

IN THE DISTRICT COURTS OF THE 19<sup>th</sup> JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER )  
IN RE: )  
CLOSING OF )  
THE BRYAN COUNTY COURTHOUSE )

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**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER REGARDING THE CLOSING OF  
THE BRYAN COUNTY COURTHOUSE**

The President of the United States and the Governor of Oklahoma have both issued executive orders regarding the COVID-19 public health pandemic. Additionally, the Bryan County Commissioners have ordered that the Bryan County Courthouse be closed until further notice. Accordingly, by order of the Chief Judge for the 19<sup>th</sup> Judicial District of Oklahoma, no person may enter the door and access the Bryan County Courthouse, 402 West Evergreen Street, Durant, Oklahoma, unless they fall into one of the following categories:

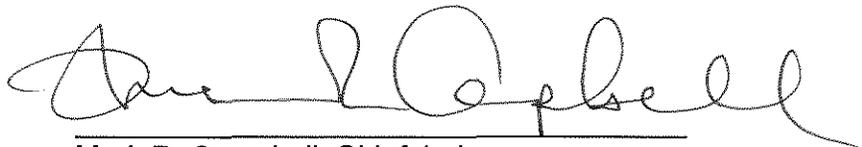
- Judges or their staff.
- Elected officials of Bryan County or their staff, by appointment
- Attorneys who are involved in a criminal case where the defendant is in the custody of the Bryan County Jail, and have that case scheduled for hearing.
- Law enforcement officers, by appointment.

**No other persons are permitted in the Bryan County Courthouse until further notice.** This does not apply to the Election Board.

Any attorney or other person needing to file a lawsuit or any other document(s) should contact the Bryan County Court Clerk about filing electronically. The exception to this is that any person may contact the Bryan County Court Clerk at (580) 924-1446 about filing a protective order application. The person seeking a protective order will be met in front of the courthouse by a member of the Court Clerk's staff.

Any attorney or other person needing a signature of a judge should make every effort to obtain the signature electronically from the judge by email, and then email the document(s) to the Court Clerk for filing. All electronic documents must be in PDF format.

Now on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2020,  
IT IS SO ORDERED!



Mark R. Campbell, Chief Judge  
19<sup>th</sup> Judicial District of Oklahoma