

LORI MARTIN

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Effective March 20, 2020 the Clare County Clerk and Register of Deeds Office will be closing services to the public until further notice. This means the public will be asked to do the following:

- 1. All Register of Deeds, vital records, and election business will be conducted via postal mail, online, email, fax or phone only. Appointments will be made at the discretion of the Clerk/Register Lori Martin only on an <u>emergency</u> need basis.
- 2. At this time, the Circuit Court will run only the cases required by law. If your hearing is canceled for any reason, you will be notified. If you have an attorney, we encourage you to stay in contact with them, as they will receive all notices from the court pertaining to your case.
- 3. If you are a Circuit Court March Juror please continue calling in as directed. All Circuit Court April Jurors please begin calling per your summons. Any and all instructions, updates or cancellations will be noted on the Jury Line recording at 989-539-7061.
- 4. If you are need of an emergency hearing, please call my office 989-539-7131, if no one answers, please leave a message and someone will return you call as soon as possible.
- 5. If you are in need of a Personal Protection Order (PPO) and are able to receive and print paperwork via email you can contact our office and we will exchange documents electronically. If you do not have electronic means you can pick a packet up in the Clare County Sheriff's Dept. lobby during normal business hours. There are exact instructions on how to return the packet to my office for review by a Judge.

A list of departments, their contact information and their general resources and services is located at www.clareco.net for your convenience.

The Clare County Clerk/Register of Deeds office is taking all possible preventative measures against COVID – 19 to ensure the health and safety of our employees and the residents of our community.

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