

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN AND FOR PASCO AND PINELLAS COUNTIES, FLORIDA**

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 2026-036 PI-CIR

RE: UNIFORM BOND SCHEDULE – PINELLAS COUNTY, EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2026

In 2023, the uniform bond schedule was amended in Pinellas County in response to the enactment of sections 903.011(5)(a) and 903.011(6), Florida Statutes, which required the Florida Supreme Court to adopt a uniform statewide bond schedule so that persons arrested for certain criminal offenses may be released on bond prior to the person's first appearance hearing. The statutory amendments were effective January 1, 2024. Subsequently, to the extent such is procedural, the Florida Supreme Court issued a Statewide Uniform Bond Schedule effective January 1, 2024, and on an annual basis thereafter. The Circuit updated the Uniform Bond Schedule in Pinellas County to comply with the requirement for the issuance of an annual bond schedule. The uniform bond schedule is being again amended.

In accordance with Article V, section 2, Florida Constitution, Florida Rule of General Practice and Judicial Administration 2.215, section 43.26, Florida Statutes, and the authority granted in section 903.011(5)(d), Florida Statutes, to the chief judge to locally increase the monetary bond, it is

ORDERED:

1. Each crime of arrest requires a separate bond pursuant to section 903.02(4), Florida Statutes, and Florida Rule of Criminal Procedure 3.131(b)(2).
2. The following bond schedule is effective through December 31, 2026:

**THIS SCHEDULE IS FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT. THIS SCHEDULE DOES NOT
BIND ANY JUDGE CONDUCTING FIRST APPEARANCE OR BAIL BOND
HEARINGS. JUDGES MAY USE IT AS A GUIDE AND SET AN APPROPRIATE
BOND FOR THE DEFENDANT BASED UPON THE EVIDENCE PRESENTED.**

1) For persons arrested for a crime listed in section 903.011(6), Fla. Stat., or who meet the criteria in section 903.011(6), Fla. Stat. This includes the following for which the person arrested may not be released on bond before their first appearance hearing or bail determination where a judge determines the appropriate bail: a) The person was, at the time of arrest for any felony, on pretrial release, probation, or community control in this state or any other state; b) The person was, at the time of arrest, designated as a sexual offender or sexual predator in this state or any other state; c) The person was arrested for violating a protective injunction;	Bond: None First appearance required.
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d) The person was, at the time of arrest, on release from supervision under s. 947.1405, s. 947.146, s. 947.149, or s. 944.4731; e) The person has, at any time before the current arrest, been sentenced pursuant to s. 775.082(9) or s. 775.084 as a prison release reoffender, habitual violent felony offender, three-time violent felony offender, or violent career criminal; f) The person has been arrested three or more times in the 6 months immediately preceding his or her arrest for the current offense; or g) The person's current offense of arrest is for one or more of the following crimes: i. A capital felony, life felony, felony of the first degree, or felony of the second degree; ii. A homicide under chapter 782; or any attempt, solicitation, or conspiracy to commit a homicide; iii. Assault in furtherance of a riot or an aggravated riot; felony battery; domestic battery by strangulation; domestic violence, as defined in s. 741.28; stalking; mob intimidation; assault or battery on a law enforcement officer; assault or battery on juvenile probation officer, or other staff of a detention center or commitment facility, or a staff member of a commitment facility, or health services personnel; assault or battery on a person 65 years of age or older; robbery; burglary; carjacking; or resisting an officer with violence; iv. Kidnapping, false imprisonment, human trafficking, or human smuggling; v. Possession of a firearm or ammunition by a felon, violent career criminal, or person subject to an injunction against committing acts of domestic violence, stalking, or cyberstalking; vi. Sexual battery; indecent, lewd, or lascivious touching; exposure of sexual organs; incest; luring or enticing a child; or child pornography; vii. Abuse, neglect, or exploitation of an elderly person or disabled adult; viii. Child abuse or aggravated child abuse; ix. Arson; riot; aggravated riot, inciting a riot, or aggravated inciting a riot; or a burglary or theft during a riot; x. Escape; tampering or retaliating against a witness, victim, or informant; destruction of evidence; or tampering with a jury; xi. Any offense committed for the purpose of benefiting, promoting, or furthering the interests of a criminal gang; xii. Trafficking in a controlled substance, including conspiracy to engage in trafficking in a controlled substance;	
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xiii. Racketeering; or xiv. Failure to appear at required court proceedings while on bail.	
2) For unauthorized aliens arrested for a violation of Chapter 811, Fla. Stat., or for a forcible felony, as defined in section 776.08, Fla. Stat.	Bond: None First appearance required.
3) For persons arrested for a violation of section 903.0472, Fla. Stat., or who is in on pretrial release for committing an offense specified in section 903.0472(1), Fla. Stat., and who is arrested for committing a new offense.	Bond: None First appearance required.
4) For persons not covered by number (1), arrested for any felony or misdemeanor while on any form of supervised pretrial release or bond with supervised condition(s).	Bond: None First appearance required.
5) For persons not covered by number (1), arrested for a third-degree felony that involves any amount of force or threat of force against a person.	Bond: None First appearance required.
6) For persons not covered by number (1), arrested for a third-degree felony that does not involve any force or threat of force against a person. a) Except the following offenses will have no bond prior to first appearance: i. Any felony driving offense or boating offense. ii. Any felony failure to register charge.	Bond: \$5,000 Bond: None First appearance required.
7) For persons not covered by number (1), arrested for a first-degree misdemeanor or an ordinance punishable like a first-degree misdemeanor, that involves any amount of force or threat of force against a person.	Bond: \$1,000
8) For persons not covered by number (1), arrested for a first-degree misdemeanor or an ordinance punishable like a first-degree misdemeanor, that does not involve any force or threat of force against a person.	Bond: \$500

