM, while those with last names P-Z will be scheduled at 1:30PM.

All pending probation revocations are rescheduled to May 19, 2020.

April 29, 2020 bench trials are rescheduled for May 27, 2020.

May 4, 2020 arraignments are rescheduled to July 16, 2020. Arraignments for those with last names A-L only begin at 9:00AM; those with last names M-Z only begin at 1:30PM.

Next scheduled jury trials are June 8, 2020.

For additional questions, please contact the Troup County Clerk of Court's Office at (706) 883-1740, Troup County Court Services at (706) 883-2170, or the Judge's Chambers at (706) 883-1727 during normal business hours, Monday-Friday from 8:00AM-5:00PM. Please be sure to leave a message as many employees are working from home, but voice messages will be checked.

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