



UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
District of Rhode Island

**NOTICE REGARDING THE REOPENING OF THE CLERK'S OFFICE
IN THE U.S. COURTHOUSE**

The U.S. District Court for the District of Rhode Island is pleased to announce the resumption of normal operations and the reopening of the Clerk's office for in-person filings and inquiries beginning March 7, 2022. The Clerk's office will be open normal business hours, Monday – Friday from 9:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

The staff in the Clerk's office are fully vaccinated and we are excited to see, serve, and assist you again in person. Prior to your visit to the Courthouse, please take note that all persons entering the U.S. Courthouse are subject to the provisions of this Court's [General Order Regarding the Continuity of Operations and Courthouse Accessibility](#) which requires visitors to wear a mask.

The Court will continue to conduct video conferencing in civil and criminal cases and each judge will decide what matters will be held in-person and what matters will be held remotely. Parties are encouraged to continue to consent to and participate in video conferencing.

Please direct questions to the Clerk's office at 401-752-7200 or visit the COVID-19 section of our website for information, General Orders and guidance regarding the Court's operating status during the pandemic.

March 1, 2022

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Clerk of Court