

To avoid the spread of COVID-19 and respect social distancing, the Court offers proceedings via **Zoom**. If you have access, and are willing to participate by **Zoom**, please advise the Court, and provide an **email address** so we can forward the **Zoom** link for your scheduled hearing.

The Court also offers court proceedings by **Teleconferencing** if you are unable to participate via Zoom. If you are interested in having your case heard by **Teleconference**, please notify the Court of the **phone number** you wish to use.

The Court will offer parties unable to participate in **Zoom, Teleconference, and In-person Proceedings**, other options such as allowing the use of the Courts laptop in a private area when possible.

Please note: Documents being submitted as evidence will need to be sent to ALL parties, including the Court, PRIOR to the hearing date and time. Documents may be sent by fax or email if opposing party has access, or you may submit by mail. Documents submitted to the Court by FAX, please fax to 936-569-700, or by EMAIL, please email to jp3crt@co.nacogdoches.tx.us

If you are a **Plaintiff** and agree to **Zoom** or **Teleconferencing**, and you do not respond on the date and time of your hearing, your case could be **Dismissed**.

If you are a **Defendant** and agree to **Zoom** or **Teleconferencing**, and you do not respond on the date and time of your hearing, a **Default Judgment** could be entered against you.

If you **DO NOT** request or provide information for **Zoom** or **Teleconferencing**, your case will be scheduled to be heard in the Courtroom. *Please note*, there is only space for six (6) participants in the Courtroom at one time. You may be asked to remain in your vehicle at the time of arrival until you are called to safely enter the Courtroom.

Any questions concerning your options for Court Hearings, please contact our office at **936-560-7889**

YOU MUST INFORM THE COURT IF YOU HAVE SYMPTOMS, HAVE BEEN CLOSE TO ANOTHER PERSON WHO HAS SYMPTOMS, OR WHO HAS TESTED POSITIVE FOR COVID-19.