

Notice of Courtroom Closures Pursuant to Government Code 68106

To address significant reductions in funding, the Los Angeles Superior Court is implementing \$30 million in staff reductions by June 30, 2012. The plan includes \$6.8 million in savings from removing courtroom staff from certain courtrooms:

- Central Civil: Departments 1A, 12, 19, 39, 44 and 97; three other courtrooms (Departments 3, 89 and 96) will share two courtroom staffs (Mosk);
- Central Family: Departments 8 and 82 (Mosk);
- Central Probate: Department 99 (Mosk);
- Central Criminal: Departments 43, 44, 48, 55 and 110 (Foltz), 7 (East LA), 70 (Metropolitan), 77 (Hollywood), and 83 (Central Arraignment);
- Juvenile Delinquency Departments 204 (Eastlake), 241 (Inglewood), 278 (Sylmar) and 282 (Pomona);
- East District: Departments 5, J, M and O (Pomona);
- North District: Department A22 (Antelope Valley);
- Northeast District: Departments S (Pasadena) and V (Alhambra);
- North Central District: Departments 3 (Glendale) and C (Burbank);
- North Valley District: Departments F44 (Chatsworth), 4 (Santa Clarita) and F (San Fernando);
- Northwest District: Departments 107, 109, M and Y (Van Nuys);
- South District: Departments 4, 10 and L (Long Beach);
- South Central District: one presently unassigned courtroom, Departments 1 and O (Compton);
- Southeast District: Departments 2 (Downey), 6 (Whittier), 6 (Bellflower) and Z (Norwalk);
- Southwest District: Departments 6 and 11 (Torrance) and Department N (Inglewood);
- West District: Departments 1 (Santa Monica), 3 (Malibu), 6 (Beverly Hills) and C (Airport).

The above list includes 24 civil courtrooms, 24 criminal courtrooms, three family law courtrooms, one probate courtroom and four juvenile delinquency courtrooms.

In addition, the Court is closing all departments of the Informal Juvenile Traffic Court (in the Compton, Long Beach, McCourtney, Metropolitan, Norwalk, Pasadena, Pomona, Santa Monica, Sylmar, Torrance and Van Nuys courthouses).

More information is available through the Court's Notices to Attorneys, which can be found on the Court's website at www.lasuperiorcourt.org: click on "News and Media", then click on "Notices to Attorneys". Judicial orders implementing these changes can be found on the Court's website at www.lasuperiorcourt.org: click on "Court Rules" and look under the "Special Notices" tab. Comments on this plan can be made through the Court's website: click on "Public Notice and Inquiry".