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CLERK OF COUNTY
KIMBERLY L. BOOD

## IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, MORROW COUNTY, OHIO ALL DIVISIONS

2020 MISC 0009

## TEMPORARY ORDER FOR MORROW COUNTY CLERK OF COURTS IN RESPONSE TO THE COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS) PUBLIC HEALTH CRISIS

In response to, and out of respect to, the request for temporary actions by local courts, and in conjunction with prior Emergency Orders of this Court relating to the COVID-19 public health crisis, and pursuant to CDC Evicition Moratorium Section 361 of the Public Health Service Act 42 U.S.C.264 and 42 CFR 70.2, effective date September 4, 2020,

## It is therefore and hereby **ORDERED**:

Concerning the General Division specifically, the Clerk shall continue to accept all Pleadings in all cases, as well as funds for filing, but may, on a temporary basis, postpone further proceedings. All orders involving immediate foreclosure sales shall be temporarily suspended and stayed indefinitely. Any appraisals of property ordered shall also be stayed indefinitely. In order to be ready to start proceedings immediately upon the lifting of any stay or cessation of health emergencies, when normal business can be initiated, it is important for the Clerks in all divisions to continue to accept documentation to conduct business is as usual as much as possible. Litigants or

parties can be advised by the Clerk that their funds held on deposit can be returned, but they may be subject to dismissal. The return of funds may delay the process when normal and customary proceedings are resumed.

## IT IS SO ORDERED.

Judge Robert C. Hickson, Jr.

8-9-2020

Judge Tom C. Elkin