

STATE OF LOUISIANA
SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
PARISHES OF EAST CARROLL, MADISON AND TENSAS

filed
Jan. 27, 2026
Marion G. Hopkins
Clerk of Court

ORDER

Acting in accordance with Louisiana Constitution Article V, Subsection 1, and the inherent power of this Court, and considering the continuing current freezing temperatures and unsafe conditions on the roadways due to the ice storm in addition to lack of electricity, water and internet services and considering this renders it hazardous or otherwise unsafe for employees of the Sixth Judicial District Court and East Carroll, Madison and Tensas Parish Clerk's Offices to continue in the performance of their official duties, and for the general public to conduct business at the Parish Courthouses:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT the Sixth Judicial District Court, Parishes of East Carroll, Madison, and Tensas and the East Carroll, Madison and Tensas Parish Clerk's Offices shall remain closed through Friday, January 30, 2026. If conditions change, the courts and clerk's offices will **reopen on Monday, February 2, 2026, unless further closures are extended by order of this court.**

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT this closure shall be considered a legal holiday in accordance with LSA R.S. 1:55. **COURT AND CLERK'S OFFICES CLOSURES REMAIN FROM JANUARY 26-30, 2026.**

Signed this 27th day of January 2026 at Lake Providence, Louisiana.

SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

S/LAURIE R. BRISTER, Chief Judge