

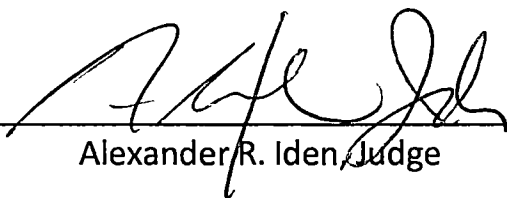
VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURTS OF THE CITY OF WINCHESTER AND  
FREDERICK COUNTY

**ORDER CLOSING JOINT JUDICIAL CENTER AND CIRCUIT COURTS MAY 2, 2025**

As a result of the celebration of the 98<sup>th</sup> Apple Blossom Festival in downtown Winchester and the substantial number of pedestrians, floats, and marching bands expected at or near the Joint Judicial Center (JJC) on May 2, 2023 and the danger posed by motor vehicle traffic from employees and visitors to the JJC, which constitute a threat to the safety of the Clerk's Office personnel and to the general public, it is **ORDERED that the Clerks of the Circuit Courts of the City of Winchester and Frederick County are authorized to close their offices and the JJC shall be closed on May 2, 2025** (except as authorized for specific law enforcement activity per Virginia Code § 18.2-388 by the April 10, 2025 Order of the Circuit Court). This order is entered pursuant to the provisions of Virginia Code Section 17.1-207(3) and shall have the effect with respect to judicial proceedings as prescribed by Virginia Code § 1-210.

The Clerks of the Circuit Courts of Winchester and Frederick County shall post a copy of this order on the front door of their offices and on the front door of the JJC and send an attested copy of this order to the other Circuit Court Clerks of this Circuit.

Entered 16 April 2025

  
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Alexander R. Iden, Judge