

**STANDING ORDER  
IN COUNTY COURTS AT LAW  
OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY, TEXAS**

**ORDER ENACTING THE RESOLUTIONS OF THE BOARD OF JUDGES  
CHANGING CASE DISTRIBUTION OF CIVIL CASES  
RELATED TO CRIMINAL MATTERS IN COUNTY COURTS AT LAW**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Texas Government Code §74.093 and Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein for all intents and purposes, the Administrative Judge of the County Courts at Law hereby orders that the County Clerk file all future Civil Cases Related to Criminal Matters to the County Court at Law where the parties' underlying criminal matter is assigned.

Signed this 15th day of March, 2021.

  
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**HON. CLAUDIA LAIRD**

**Local Administrative County Judge**

After recording return to:

Chad Peace  
Director of Montgomery County OCA  
301 N Main Street, Room 304  
Conroe, TX 77301

**IN THE COUNTY COURTS AT LAW OF  
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, TEXAS**

**RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE NEW CASE DISTRIBUTION OF CIVIL CASES  
RELATED TO CRIMINAL MATTERS IN COUNTY COURTS AT LAW**

**WHEREAS**, on February 26, 2021, a County Court at Law Board of Judges meeting was convened for the County Court at Law judges of Montgomery County, Texas. County Court at Law Judges Watson, Laird, McDonald, Turner and Stewart attended. During this meeting, the County Courts at Law Board of Judges unanimously approved a resolution in support of the new case distribution for County Courts at Law. As such; and

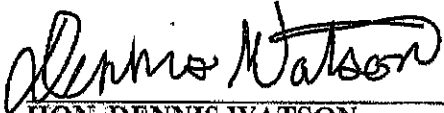

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Texas Government Code §74.092, the County Courts at Law Board of Judges has designated that all future filed Civil Cases Related to Criminal Matters be filed in the County Court at Law where the parties underlying criminal matter is assigned with the Presiding Judge of that Court assigned as the Judicial Officer and if no such related Criminal Matter is filed in a Montgomery County Court at Law then the Civil Case shall be filed in County Court at Law Number Two.

Now, therefore, be it **RESOLVED**, that the Board of Judges unanimously approve the current and continuous transfer of all County Court at Law Civil Cases Related to Criminal Matters to the respective criminal County Court at Law in which the defendant has the underlying criminal case and the Presiding Judge of that Court be assigned as the Judicial Officer.

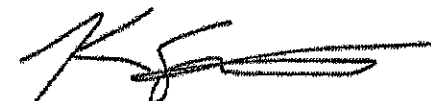
Exhibit A

Signed this 12<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2021.


APPROVED AND AGREED:

  
HON. DENNIS WATSON  
County Court at Law #1  


HON. PATRICE McDONALD  
County Court at Law #3

  
HON. KEITH M. STEWART  
County Court at Law #5

*Laird*  
HON. CLAUDIA LAIRD  
County Court at Law #2  
Local Administrative County Judge

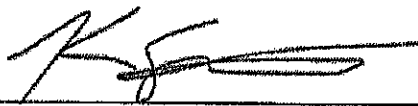
  
HON. MARY ANN TURNER  
County Court at Law #4

Signed this 12<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2021.


APPROVED AND AGREED:

  
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County Court at Law #1

  
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HON. CLAUDIA LAIRD  
County Court at Law #2  
Local Administrative County Judge

  
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HON. MARY ANN TURNER  
County Court at Law #4

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*Mark Turnbull*

COUNTY CLERK  
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, TEXAS

STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY

I hereby certify that this instrument was filed in the file number  
sequence on the date and time stamped herein  
by me and was duly RECORDED in the Official Public  
Records of Montgomery County, Texas.

03/17/2021



*Mark Turnbull*

County Clerk  
Montgomery County, Texas