

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
OF THE STATE OF IDAHO**

RE: ORDER PROHIBITING  
COMMENCEMENT OF JURY TRIALS IN  
CERTAIN COUNTIES IN THE SIXTH  
JUDICIAL DISTRICT MARCH 1, 2021  
THROUGH MARCH 5, 2021

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER  
2021-02

WHEREAS on February 3, 2021, the Idaho Supreme Court issued an Order entitled, "RE: COMMENCEMENT OF JURY TRIALS AND GRAND JURY IMPANELMENT," ("Order"), the provisions of which govern the resumption of jury trials in Idaho; and,

WHEREAS the Order requires the Administrative District Judge to review the weekly COVID-19 incident rates for each county in the Sixth Judicial District 10 days prior to the calendar week in which the jury trial(s) is scheduled to occur to determine if those incident rates exceed the standards set in the Order; and,

WHEREAS the Administrative District Judge has determined upon review of the Weekly Publication of COVID-19 incident rates that, Oneida County does not meet the conditions for resuming jury trials as set forth in subsection 4(a) of the Order and Bannock County does not meet the conditions for resuming jury trials as set forth in subsection 4(b) of the Order.

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that the following Counties of the Sixth Judicial District SHALL NOT conduct jury trials for the week of March 1, 2021-March 5, 2021, and that any jury trial set to proceed during that time frame in those counties shall be vacated and reset:

Bannock County  
Oneida County

Dated this 19<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2021.



ROBERT C. NAFTZ  
Administrative District Judge  
Sixth Judicial District

cc: Sara Omundson, Administrative Director of the Courts  
All Sixth Judicial District Judges  
Trial Court Administrator, Sixth Judicial District  
All Sixth District County Clerks  
All Sixth District Jury Commissioners