

COVID-19 Coronavirus Statement

Effective 4:00 p.m. on March 16, 2020, the Cass County Courthouse and Sheriff's annex will be closed to the public until further notice. Preventative measures are being administered to protect the staff, as well as the public, from the spread of the COVID-19 Coronavirus.

Per an Administrative Order of the 8th Judicial Circuit, Cass County No. 20-CA-29, only the following court proceedings will be held as scheduled with appearances expected for all litigants.

- All matters with individuals in-custody including bond court
- Criminal felony matters
- Juvenile temporary custody (shelter care)
- Juvenile detention hearings
- Petitions for Emergency Orders of Protection
- Hearings for Plenary Orders of Protection
- Emergency hearings on family matters (D and F cases) as scheduled by the Court
- Any other emergency hearing as schedule by the Judge assigned

In those cases that you have a court appearance scheduled for a felony and believe that you are at risk to the public or staff it is asked that you call the courthouse prior to your scheduled appearance.

If you believe that you have business that must be conducted within the courthouse, please contact the appropriate office at the number listed below and guidance will be given on how to proceed.

Grace period voting will still be allowed at the Cass County Clerk's office on Election Day. On election night, the courthouse will be open to election personnel only. As precinct results are tallied, the results will be posted on the north courthouse door. You may also contact the County Clerk's office at the number listed below to obtain results.

We understand that this is going to create an inconvenience, and ask that you work with us to help protect the staff and citizens.

Cass County Clerk's Office- 217-452-2277 Ext 4
Cass County Treasurer's Office- 217-452-2277 Ext 1
Cass County Circuit Clerk's Office-217-452-2277 Ext 2
Cass County State's Attorney's Office-217-452-2277 Ext 6
Supervisor of Assessment's-217-452-2277 Ext 5
Public Defender's Office 217-452-2277 Ext 316

Thank you for your cooperation.