IN THE AKRON MUNICIPAL COURT SUMMIT COUNTY, OHIO

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER - Court Attire and Court Etiquette

Effective Monday, July 1, 2025, Akron Municipal Court Dress Code Policy is hereby implemented. Be hereby notified that the following unacceptable clothing items shall result in immediate removal from the Akron Municipal Court and surrounding premises. It is further the ORDER of this court that all cases related to the offending litigant (Civil, Criminal or Traffic) shall be rescheduled. Furthermore, Electronic devices are prohibited without permission of the

Unacceptable (or clothing that will not be permitted) clothing items include but are not limited to:

- Attorneys/licensed counsel MUST be dressed in professional attire
- Sunglasses must be removed before entering the courtroom
- Flip flops, or house slippers or similar footwear
- Hair rollers, bonnets, baseball or other caps, hoodies, or face masks
- Non-religious headscarves
- Bath robes, no pajamas pants or clothing that look like pajamas, nightwear i.e. lingerie
- Pants/shorts/dresses/skirts/shirts that are worn to expose undergarments to any extent
- Shorts that expose mid-thigh or above
- Skirts or dresses that expose mid-thigh or above
- Underwear or undergarments worn as outer garments
- Halter-tops, tank tops, crop tops, muscle shirts, see-through tops, bare midriff tops, tops with open backs
- Body suits, swim wear, or bathing suits
- Ripped/torn pants, shorts, dresses, skirts or shorts
- No clothing with vulgar/inappropriate writing, derogatory language, logos (including sexual, drug, tobacco, gang affiliations or alcohol related language), obscene or suggestive writing on the clothing
- No food or drink permitted in the courtroom with the exception of water
- No children permitted in the courtroom
- Electronic recordings, transmitting devices (including cell phones), pagers and other electronic devices must be turned off before entering the courtroom. Violations are subject to contempt or seizure

| IT IS SO ORDERED. | |
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| JUDGE DAVID HAMILTON | |
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