

## SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF FRESNO

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## FRESNO SUPERIOR COURT - M STREET COURTHOUSE TEMPORARY CLOSURE

The Fresno Superior Court was notified this morning of flooding at the M Street Courthouse, located at 2317 Tuolumne Street. As a result, the courthouse is closed to the public for the remainder of Thursday, September 4, 2025. The source of the flood is currently under investigation.

To ensure courtroom operations are not disrupted, the following temporary reassignments have been made:

- Traffic Clerk's Office has been relocated to the Main Courthouse, 4th Floor.
- **Dept. 97A** has been relocated to **Dept. 73** (Main Courthouse), Judge Luna presiding.
- **Dept. 97B** has been relocated to **Dept. 74** (Main Courthouse), Judge Guerra presiding.
- **Dept. 97D** has been relocated to **Dept. 503** (Sisk Courthouse), Judge Whalen presiding.
- **Dept. 97E** has been relocated to Dept. **403** (Sisk Courthouse), Judge Maria Diaz presiding.

This action has been taken with the health and safety of court employees, justice partners, and the public in mind. The Court is working closely with facilities staff to assess the extent of the damage and to determine next steps for resuming normal operations.

The temporary closure affects only the M Street Courthouse. All other Fresno Superior Court locations remain open and operating as scheduled.

Further updates will be posted on the Court's website at <a href="www.fresno.courts.ca.gov">www.fresno.courts.ca.gov</a>.