

STANDING ORDER FOR HEARINGS No. 3

The Court enters this Standing Order to comply with the current orders from the Supreme Court, Court of Criminal Appeals and the Governor and directive from the Office of Court Administration. This Standing Order for Hearings No. 3 replaces the prior Standing Order for Temporary Orders Hearing and Standing Order for Hearings No. 2.

The Court will conduct all hearings by Zoom, unless set otherwise by the Court. UPON REQUEST FOR SETTING OR WITHIN 3 DAYS AFTER SETTING BY THE COURT COUNSELL SHALL INFORM THE COURT IN WRITING AS TO WHETHER A ZOOM HEARING OR HEARING IN THE COURTROOM IS REQUESTED; IF A COURTROOM HEARING IS REQUESTED COUNSEL SHOULD BRIEFLY EXPLAIN WHY A ZOOM HEARING IS NOT PRACTICAL

The Court's Zoom channel on YouTube is 121st District Court.

In order to conduct a visual Zoom hearing, each participant must have a computer or smart phone with webcam capabilities and an email address for notification from the Court. If a party does not have access then the party is to inform the Court not less than 3 days after receipt of notice of the setting date and time. (If no one is available leave a message with your contact information).

It is FURTHER ORDERED that, all parties shall notify the Court of their email address and phone number and the email address of all witnesses appearing by Zoom, not later than 1 business day prior to the hearing date. If there is not confirmed contact by the Court as Ordered herein or if the party upon confirmation of contact information fails to appear by Zoom or phone at the date and time of the hearing, the Court will conduct the hearing by Zoom and the party will be found to be in default.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the Court will consider testimony of the parties, affidavits of other witnesses and any other sworn statement provided to the Court.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that each party submit to the court it's Exhibits by email to jadidway@terrycounty.org; in the subject line include the style of the case and cause number; pre-number each exhibit and attach separately to the email; and, all exhibits shall be in one email. If an exhibit cannot be submitted by email, it is to be delivered to the Court prior to the hearing.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the District Clerk shall refer to this Order in and serve the Order, with any precept for any hearing noticed by the Clerk.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that if there is any conflict between this Order and any order setting hearing or temporary restraining order, this order shall govern; and this order is subject to a case by case modification on showing of good cause.

The Courts contact phone number is (806) 637-7742, email jadidway@terrycounty.org and its mailing address in 500 West Main Street, Rm 305W, Brownfield, TX 79316.

This above order applies, unless otherwise ordered by the Court after the date hereof.

Dated: June 9, 2020 .



John A. Didway, Judge Presiding