



**THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
OF MICHIGAN**

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**STATE OF MICHIGAN  
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**SUBJECT: PUBLIC ACCESS TO FAMILY JUVENILE PROCEEDINGS RECORDED  
VIA ZOOM**

**IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

1. This docket directive issued in accordance with Michigan Court Rule 8.110 (C)(2)(c), sets forth rules for limiting the YouTube public broadcast of Family Juvenile proceedings.
2. Pursuant to MCR 3.925(A), Juvenile proceedings on the formal calendar and preliminary hearings shall be open to the public.
3. A Juvenile Judge or Referee may record the Juvenile proceeding to Zoom.
4. The live or recorded Juvenile proceeding will not be broadcast on YouTube.
5. The public is allowed access to Juvenile proceedings pursuant to MCR 3.925(A).
6. The Zoom video recording of the proceeding will be preserved for public access for 24 hours, upon request, in compliance with MCR 3.925(A).
7. Requests to view a Zoom video recording shall be directed to the Director of Case Processing and Court Reporting.
8. After the 24 hour period has expired, the public may request a typed transcript of the proceeding as the video recording of the Juvenile proceeding will not be available for viewing.

9. The transcript will be typed and provided after payment for the transcript. Instructions for requesting a transcript can be found at:  
<http://www.3rdcc.org/administration/court-reporting-services/family-juvenile/requests-for-transcript>

The Wayne County Clerk, the Third Circuit Court Case Processing Department, and the Third Circuit Court Information Technology Systems Bureau are directed to take the steps necessary to accomplish this Directive.

  
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Hon. Timothy M. Kenny, Chief Judge  
Third Judicial Circuit of Michigan

**Dated: June 25, 2020**