

**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CANDLER COUNTY
MIDDLE JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
STATE OF GEORGIA**

**TO THE JUDGES AND CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT
TO THE JUDGE AND CLERK OF STATE COURT
TO THE JUDGE AND CLERK OF PROBATE COURT
TO THE JUDGE AND CLERK OF MAGISTRATE COURT
TO THE JUDGE AND CLERK OF JUVENILE COURT
TO THE JUDGE AND CLERK OF DRUG COURT
TO THE JUDGE AND CLERK OF PARENT ACCOUNTABILITY COURT**

ORDER FOR CLOSURE OF CANDLER COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

WHEREAS, it has been determined that renovations of the Candler County Clerk's Office are necessary so as to allow for the operation of court business;

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of the undersigned that the Candler County Clerk's Office must close to properly and efficiently perform such renovations;

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that, pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 38-3-61, the Candler County Clerk's Office shall be closed Thursday, October 28th, 2021 from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. on Friday, October 29th, 2021, or until further order of the Court. Provided this order is not extended or otherwise modified, the Candler County Clerk's Office will re-open for normal operations on Monday, November 1st, 2021 at 8:30 a.m. During this period of closure, one or more deputies of the Candler County Sheriff's Department or other suitable county employee will be situated inside the front door of the courthouse and available to handle and direct any interested person to the appropriate authority or county officer for any emergency or any need which would otherwise be handled in the Candler County Clerk's Office; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 38-3-62, all court deadlines, time schedules for filing requirements are hereby suspended, tolled, or extended for the duration of the judicial emergency as noted above; and

IT IS FURTHERED ORDERED that the Sheriff, or his designee, shall post a copy of this notice on the courthouse door; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Superior Court, or her designee, shall immediately notify the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court and the Clerk of the Court of Appeals and the Supreme Court by sending them a copy of this notice; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the County Manager, or his designee, shall post a copy of this notice and any subsequent modification or extension in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 38-3-63 on the county website or other appropriated public address system.

SO ORDERED this 5th day of October, 2021.



ROBERT S. REEVES, Chief Judge
Candler County Superior Court
Middle Judicial Circuit

Copy: Hon. David E. Nahmias, Chief Justice, Georgia Supreme Court
Therese S. Barnes, Clerk, Georgia Supreme Court
Hon. Christopher McFadden, Chief Judge, Georgia Court of Appeals
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Hon. Sherri P. McDonald, Juvenile Court Judge, Middle Judicial Circuit
Hon. J. Kendall Gross, State Court Judge, Candler County
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