

HEARING OFFICER CONFERENCES

UPDATE AS OF MARCH 23, 2020: Pursuant to the "**THIRD SUPPLEMENTAL 15th JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT EMERGENCY ORDER RELATIVE TO COVID-19 PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY**", which expires on April 9, 2020, at 5:00 p.m. unless extended, please note the following:

1. Protective Order hearings in Lafayette Parish scheduled during the existence of the Emergency Order will be rescheduled to Thursday, April 16 and Friday, April 17, 2020 at 8:30 a.m. Parties and attorneys will be notified by the Clerk of the date and time of the hearing;
2. Protective Order hearings in Acadia Parish scheduled during the existence of the Emergency Order will be rescheduled to April 17 and 24, 2020. Parties and attorneys will be notified by the Clerk of the date and time of the hearing;
3. Protective Orders in Vermilion Parish scheduled during the existence of the Emergency Order will be rescheduled to April 14, 2020. Parties and attorneys will be notified by the Clerk of the date and time of the hearing;
4. Abbreviated Hearing Officer Conferences where both parties are represented by attorneys will be conducted via telephone conference in order to issue recommendations that will become Temporary Orders in order to stabilize family situations until the Court reopens;
5. Hearing Officer Conferences where one party, or both parties are unrepresented will be rescheduled;
6. Hearing Officer Eller's Divorce Confirmation Dockets scheduled for March 26, April 2 and 9, 2020 will be rescheduled;
7. Hearing Officer Eller's FC Nonsupport dockets scheduled for March 18, April 1 and 8, 2020 and Civil nonsupport Docket scheduled for March 25, and April 8, 2020 will be rescheduled;
8. For cases in Acadia and Vermilion Parishes, the attorneys may continue to submit necessary documents for 102 and 103 Divorce confirmations in advance of the hearing dates.

For further instructions regarding submissions and modifications, please telephone the Hearing Officers' offices. The telephone numbers can be obtained from this link: <https://www.15thjdc.org/site80.php>