

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LA PAZ

In Re the Matter of:

REVISED PUBLIC SAFETY MEASURES RELATED
TO COVID-19

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
NO. S1500AO-202100008

(Replacing Administrative
Order No. S1500AO-
202100005)

Whereas the Arizona Supreme Court issued Administrative Order No. 2021-109 in response to the changing conditions surrounding the current public health situation and COVID-19;

IT IS ORDERED that facemasks are not required in the courtrooms or other court facilities of all La Paz County Courts, including the Justice Courts, Magistrate Courts, and Probation facilities, EXCEPT in situations where social distancing as recommended by the CDC cannot be maintained due to space limitations, including during jury trials or other hearings where the number of required participants in the courtroom renders social distancing impractical.

The Court recommends continued use of facemasks for non-vaccinated persons, high-risk persons, or persons desiring to utilize a facemask.

Electronic filing of documents shall continue as set forth in AO202000003 for the La Paz County Superior Court.

All parties may appear in the La Paz County Superior Court by telephone or other court-approved video conferencing when possible but essential personnel, including parties, attorneys, victims, victim's representatives, law enforcement, probation and members of the media may attend court in person subject to the social distancing and facemask requirements set forth in this order. Questions about in-person court attendance should be directed to the Judicial Assistant of the La Paz County Superior Court at 928-669-6134, and to the individual Justice Courts and Magistrate Courts.

All other safety measures, including health screening protocols, shall continue unless specifically changed by the direction of the Presiding Judge.



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Original: Clerk of the Court
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Justices of the Peace
Town Magistrate Judges
La Paz County Attorney
La Paz County Public Defender
La Paz County Contract Attorneys
La Paz County Public Fiduciary
Dave Byers, Administrative Office of the Court