

**IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
OF FLORIDA**

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF JUDGE

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2020-04
FIRST AMENDMENT**

IN RE: CLOSURE PROCEDURES IN RESPONSE TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

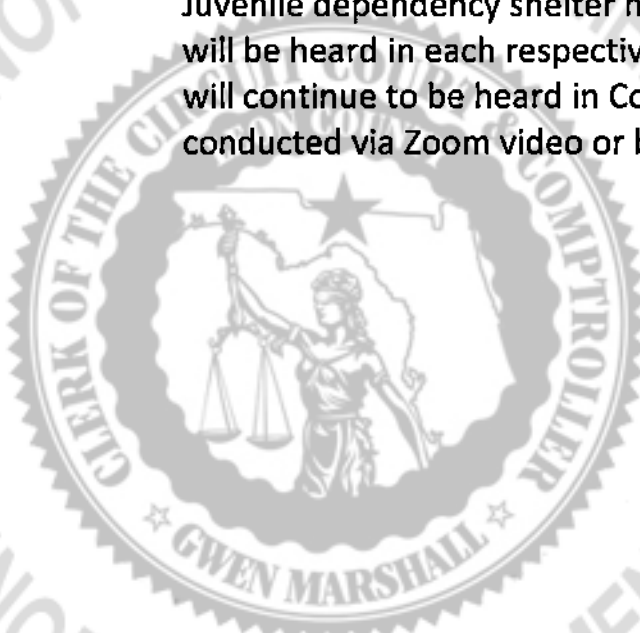
WHEREAS, by the authority of Rule 2.215, Florida Rules of Judicial Administration, Florida Supreme Court AOSC20-23, Amendment 6, and Florida Supreme Court AOSC20-32, Amendment 3; and

WHEREAS, Second Circuit Administrative Order 2020-04 provided initial guidance for court operations in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, but that guidance requires updating as the situation evolves;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED,

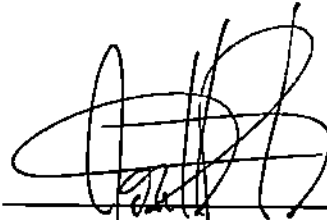
Paragraph III is amended as follows:

III. Juvenile Dependency Shelter Hearing Procedures (all counties). Juvenile dependency shelter hearings, conducted Monday through Friday will be heard in each respective county; all weekend and holiday hearings will continue to be heard in Courtroom 2D at 8:30 AM. All hearings shall be conducted via Zoom video or by telephone.



This amendment is effective September 21, 2020.

IT **DONE and ORDERED** in chambers in Tallahassee, Leon County, Florida, this day of September, 2020.



JONATHAN SJOSTROM
Chief Judge

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