

STATE OF INDIANA ) IN THE MARION CIRCUIT COURT
) SS:
COUNTY OF MARION ) 19th JUDICIAL COURT

Myron A. Eldredge
CLERK OF THE MARION CIRCUIT COURT

AMENDED ORDER ON PROTECTIVE FACIAL COVERINGS AND SOCIAL DISTANCING

WHEREAS, the Marion Circuit and Superior Courts have implemented operational changes in response to the COVID-19 public health emergency over the two years including an Order on Protective Facial Coverings and Six (6) Foot Distancing issued on January 5, 2022 and

WHEREAS, the Marion Circuit Court Judge and Marion Superior Court Executive Committee Judges, jointly, find it is in the best interests of the public and employees and now FINDS, and ORDERS as follows:

- (1) The City-County Building, Juvenile Justice Complex, and Community Justice Center are all considered a "Courthouse."
(2) All individuals entering the Courthouse are encouraged to follow CDC guidelines regarding appropriate mask wearing and social distancing based on their own personal vaccination status and health situation. This recommendation applies to all Courthouse areas EXCEPT the following:
a. All individuals involved in a jury trial, including but not limited to: the judicial officer, court staff, witnesses, attorneys, parties, members of the public, prospective jurors and court security, must wear a mask throughout the jury proceedings. Masks must be worn in the Public Assembly Room or any other "pre-trial location" in the City-County Building or Community Justice Center while prospective jurors are present, in the courtroom during all jury trial proceedings, and in the jury deliberation room while jurors are present.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that effective February 22, 2022, the previous protective facial coverings and social distancing orders are amended for all Courthouse facilities.

SO ORDERED on this 16th day of February, 2022.

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Tiffany U. Vivo, Judge Marion Circuit Court

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