



**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF FRESNO**



NEWS RELEASE

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Due to a diminished caseload during the holidays, and following the required public comment procedures for 60 days, the Fresno Superior Court hereby announces that it will temporarily consolidate cases and all essential hearings to be heard only in the Main Courthouse and the Juvenile Justice Courthouse, on the following dates only: November 20, 21, and 22, 2023; and December 26, 27, 28, and 29, 2023. In addition, Clerk's Offices will be consolidated into the Main Courthouse and the Juvenile Justice Courthouse. Courthouse status will be as follows:

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| • Main Courthouse, 1100 Van Ness Ave. (Criminal and Dependency) | OPEN |
| • B.F. Sisk Courthouse, 1130 "O" St. (Civil/Family/Self-Help Center) | CLOSED |
| • "M" Street Courthouse, 2317 Tuolumne St. (Traffic) | CLOSED |
| • Juvenile Justice Courthouse, 3333 E. American Ave. (Juvenile Justice) | OPEN |
| • Archives Department, 1963 "E" St. | CLOSED |
| • Jail Annex Departments 95 & 96, 1265 "M" St. (Criminal) | CLOSED |

These changes are a result of the Court's strategic planning for operational efficiency during this time of year. The temporary relocation of departments from the "M" Street and B.F. Sisk Courthouses to the Main Courthouse and the Juvenile Justice Courthouse on these dates will provide the Court with the opportunity to better utilize staff resources.

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