

The following message from Judge Rucker:

The court is continuing all matters on the 9:00 docket to April 20, 2020. All motions to dismiss on the 9:30 docket that are motions to dismiss because of feasibility and failure to file tax returns and/or refunds will also be continued to the April 20, 2020 date. If the parties, can agree to an continuance of any other matter on the 9:30 docket you may request one by reply email and the courtroom deputy will make the announcement at the hearing. Please have all announcements into Ms. English by noon on Sunday. Neither you nor your client will need to attend. If you have a matter on the 9:30 and need to have a hearing, the court will be in session or you may request a telephonic hearing to avoid appearing in person.

If you request a telephonic hearing, you must do so by email to Ms. English. Your matter will be postponed to 10:00. The docket will be conducted on the record by conference call. The judge will give you instructions regarding the conduct on the call at the beginning of the call. Matters which the court determines will require the presentation of evidence will be reset specially.

Counsel are requested to contact their clients regarding these changes.

Thank you for your patience as the court tried to find creative ways to continue business without putting the parties at risk.

P.S. After a discussion with Kara West, the chapter 13 Trustee, announcements on both the 9:00 and 9:30 dockets will be made and the court will accept those announcements rather than continuing them.

Thank you.