3-13-20 - Notice Regarding COVID-19 (the "Novel Coronavirus") and Court and Probation Operations:

The Court and Probation Offices will remain open but, in the interest of public safety, all non-essential operations will be limited through May 31, 2020. Notices will be sent in cases that are rescheduled.

We understand there is concern about COVID-19 and the 20th Judicial District is requesting that you **PLEASE DO NOT COME TO THE COURTHOUSES OR PROBATION** if:

- (1) you have been diagnosed with COVID-19 ("Novel Coronavirus") and you have not received a subsequent test confirming that you are currently virus-free;
- (2) you have been in direct contact with someone who has been diagnosed with COVID-19 within the past fourteen days;
- (3) you are experiencing a fever, cough, shortness of breath, or any other respiratory illness symptoms.

If any of these three criteria apply, please call the Clerk's Office at (303) 441-3750 to reschedule your court date or request to appear by telephone if you are not represented by an attorney, or contact your attorney to file a request for a continuance or a telephone appearance. If you are subpoenaed as a witness in a case, please contact the attorney or party issuing the subpoena to explain the circumstances and discuss the options available.

If you are summoned to report for jury duty, please contact the Jury Commissioner at (303) 441-4732 to reschedule your jury service.

Please call to reschedule appointments with the following departments:

Probation department: (303) 441-4730

Collections: (303) 441-3750

Updates on court operations will be posted at (www.courts.state.co.us).

Until further notice, the court will permit persons to wear surgical masks and gloves in court and probation buildings if they so desire. Persons may also bring small plastic containers of hand sanitizer into court and probation buildings.

The following sources should be frequently consulted to determine the most current information. If you have symptoms and think you have been exposed, call a health care provider.

- Boulder County Health Department: 303-441-1100 https://www.bouldercounty.org/departments/public-health/
- o Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDHPE)

- www.cdphe.state.co.us
- o CO HELP: COVID-19 hotline: 303-389-1687 or 1-877-462-2911 https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdphe/2019-novel-coronavirus
- o Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)
 - www.cdc.gov
 - COVID-19 link: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/
- o Local area newspapers
- Local area radio stations