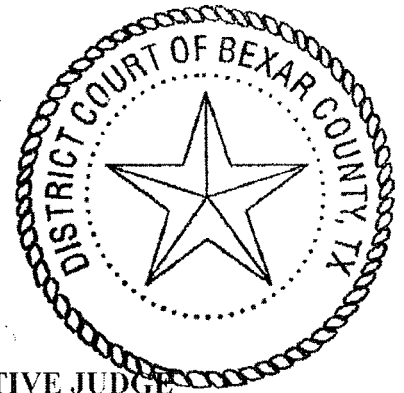


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SPECIAL ORDER NO. _____

IN THE STATE OF TEXAS §
 §
COUNTY OF BEXAR §



**ORDER OF THE BEXAR COUNTY LOCAL ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE
SUSPENDING JURY SERVICE UNTIL MARCH 14, 2022**

While the Covid-19 positivity rate is currently falling in Bexar County from unprecedented highs, the rate remains far above the level considered appropriate for resuming public gatherings such as jury trials. The local health authority advises that the number of Bexar County Covid-19 infections is likely to remain above the desired level on March 1, 2022. After careful deliberation and consultation with the local health authority, and in an abundance of caution, the Court has determined the best course of action is to continue the current suspension of jury service through March 11, 2022. It is anticipated that in-person jury trials will resume on March 14, 2022.

Therefore, by authority of the Texas Supreme Court's 45th Emergency Order and as described in Attorney General Opinion KP-0322, it is HEREBY ORDERED that in person jury service in Bexar County will continue to be suspended through March 11, 2022.

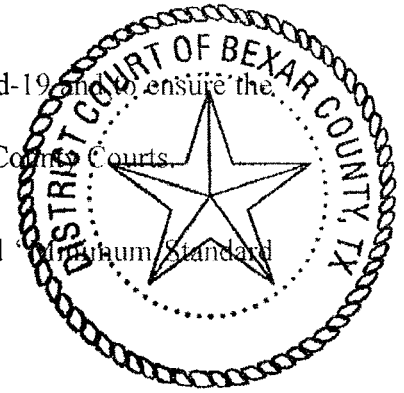
Per the Protocols and based on the continuing Severe Risk Level of the City, all persons entering for court business the Bexar County Courthouse, the Cadena Reeves Justice Center, the Paul Elizondo Tower, the Tejeda Juvenile Justice Center, the 600 Mission Rd. Building (386th District Court), all Justice of the Peace buildings, and any building housing any specialty courts are required to wear face coverings. Further, it is strongly encouraged that all courts consider moving, as much as possible, to remote proceedings.

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This measure is taken in an effort to reduce the spread of the Covid-19 and ensure the health and safety of all courtroom participants and visitors entering Bexar County Courts.

Special Order No. 72711, issued December 17, 2021 and entitled "Minimum Standard Health Protocols For Bexar County Court Proceedings", remains in effect.



Lastly, anyone who is eligible for the vaccine or any recommended booster and has not yet been vaccinated or received the booster is strongly encouraged to do so. For more information about how to obtain a vaccine visit <https://covid19.sanantonio.gov/What-YOU-Can-Do/Vaccination#get-vaccinated> or call 210-207- 6000 and select option 8 for the Covid-19 hotline.

This order will take effect immediately and expires on March 11, 2022 at midnight, and replaces the prior order scheduled to expire on March 1, 2022. Signed, Entered and Ordered this the 11th day of February, 2022.

Hon. Rosie Alvarado,
Judge of the 438th District Court and
Local Administrative Judge for the Bexar
County Courts

Case Number: 72729

CERTIFIED COPY CERTIFICATE STATE OF TEXAS
I, MARY ANGIE GARCIA, BEXAR COUNTY DISTRICT
CLERK, CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE
AND CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL RECORD AS
INDICATED BY THE VOLUME, PAGE AND COURT ON
SAID DOCUMENT. WITNESSED MY OFFICIAL HAND
AND SEAL OF OFFICE ON THIS:



February 11, 2022

**MARY ANGIE GARCIA,
BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS**

By: _____

ERIC GLORIA, Deputy District Clerk
(NOT VALID WITHOUT THE CLERKS'S ORIGINAL SIGNATURE.)