

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF MERCED

2260 N Street, Merced
627 W. 21st Street, Merced
1159 G Street, Los Banos

Tuesday, July 2, 2024

NOTE: Merced Superior Court will no longer be consolidating Courtroom 8 and Courtroom 10.

Tentative Rulings are provided for the following Courtrooms and assigned Judicial Officers with scheduled civil calendars:

Courtroom 8 – Judge Pro Tem Peter MacLaren

Courtroom 9 – Judge Pro Tem Alexandria Carl

Courtroom 12 – Hon. Jennifer O. Trimble

Courtroom 10 will continue to post separate Probate Notes that are not included in these tentative rulings.

IMPORTANT: Court Reporters will NOT be provided; parties must make their own arrangements. Electronic recording is available in certain courtrooms and will only be activated upon request.

The specific tentative rulings for specific calendars follow:

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF MERCED

Unlimited Civil Law and Motion
Judge Pro Tem Peter MacLaren
Courtroom 8
627 W. 21st Street, Merced

Tuesday, July 2, 2024
8:15 a.m.

The following tentative rulings shall become the ruling of the court unless a party gives notice of intention to appear as follows:

1. You must call (209) 725-4111 to notify the court of your intent to appear.
2. You must give notice to all other parties before 4:00 p.m. of your intent to appear.

Per California Rules of Court, rule 3.1308(a)(1), failure to do both items 1 and 2 will result in no oral argument. *Note:* Notifying Court Call (the court's telephonic appearance provider) of your intent to appear does not satisfy the requirement of notifying the court.

IMPORTANT: Court Reporters will NOT be provided; parties wanting a hearing transcript must make their own arrangements.

Case No.	Title / Description
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22CV-03359	Victor Cruz v. Hilmar Cheese Co., Inc.
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Motion for Monetary Sanctions of \$26,416.19 against Defendant and its Counsel and for Issue Sanctions and Evidentiary Sanctions pursuant to CCP § 2023.010, 2023.030, and 2025.480(k)

The Motion for Monetary Sanctions of \$26,416.19 against Defendant and its Counsel and for Issue Sanctions and Evidentiary Sanctions pursuant to CCP § 2023.010, 2023.030, and 2025.480(k) is DENIED WITHOUT PREJUDICE. It appears that a PMK Deposition took place at which the designated deponent answered a number of questions and there is no separate statement detailing the questions that were not answered and whether any objections were raised thereto. To the extent that one or more questions relating to the PMK designation were not answered, the parties are ordered to meet and confer concerning how that information will be provided, i.e. either by further deposition of the existing designee or appointment of a supplemental PMK and deposition of that person. The court notes that the identity of individuals who witnessed or were involved in a specified act can be determined by interrogatories as well as PMK deposition.

24CV-02819

Gabriela Torres v. Priscilla Walker

Order to Show Cause re: Restraining Order

Appearance required. Remote appearances are permitted. Parties who wish to appear remotely must contact the clerk of the court at (209) 725-4111 to arrange for a remote appearance. The Court notes that there is no proof of service on file showing service of the papers filed in this matter on Respondent.

24CV-02845

Santiago Vera v. Criselda Chiprez

Order to Show Cause re: Restraining Order

Appearance required. Remote appearances are permitted. Parties who wish to appear remotely must contact the clerk of the court at (209) 725-4111 to arrange for a remote appearance. The Court notes that there is proof of service was filed on June 24, 2024 showing service of the papers filed in this matter on Respondent.

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF MERCED

Jury Trials and Long Cause Court Trials
Judge Pro Tem Peter MacLaren
Courtroom 8
627 W. 21st Street, Merced

Tuesday, July 2, 2024
9:00 a.m.

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Per California Rules of Court, rule 3.1308(a)(1), failure to do both items 1 and 2 will result in no oral argument. *Note:* Notifying Court Call (the court's telephonic appearance provider) of your intent to appear does not satisfy the requirement of notifying the court.

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There are no Jury or Long Cause Court Trials Scheduled

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF MERCED

Ex Parte Matters
Judge Pro Tem Peter MacLaren
Courtroom 8
627 W. 21st Street, Merced

Tuesday, July 2, 2024
1:15 p.m.

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There are no Ex Parte matters scheduled.

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF MERCED

Ex Parte Matters
Judge Pro Tem Alexandria Carl
Courtroom 9
627 W. 21st Street, Merced

Tuesday, July 2, 2024
1:15 p.m.

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2. You must give notice to all other parties before 4:00 p.m. of your intent to appear.

Per California Rules of Court, rule 3.1308(a)(1), failure to do both items 1 and 2 will result in no oral argument. *Note:* Notifying Court Call (the court's telephonic appearance provider) of your intent to appear does not satisfy the requirement of notifying the court.

IMPORTANT: Court Reporters will NOT be provided; parties wanting a hearing transcript must make their own arrangements.

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There are no Ex Parte matters scheduled.

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF MERCED

Ex Parte Matters
Hon. Jennifer O. Trimble
Courtroom 12
1159 G Street, Los Banos

Tuesday, July 2, 2024
1:15 p.m.

The following tentative rulings shall become the ruling of the court unless a party gives notice of intention to appear as follows:

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There are no Ex Parte matters scheduled.

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
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Civil Law and Motion
Hon. Jennifer O. Trimble
Courtroom 12
1159 G Street, Los Banos

Tuesday, July 2, 2024
1:30 p.m.

The following tentative rulings shall become the ruling of the court unless a party gives notice of intention to appear as follows:

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Case No.	Title / Description
24PR-00080	In re: Minor Compromise of Jocelyn Boyd
	Amended Motion for Appointment of a Guardian ad Litem

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF MERCED

Civil Unlawful Detainers
Hon. Jennifer O. Trimble
Courtroom 12
1159 G Street, Los Banos

Tuesday, July 2, 2024
2:00 p.m.

The following tentative rulings shall become the ruling of the court unless a party gives notice of intention to appear as follows:

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24CV-02719	[Parties' names withheld pursuant to CCP § 1161.2(a)(1)]
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Court Trial: Unlawful Detainer

Appearance required. Parties who wish to appear remotely must contact the clerk of the court at (209) 725-4124 to seek permission and arrange for a remote appearance.
