

Due to health and safety concern regarding the coronavirus (COVID-19) and to limit exposure and spread of the disease, the Justice of the Peace, will have extremely limited operations until further notice.

Court staff will be available Monday-Friday 8 am - 5 pm by phone and email. There will not be any walk-in assistance at this time.

To insure you do not miss a court notice, please contact the court (806-553-2860 x2 or armstrongjp@co.armstrong.tx.us) and verify your current mailing address, contact phone number, and email address.

TICKETS/CLASS C MISDEMEANORS

For traffic/Class C citations with an appearance date after March 16, 2020, the appearance date will be extended to May 8, 2020. Defendants should check the court's website weekly for an update on appearance dates.

If you must make a payment, we encourage the following payment options: (1) payment with credit card, online. Call the court for the website and information needed to make an online payment. (2) If you're not able to make an online payment, you may pay with a money order by mailing to PO Box 539, Claude, TX 79019. Please write your case number and name on the money order. You may also bring it to the office and slip under the door. Call the Court if you need your case number

TRUANT CONDUCT OR STUDENT-RELATED CASES

Cases involving students or Truant Conduct hearings are cancelled through April 13, 2020 or until further notice. The court will notify all parties of the new court dates, once they have been re-docketed.

CIVIL CASES (DEBT CLAIMS, SMALL CLAIMS, EVICTIONS, ETC.)

All civil hearings (including debt claim, small claim and eviction cases) are canceled until the State of Disaster is lifted at which time the court will reschedule hearings and will send notice to parties by mail. (June 1, 2020)

If you are a landlord: If you are filing a new eviction case, please be advised that the normal time frames for holding the eviction hearing will be extended to a date after the State of Disaster is lifted. The court will not issue any citations for service on eviction cases during this time.

Writs of Possession may be requested, but will not be issued until after May 8, 2020.

OTHER CASE OR CIRCUMSTANCES

Contact the court if you have any questions or concerns about your case or circumstance.