IN THE TWENTIETH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR THE STATE OF FLORIDA

ORDER ESTABLISHING PROCEDURE FOR HOLDING JUVENILE DETENTION HEARINGS ON WEEKENDS AND HOLIDAYS IN LEE COUNTY

- Amended -

Pursuant to this Court's inherent authority to administer and regulate the Courts of the Twentieth Judicial Circuit, as well as the authority prescribed by Fla. R. Jud. Admin. 2.215 and Florida Statute § 43.26, the Court hereby establishes the following procedure for holding juvenile detention hearings on weekends and holidays in Lee County Florida.

- 1. Juvenile detention hearings will be held by the assigned duty judge on weekends and holidays beginning at 8:30 a.m. However, in the event that any duty judge who will be presiding over juvenile detention hearings on weekends or holiday wishes to hold such proceedings at a time other than 8:30 a.m., it shall be the responsibility of that judge to notify the Clerk's Office, the Department of Juvenile Justice, the Bailiff's Division, Court Administration Security, Court Administration (i.e., Electronic Court Reporting Department, Pretrial Services Office), the State Attorney, and the Public Defender, no later than 48 hours beforehand.
- 2. The Department of Juvenile Justice will be responsible for transporting juveniles from the Southwest Florida Juvenile Detention Center to the courthouse for these hearings as provided in Fla. R. Juv. P. 8.100.
- 3. The Sheriff of Lee County is hereby directed to provide appropriate levels of security in the form of uniformed bailiffs on duty to handle these proceedings on weekends and holidays. Court Administration Security shall assist the Sheriff in providing security for these proceedings.

¹ Amended primarily for the purpose of updating paragraph 1 and adding clarification as to those who should be notified of changes.

4. In the event that any duty judge who will be presiding over juvenile detention hearings on weekends or holidays wishes to hold such proceedings at the Juvenile Detention Center instead of the Courthouse, it shall be the responsibility of that judge to notify the Clerk's Office, the Department of Juvenile Justice, the Bailiffs' Division, Court Administration Security, Court Administration (i.e., Electronic Court Reporting Department, Pretrial Services Office), the State Attorney, and the Public Defender, no later than 48 hours beforehand. The purpose of such notice is to permit the affected agencies to make appropriate adjustments to their duties accordingly.

> Jay B. Rosman Chief Judge

History – Order Establishing Procedure for Holding Juvenile Detention Hearings on Weekends and Holidays in Lee County (July 20, 2001).

cc: Department of Juvenile Justice
Lee County Sheriff's Department
Court Administration Security
Court Administration Pretrial Services
Court Administration Electronic Court Reporting Department
Lee County Clerk of Courts
Office of the State Attorney
Office of the Public Defender

I certify this document to be a true and correct copy of the record on file in my office, Linda Doggett, Clerk Circuit/ County Court, Lee County, FL Dated: 1-8-13

Deputy Clerk



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