

Circuit Court Judges

Michael P. Hatty, Chief Judge
Circuit and District Courts

L. Suzanne Geddis
Matthew J. McGivney



Livingston County Trial Courts
204 S. HIGHLANDER WAY, HOWELL, MI 48843

Probate Court Judge

Miriam A. Cavanaugh, Chief Judge

District Court Judges

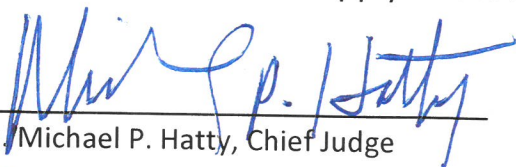
Shauna N. Murphy
Daniel B. Bain

*****EMERGENCY NOTICE*****

In the wake of the Declaration of Emergency by Governor Whitmer regarding the spread of the COVID-19 virus, until further notice, the Livingston County Courts *will remain open*, but the following intermediate steps *will be immediately in effect*:

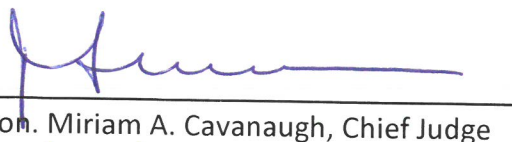
- 1) All hearings with vulnerable persons may be adjourned (postponed) upon request and with approval by the Court. The request must be initiated by or on behalf of the vulnerable person.
- 2) Requests to appear by electronic communications will be liberally granted whenever possible. The request must be initiated by an interested party.
- 3) Any civil case (Circuit or District) or any Probate case may be adjourned upon the request of any party and with approval by the Court. The request must be initiated by or on behalf of the party making the request.
- 4) All civil jury trials will be adjourned until further notice.
- 5) Person to person contact is being limited for the safety of the public and Court staff. Persons having business with the Courts are encouraged to utilize alternative resources such as email, fax, telephone, and court website if possible. Circuit and District Court filings may be done by fax. All payments may be made online.

*****These apply to the Livingston County Courts only*****



Hon. Michael P. Hatty, Chief Judge

3-13-2020
Date



Hon. Miriam A. Cavanaugh, Chief Judge

3/13/2020
Date

REQUESTS TO ADJOURN/POSTPONE Court proceedings may be made by calling the following:

44th Circuit Court:

Hon. Michael P. Hatty Chambers: (517) 540-7570
Hon. L. Suzanne Geddis Chambers: (517) 540-7576
Hon. Matthew J. McGivney Chambers: (517) 540-8904
Hon. Miriam A. Cavanaugh Chambers: (517) 540-7751

53rd District Court:

Hon. Shauna N. Murphy Chambers: (517) 540-7635
Barb McInnes, Judicial Secretary:
bmcinnes@livgov.com
Hon. Daniel B. Bain Chambers: (517) 540- 7644
Tammi Morris, Judicial Secretary:
tmorris@livgov.com

Livingston County Juvenile Court

Juvenile Court: (517) 546-1500

Livingston County Probate Court

Probate Court: (517) 540-7360

Friend of the Court:

Friend of the Court Reception: (877) 543-2660

Court Administration:

Trial Court Administrator, Roberta Sacharski: (517) 540-7814
Juvenile & Probate Court Administrator, Debby Shaw: (517) 540-7739
District Court Administrator, Marisa Lutz: (517) 540-7637
mlutz@livgov.com

It is *NOT* necessary to appear in person to request an adjournment.

Those individuals who fail to appear without having contacted the Court first, may be defaulted in civil cases, or have a bench warrant issued in criminal cases.