IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI

IN RE:

COURT OPERATIONS UNDER THE EXIGENT CIRCUMSTANCES CREATED BY THE OUTBREAK OF CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19)

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER REGARDING ENTRANCE PROTOCOLS

In light of new data on the reduced prevalence of the COVID-19 virus in Jackson County, the previous administrative order requiring individuals to wear face masks in public areas of the courthouse in Kansas City is vacated. Individuals do not need to wear face masks in public areas of the courthouse, although judges may continue to require face masks for persons appearing in their courtrooms.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATE: July 8, 2022

/s/ Beth Phillips BETH PHILLIPS, CHIEF JUDGE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT