#### THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT

## **Boone County Adult Court Services**

# **Home Detention Program Rule Book**

### PROGRAM OVERVIEW

- ☑ You have been placed on the Home Detention Program by court order.
- ☐ The judge may set **additional rules** or **stricter conditions** than what is listed here.
- ☑ You are required to **follow all rules and conditions**
- ☑ Breaking any of these rules may result in a violation report, **a warrant for your arrest**, or additional charges.
- ☑ We provide you with this document to help you stay on home detention and out of jail.

# APPROVED RESIDENCE REQUIREMENTS

- You must reside at a home that has been approved by Adult Court Services.
- The residence must be a **permanent structure**, with electricity at all times
- You may not move without permission from your officer. If approved, moving must be scheduled with Court services
- You must submit **proof of residency** by providing:
  - o A current lease in your name, or
  - o Proof of ownership (**property deed** or a last year's **paid real estate taxes**.)
- If the lease or property are **not in your name**,
  - o Homeowner or leaseholder must come in to Adult Court Services with:
  - o A valid **photo ID**, and
  - Consent to Home Detention form, agreeing to allow you to live there for the entire time you are on the program.
- Section 8 or Columbia Housing Authority housing is not allowed, unless Columbia Housing Authority provides Court Services with written consent that say you can reside there while on home detention.

#### STANDARD MONITORING CONDITIONS

#### 1. Stay at Home

- You must remain inside your residence 24/7 not driveway, parking lot or at mailbox
- You must have **permission** from your Court Services Officer to leave
- If you have a medical emergency contact Court Services

### 2. Electronic Monitoring

- You must wear a tamper-proof ankle monitor at all times.
- The monitor alerts Court Services violations: being out of your residence, losing signal, tampering with the device, or presence of alcohol (if applicable).
- Tampering with monitoring equipment is a Class D Felony charge RSMO 575.205
  - Suspicion of tampering will be investigated and charges will be filed.
- The anklet is waterproof for showers only. It **cannot be submerged** in water like bathtubs, pools, hot tubs, or lakes.
- Return all equipment as directed by Court Services.
- Failure to return equipment will result in daily charges until returned.

#### 3. Phone Access

- You must have a working phone at all times to communicate with Court Services.
- Provide Court Services with your current phone number
- Cell phone is acceptable as long as it stays charged and in working order.
- You must answer all calls from Court Services.

### 4. Equipment Rules

- Report equipment problems immediately.
- Do not attempt to fix, remove, or tamper with the equipment.
- Tampering with monitoring equipment is a **Class D Felony**.
- If your electricity goes out or the equipment malfunctions, call Court Services right away.

#### 5. Home Visits

• You and or the person who signed the consent form must allow your CSO or monitoring staff to enter your home **at any time** to check the equipment or verify your compliance.

## 6. Weekly Check-In and Schedule

- Meet with your officer once a week at a set date and time
- At that meeting, your officer will set your **out-time for the next 7 days.**
- Tell your officer about anything you need to leave home for in that 7 days,
  - o Work, Court, UAs, or Appointments.
- No schedule changes are allowed until your next check-in.
- You can view your approved schedule anytime on the monitoring smartphone app.
- If you drive, you must have a valid driver's license, registration, and insurance.
- Out time is only for the reason listed on your schedule, don't go anywhere else.
  - o Off early? Go home. Not going to work? Stay home.
- **Don't leave early** before your out-time starts
- Don't come home late. Be inside your home before your out-time ends

### 7. Employment Rules

- You must maintain employment unless excused by your officer.
- Send copy of your pay stub to your officer after each payday.
  - o Failure to provide a pay stub may result in your work out-time being removed
- No cash jobs are allowed.
- If unemployed, you may be given time to **job search** for a limited time.
- Schedule **job interviews** during your job search time.
- Before you can start a **new job**, it has to be approved by your officer. You will need to send your officer a
  - o Letter written on company letter head with
  - o How much you will make an hour,
  - o Your start date, and first schedule
- Your job must be in Boone County and you may not leave Boone County for your job unless approved by your officer

### 8. Program Fees

- You are required to pay a daily program fee, which is the highest of:
  - o Half your hourly wage,
  - o Half the current minimum wage, or
  - o The daily equipment rental cost.

#### • Payment Schedule:

- o **First payment:** On the day you start the program (covers first two weeks).
- o **Second payment:** Due on day 14 (covers the rest of the first month).
- o After that: Due on the 1st of each month.

#### Where to pay:

- o Traffic and Accounting (across from Adult Court Services) or on-line.
- Accepted: Cash, cashier's check, money order (to Boone County Circuit Clerk), or credit/debit (fees apply).

## 9. Alcohol and Drug Rules

- You must **not use alcohol or illegal controlled substances**.
- You may not go to bars, liquor stores, or any place where alcohol is the primary product sold.
- **Submit to drug or alcohol tests** (urine, blood, or breath) when requested. You must pay for these tests.

## 10. Obey the Law

Any new arrest or charge, including traffic violations, must be reported immediately

# **EMERGENCY NUMBER INSTRUCTIONS**

- Only for when Court Services is closed:
  - Weeknights (after 5:00 PM), mornings (before 7:30 AM), weekends/holidays.

### **ONLY** call the emergency number for:

- 1. **Medical emergencies** requiring the emergency room (email proof).
- 2. **Equipment issues**, like power outages or equipment problems.
- 3. **If arrested or cited,** ask the officer to contact the emergency number.
- 4. If staff specifically instruct you to call.

Do not call the emergency number for schedule changes.

- o Do not call asking to leave early, stay late, or change work hours.
- o These requests must be handled during your scheduled weekly check-in.

## **CONTACT INFORMATION**

Office: \$\&\ 573-886-4180 \quad \text{Monday} - \text{Friday}, 7:30 \text{ AM to 5:00 PM}

On Call: 573-228-1441 Only when office is closed (nights, weekends, holidays)
Only for emergencies or equipment issues

Email: BNE-ACS@courts.mo.gov

- Type "Home Detention" in the subject line
- Responses to emails will only happen during office hours
- Do not send messages about schedules changes.
- Do Not send messages through the monitoring app.

# Acknowledgment

I have read and understand the Home Detention Rule Book. I understand the Special Conditions of home detention. I understand that if I violate any of these conditions, I may face a violation report being filed in my case, warrant for my arrest, and/or new criminal charges.

Signature:	Date:
CSO:	Date: