

**DISTRICT COURT**



**SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, STATE OF OKLAHOMA  
OKLAHOMA COUNTY COURTHOUSE  
OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA 73102**

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE –**

**Oklahoma County Non-Emergency Hearings Continued and Filing Deadlines  
in Civil cases extended**

Due to the First Emergency Joint Order Regarding the COVID-19 State of Disaster issued by Chief Justice Noma D. Gurich, Oklahoma Supreme Court and Presiding Judge David B. Lewis, Oklahoma Court of Criminal Appeals the following steps are being taken in Oklahoma County District Court.

All non-emergency hearings are being continued for 30-45 days. The staff of the Judge assigned to hear your case will call you with a new date. You may also call your Judge's office to request a new hearing date if you do not hear from them. No new non-emergency hearings will be set for at least 30-45 days.

The Joint Order extended the statute of limitation for 30 days from March 16, 2020. Please do not come to the Courthouse to file new non-emergency cases for 30 days.

For further information, please contact Oklahoma County Trial Court Administrator, Renée Troxell, at 405-713-1423.

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**All Oklahoma County Jury Trials scheduled for March 23 and April 6, 2020  
are Cancelled**

Due to states of emergency declared by National, State, and City governments, Oklahoma County Presiding Judge Ray C. Elliott has announced the cancellation of Oklahoma County jury trials set for the weeks of March 23 and April 6, 2020.

If you received a jury summons from the Oklahoma County Court Clerk to appear for jury duty on those dates you are excused from service. You do not need to appear or to call the Jury clerk. You may be called at a later date for jury service.

Presiding Judge Elliott will continue to monitor the situation and is committed to ensuring the safety of our citizens while balancing the needs of those requiring Court services.

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