

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
SHERMAN DIVISION**

**ORDER VACATING  
DIVISIONAL STANDING ORDER NO. 2020-1**

In response to the public health emergency caused by COVID-19, the respiratory disease caused by the novel coronavirus SARS-CoV-2, this Court previously entered Divisional Standing Order No. 2020-1 on June 1, 2020. The Standing Order imposes certain precautions and procedures, designed to mitigate public health risks associated with COVID-19, at the Paul Brown United States Courthouse in Sherman, Texas, the United States Courthouse in Plano, Texas, and the United States Courthouse Annex in Sherman, Texas (the Sherman Division Courthouses).

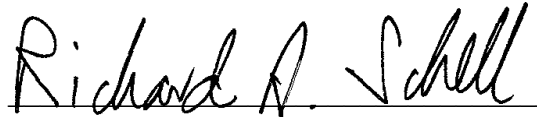
In recent months, COVID vaccines have been widely distributed across the United States, and the COVID-related precautionary guidelines issued by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention have substantially changed. Given these and related developments in the local, regional, and national response to COVID-19, Divisional Standing Order No. 2020-1 is hereby **VACATED**. All persons entering the Sherman Division Courthouses will be permitted to wear masks if they so choose, but the procedures and precautions otherwise imposed by Divisional Standing Order No. 2020-1 are terminated effective immediately.

The clerk's office is instructed to remove any signage posted under Divisional Standing Order No. 2020-1 and to remove any publicly posted copies of that Order from the Sherman Division Courthouses and the Court's website.

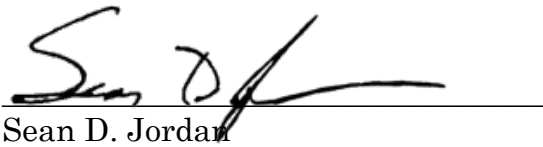
So **ORDERED** and **SIGNED** June 28, 2021.



Amos L. Mazzant, III  
U.S. District Judge



Richard A. Schell  
U.S. District Judge



Sean D. Jordan  
U.S. District Judge