

TWENTIETH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
State of Illinois

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St. Clair County Court Response to COVID-19 Emergency/Impact on Court Proceedings

Considering the COVID-19 positivity rates in St. Clair County and in order to ensure the safety of the general public, court personnel and the judiciary, the directives listed below shall be in effect until Monday, January 31, 2022.

1. All traffic and misdemeanor matters in St. Clair County, Illinois are hereby continued and those courtrooms are closed for public business, including the satellite courtrooms in East St. Louis and Fairview Heights, until Monday, January 31, 2022 at 9 AM. Parties will receive new notices to appear via U.S. Mail.
2. All in-court proceedings are to be limited to essential matters and parties are encouraged to utilize remote proceedings when appropriate until January 31, 2022 at 9 AM.
3. All eviction, mortgage foreclosure and small claims matters that require personal appearances are hereby continued until January 31, 2022 at 9 AM. Parties will receive new notices via U.S. Mail. All cases that are scheduled for mediation (via Zoom with remote appearances) will proceed as scheduled.
4. No marriages or civil union ceremonies will be conducted until January 31, 2022.
5. All questions related to any court matters shall be directed to the Office of the St. Clair County Circuit Clerk.