## 29TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT PARISH OF ST. CHARLES STATE OF LOUISIANA

## EMERGENCY CLOSURE ORDER HURRICANE SALLY

Acting in accordance with the Louisiana Constitution Article V, Section I, the inherent power of this Court and La. R.S. 1:55(E)(2),

Whereas, the local governing authority has issued a mandatory evacuation of St. Charles Parish and the National Weather Service anticipate severe tropical weather impacting the St. Charles Parish on September 14, 2020 through September 16, 2020;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the 29<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Court for the Parish of St. Charles shall be closed on Monday, September 14, 2020 and will remain closed on Tuesday, September 15, 2020. Resumption of normal operations during regular business hours on Wednesday, September 16, 2020 shall be contingent upon weather conditions and infrastructure impact from the tropical weather system. Litigants, court staff, members of the Bar, and the general public should monitor <u>www.29thjdc.org</u> for further information.

IT IS FURTHER HEREBY ORDERED that in accordance with La. R.S. 1:55(E)(2) the Clerk of Court for the Parish of St. Charles shall have published as soon as possible a legal notice in all of the official parish journals within the district setting forth the dates of closure, the hour of closure if applicable, the reasons for closure, and a statement that, pursuant to R.S. 1:55(E)(3), these days or parts of days were legal holidays. The Clerk shall attach a similar statement to every document, petition, or pleading filed in the Office of the Clerk on the first day or part of a day his office is open after being closed under the provisions of this paragraph, whether the petition or document relates to a cause of action, right of appeal, or other matters against which prescription could have run or times periods imposed by law could have expired.

Hahnville, Louisiana this 13th day of September 2020.