

## Administrative Order

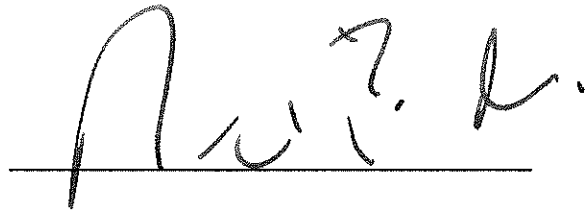
WHEREAS, The Missouri Supreme Court on May 28, 2021 issued Revised COVID-19 Directives dealing with the operation of the Court's which supersedes the March 26, 2021 Order and Rescinds the May 13, 2020, May 20, 2020 and April 6, 2021 Orders, and

WHEREAS, The May 28, 2021 Supreme Court Order provides for the Presiding Judge to exercise discretion in determining precautionary measures dealing with COVID-19, and

THEREFORE, Effective September 10, 2021 the Presiding Judge hereby Orders that the Rooney Justice Center and all of the other Judicial buildings in the 7th Circuit shall follow current CDC guidelines regarding the wearing of mask.

All unvaccinated persons shall wear a mask at all times while indoors. Vaccinated people are not required to wear a mask. Each Judge shall determine if individuals who are testifying or questioning a witness shall be allowed to remove their mask during the questioning and testifying.

Social distancing is highly encouraged. Anyone, regardless of vaccination status, is encouraged to wear a mask in the event that social distancing is not possible.



David P. Chamberlain  
Presiding Judge



Date