

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE EASTERN JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
STATE OF GEORGIA

In Re:)
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Declaration of Judicial Emergency)
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ORDER EXTENDING JUDICIAL EMERGENCY

On August 5, 2024 this Court declared the existence of a judicial emergency in this Circuit, and entered an Order of Judicial Emergency that closed the Chatham County Courthouse for the entirety of Tuesday, August 6, 2024. Unfortunately the circumstances underlying this declaration still persist within the circuit, thereby requiring the extension of this judicial emergency for an additional day.

Accordingly, it is the order of this Court that the Chatham County Courthouse shall further be closed for business on Wednesday, August 7, 2024 and will reopen for business on Thursday, August 8, 2024. For purposes of clarity, this Order also encompasses the Juvenile Court Courthouse.

All of the provisions of the aforescribed August 5, 2024 Order of Judicial Emergency related to suspension, tolling, extension, and relief from deadlines or other time schedules or filing requirements imposed by otherwise applicable statutes, rules, regulations, or court orders, whether in civil or criminal cases or administrative matters are incorporated into and made a part of this Order Extending Judicial Emergency, and will remain in effect through and including August 7, 2024. Both courthouses are scheduled to open at the normal time on Thursday, August 8, 2024.

SO ORDERED this 6 day of August, 2024.

Penny Haas Freeseemann, Chief Judge
Superior Court, Eastern Judicial Circuit of Georgia

- cc: Chief Justice, Georgia Supreme Court
- All Judges and Clerks of Court
- District Attorney
- Chief Public Defender
- Chairman Chatham County Commission
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