

Modification to Arrest Standards due to COVID 19

The Weld County Jail Will Accept:

- 1. Charges of a felony 6 and higher
- 2. New felony charges which are enhanced with VRA/Domestic Violence
- 3. New misdemeanor charges which are enhanced with VRA/Domestic Violence
- New misdemeanor charge alleging an arrestee committed either or both of the following:
 ----(a) a crime of violence involving the intentional discharge of a firearm in a manner or situation that it posed a risk of injury to another; or

----(b) a first-degree misdemeanor identical to or substantially similar to at least two other first-degree misdemeanors the same arrestee allegedly committed in the 90 days before the date of the new charge, such that the new charge constitutes at least the arrestee's third such identical or substantially similar first-degree misdemeanor in that period; but only if the Weld County Sheriff first personally determines that the arrestee poses a substantial risk of danger to the community if not booked into the jail facility.

- 5. Warrants for the charges listed above
- 6. Protection order violations
- 7. Probation and Parole Warrants

The Weld County Jail WILL NOT Accept:

- 1. Municipal warrants or arrests
- 2. Civil commitments
- 3. Petty offenses
- 4. Detox refusals
- 5. Any arrests that do not meet the above standards

Warrants in the lobby:

If someone comes to the lobby to turn themselves in on agency warrant, the following guidelines will apply:

- 1. If the warrant is not for the crimes listed under the above standards, the person will be told to turn themselves in at the agency that issued the warrant.
- 2. If the warrant is listed under the above standards, they will be processed into the jail facility.