

CLERK'S OFFICE UPDATE

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eReaf and eRQN

- The court has added two new electronic filing options to its website.
- Electronic Reaffirmation Agreement (eReaf) is a program designed to allow creditors or attorneys to file a Reaffirmation Agreement via the internet without having to log into CM/ECF. ONLY a Reaffirmation Agreement WITH cover sheet in a combined PDF should be filed through this feature.
- Electronic Request for Notice (eRQN) is a program designed to allow creditors to file a Request for Notice via the internet without having to log into CM/ECF. A PDF Request for Notice is attached and filed, which will then add the requestor to the creditor mailing matrix. An attorney filing a Notice of Appearance and Request will need to file it through the CM/ECF system.

BAIA CHAPTER 7 ADDITIONAL FEES

- Additional fees pursuant to Section 11 U.S.C. Section 330(e)
- Two new ECF events coming soon that you may see docketed in your cases:
 - Trustee Services Rendered Pursuant to 330(e)
 - Entry made by the Chapter 7 trustee if case qualifies
 - Trustee Payment Under 11 U.S.C. Section 330(e) Processed
 - Entry made by Court's Finance Department upon payment

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Installment Payments

- The debtor picks the dates and amounts so please track to make sure installments are timely paid.
- Review the Filing Fee or Deadline category under Query to see when payments are due or if the full fee has been paid.
- If the debtor needs more time, a motion to extend time can be filed.

Withdrawals

- Use the Motion-Withdraw Document ECF event if you are attaching a pdf motion to withdraw document and need an order on your motion.
- You can use the Withdraw Document ECF event under Other Filings/Other if you desire to attach a pdf that is not a motion; otherwise, there is also a Withdraw Document (text entry) ECF event available. The text event asks for the name and date of the document you are withdrawing.

Motions to Sell

- We are seeing more creditor responses to motions to sell.
- If you know the terms the creditor desires (timeframe for sale or payoff or adequate protection language, for example), please include them in your motion.
- If a response is filed, please submit a proposed order with terms to address the response instead of relying on a court text order.

CourtWeb has been replaced by GovInfo for opinion searches on our website.

<https://www.mow.uscourts.gov/bankruptcy/opinions>

New Opinion Search Engine

+ WDMO Opinion mass emails coming soon!

2022 Docket Dates

- 2022 hearing dates have been posted on our website.

<https://www.mow.uscourts.gov/bankruptcy>

- Most hearings will continue by phone at this time but be sure to review the notice setting hearing for time and location.



United States Bankruptcy Court
Western District of Missouri

Bankruptcy Case Filings CY-2008 through CY-2020
Organized by Division, Year and Chapter

	Year	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Western Division (KC)	Chap. 7	3757	4697	4818	4182	3891	3363	3039	2552	2314	2087	1989	1702	1243
	Chap. 9	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
	Chap. 11	12	18	26	39	23	17	18	24	15	9	9	8	10
	Chap. 12	0	0	2	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	2	1	1
	Chap. 13	1824	1880	2211	1895	1837	1650	1540	1493	1501	1543	1572	1669	1046
Total	5593	6595	7058	6116	5752	5031	4598	4069	3831	3640	3572	3380	2300	
Central Division (JC)	Chap. 7	1742	2038	1952	1645	1564	1339	1113	951	914	1002	917	904	681
	Chap. 9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Chap. 11	4	11	6	10	5	10	0	3	2	6	1	2	1
	Chap. 12	2	1	5	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
	Chap. 13	668	728	707	566	454	402	328	290	246	249	287	238	128
Total	2416	2778	2670	2224	2023	1752	1441	1244	1162	1257	1205	1144	812	
SW Division (Joplin/Carth)	Chap. 7	1090	1395	1342	1074	920	714	631	575	562	528	596	524	413
	Chap. 9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Chap. 11	1	6	6	5	3	2	3	0	2	0	3	3	6
	Chap. 12	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	3	1	1	1	0
	Chap. 13	143	188	202	170	162	156	112	114	102	129	145	102	68
Total	1234	1589	1551	1251	1085	872	747	689	669	658	745	630	487	
St. Joseph Division	Chap. 7	701	890	869	715	656	555	408	326	299	285	303	208	149
	Chap. 9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Chap. 11	3	3	0	1	1	8	0	2	2	1	1	1	0
	Chap. 12	2	3	0	0	0	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	2
	Chap. 13	291	385	441	332	324	285	247	241	257	263	263	220	184
Total	997	1281	1310	1048	981	849	657	572	559	550	568	430	335	
Southern Division (SP)	Chap. 7	2033	2405	2450	2131	1972	1581	1414	1204	1031	1098	1174	1165	875
	Chap. 9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Chap. 11	21	40	30	24	23	14	16	9	7	14	11	13	4
	Chap. 12	0	3	8	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	3	1	2
	Chap. 13	499	566	698	594	516	391	380	332	362	361	376	447	289
Total	2553	3014	3186	2749	2511	1987	1811	1545	1400	1475	1564	1626	1170	
All Divisions	Chap. 7	9323	11425	11431	9747	9003	7552	6605	5608	5120	5000	4979	4503	3361
	Chap. 9	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
	Chap. 11	41	78	68	79	55	51	37	38	28	30	25	27	21
	Chap. 12	4	7	16	5	1	4	5	3	4	5	7	4	7
	Chap. 13	3425	3747	4259	3557	3293	2884	2607	2470	2468	2545	2643	2676	1715
Totals	Total	12793	15257	15775	13388	12352	10491	9254	8119	7621	7580	7654	7210	5104