

ORDER REGARDING EMERGENCY TEMPORARY MEASURES

The Prescott Municipal Court is issuing the orders described below to provide procedures and directions for proceedings and essential functions in the court during the next several weeks. The guidelines are emergency and temporary measures and ONLY effective from March 23, 2020 until May 30, 2020 or upon further order of the Court.

The World Health Organization declared a global pandemic of COVID-19 due to widespread human infection worldwide. We are committed to open access to our courts and service to the public, and to protect the health and safety of the litigants, judges, court staff and security, attorneys, other participants in the court proceedings, and all other persons in the court facilities.

THE PRESCOTT MUNICIPAL COURT HEREBY ORDERS:

1. There shall be no Trials held on, or before, May 30, 2020.
2. Effective March 23, 2020, all traffic, ordinance, and juvenile intake dates are suspended. Any previously filed citations will be adjourned/continued until June 16, 2020, or upon further order of the Court.
3. All Pre-Trials are adjourned/continued until June 9, 2020, or upon further order of the Court.
4. All, Initial Appearances, Indigency hearings, Judicial Review hearings and Deferment Court Review hearings are adjourned/continued until June 16, 2020, or upon further order of the Court.

Dated this 23rd day of March, 2020

BY THE COURT:



The Honorable R. Patrick Eich
Municipal Court Judge
City of Prescott, Wisconsin