IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI AT KANSAS CITY

In Re: Reporting to Jackson County Detention Center for Sentences of Less than Seven Days

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2020-192

ORDER

- **WHEREAS**, the existence and spread of the COVID-19 virus resulted in a world-wide pandemic; and
- **WHEREAS**, it has been and remains imperative to take steps to protect the health and safety of the public as well as all employees of the 16th Judicial Circuit; and
- **WHEREAS**, it is appropriate and necessary to continue to take action to reduce the exposure and spread of COVID-19; and
- **WHEREAS**, the unprecedented circumstances existing at this time warrant this administrative action; and
- **WHEREAS**, Administrative Orders 2020-063 and 2020-121 were previously entered to address the issue and topic included in this Administrative Order. Administrative Order 2020-121 superseded Administrative Order 2020-063. The prior Administrative Orders included specific lengths of time for the stay on reporting to remain in place and further stated that they were subject to review or modification; and
- **WHEREAS**, the Presiding Judge of the 16th Judicial Circuit has general administrative authority over the Circuit.
- **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED**, that, effective immediately, Administrative Order 2020-121 is superseded by this Administrative Order.
- **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that for all defendants in the 16th Judicial Circuit who have been sentenced to commitment in the Jackson County Detention Center ("JCDC") for a period of seven consecutive days or less but have not yet reported to JCDC, the surrender date for the defendant to report to the JCDC shall be as follows:
 - 1. If the original surrender date (or the date the defendant was ordered to report) to JCDC was any day in the months of March, April, May or June 2020, any such defendant should have already surrendered/reported to JCDC prior to the date of this Administrative Order. If any such defendant did not report as Ordered and scheduled, said defendant will be subject to further action by the Court as deemed appropriate by the assigned judicial officer.

- 2. If the original surrender date (or the date the defendant is/was ordered to report) to JCDC is/was any day in July, 2020, that surrender/report date shall be stayed and the defendant shall surrender/report to JCDC on November 13, 2020.
- 3. If the original surrender date (or the date the defendant is ordered to report) to JCDC is any day starting in August, September, October or November, 2020, that surrender/report date shall be stayed and the defendant shall surrender/report to JCDC on the date that is 120 days after the original ordered surrender/report date.
- 4. If the original surrender date (or the date the defendant is ordered to report) to JCDC is any day starting December 1, 2020 or later, that surrender/report date shall be stayed and the defendant shall surrender/report to JCDC on the date that is 120 days after the original ordered surrender/report date.
- IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Administrative Order applies to standard incarceration sentences of seven consecutive days or less and orders of "shock time" incarceration of seven consecutive days or less.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Administrative Order will remain in effect until the end of the day on March 12, 2021, unless modified, amended or extended.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

November 12, 2020

Date

David M. Byrn, Presideg Judge

cc: All 16th Circuit Judges and Commissioners

Court Administrator Jackson County Sheriff Director of Corrections County Executive County Administrator

Michelle Bygan