

**IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY JUDGE OF PULASKI COUNTY, ARKANSAS**  
**IN THE MATTER OF PULASKI COUNTY'S**  
**CONTINUING RESPONSE TO COVID-19**  
**PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY**

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**EXECUTIVE ORDER**

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**WHEREAS**, on March 13, 2020, an Executive Order was entered restricting public access to the Pulaski County Administration Building, Courthouse, Regional Building (Bale Building), Prosecutor's Office, and District Court/Juvenile Justice Complex.

**WHEREAS**, on March 16, 2020, an Executive Order was entered directing the operations and conduct of departments of Pulaski County reporting to the office of County Judge, and strongly encouraging the adoption of those protective measures by other elected officials supervising the operation of county departments and personnel.

**WHEREAS**, on March 27, 2020, an Executive Order was entered consolidating the two (2) Executive Orders and extending the County's response to the public health emergency through April 17, 2020. On April 16, 2020 this Order was continued through May 3, 2020.

**WHEREAS**, the pandemic novel virus COVID-19 has continued its spread across the nation, including in Arkansas and Pulaski County.

**WHEREAS**, continued precautions are necessary and required to protect the health of the public, as well as, county employees and personnel in County facilities.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Barry Hyde, as Pulaski County Judge, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Arkansas Constitution and laws of the State of Arkansas, as chief executive of Pulaski County, promulgate the following Executive Order in continued response to the pandemic novel virus COVID-19:

The Executive Order entered on April 16, 2020 in response to the continued public health emergency caused by the spread of COVID-19 shall continue in effect through May 17, 2020.

Additionally, any person entering the county buildings referenced herein may be permitted entrance if 1) the person is wearing a mask over their mouth and nose, and 2) their temperature is lower than 100.4° F. Any person having a temperature of 100.4° F or higher will be turned away and advised to medical attention. All persons in the referenced county buildings shall remain masked at all times, except for county employees and court personnel who may remove their mask once each is alone in their assigned office with the door closed.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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**BARRY HYDE, PULASKI COUNTY  
JUDGE/CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

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**DATE**