



McDonald County Commission

Bill Lant, Presiding Commissioner

417-223-7516

Kimberly Bell, County Clerk
PO Box 665, Pineville, MO 64856

417-223-7530 Fax 417-223-7519

mcdonald@sos.mo.gov
commission@olemac.net

John Bunch
Eastern Commissioner

David Holloway
Western Commissioner

March 20, 2020

Dear McDonald County Residents:

At McDonald County, it is our priority to keep our employees and their families healthy. As the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) continues to spread globally, McDonald County is taking appropriate precautions to address the outbreak by following guidelines from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

In an effort to be proactive rather than reactive, we have made the difficult decision to temporarily lock our Courthouse, Courthouse Annex, Emergency Management and Health Department doors until further notice. This "lockdown" will not affect conducting business through telephone, mail, e-mail, fax and curbside services. It is important to understand all county offices will remain open and county business will continue, just not in person unless absolutely necessary. The closure will begin Monday, March 23, 2020 and continue until further notice. We believe that this decision is ultimately the best course of action to protect the health of our employees and their families.

Given that this is a rapidly developing situation, we will continue to monitor developments and update our course of action as new information becomes available through the CDC. Please visit our website for Department phone numbers.

www.mcdonaldcountygov.com

Sincerely,

McDonald County Commission


John Bunch
Eastern Commissioner


Bill Lant
Presiding Commissioner


David Holloway
Western Commissioner