

STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF RAPIDES
PINEVILLE CITY COURT

In Re:

**COURT OPERATIONS UNDER THE
EXIGENT CIRCUMSTANCES
CREATED BY COVID-19
(CORONAVIRUS)**

ORDER

Acting under the authority of Article V, Section 1 of Constitution of 1974, and the inherent power of this Court, and considering the recent outbreak of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) in Louisiana, Governor John Bel Edwards' Declaration of Public Health Emergency in Proclamation Number JBE 2020-30.

Section 5:A.of JBE 2020-30, which states legal deadlines, including liberative prescription and preemptive periods applicable to legal proceedings in all courts, administrative agencies, and boards, are hereby suspended until at least Monday, April 13, 2020.

And section 5:C. Of JBE 2020-30, which states Courts, administrative agencies and boards statewide shall use due diligence in communicating with attorneys, parties to proceedings with pending deadlines, and the public how the court, agency or board will implement and interpret the provisions of this Order.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

Legal deadlines, including liberative prescription and preemptive periods applicable to legal proceedings, are hereby suspended until at least Monday, April 13, 2020, which shall also suspend all **SERVICE OF PROCESS** that are executed by the Marshal's Office.

Dated this 19th day of March, 2020.

Jan K. Harp