

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF MERCED

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

Tuesday, April 16, 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 – Hon. Brian McCabe

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
Hon. Brian L. McCabe
Courtroom 8
627 W. 21st Street, Merced

Tuesday, April 16, 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.

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Case No.	Title / Description
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20CV-02252	Ray Morris v. Gustine Unified School District
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Motion by Plaintiff Ray Morris to Compel Defendant Gustine Unified School District to Provide Further Responses to Demand for Production of Documents

The Motion by Motion by Plaintiff Ray Morris to Compel Defendant Gustine Unified School District to Provide Further Responses to Demand for Production of Documents is DENIED WITHOUT PREJUDICE. The Moving Papers do not provide a separate statement stating the requests at issue, the response provided, and the reasons that further production should be required. The Court is unable to rule on the merits of any specific objections Defendant has made in its response. While lists of class assignments could potentially be calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence in a disability discrimination case alleging a failure to accommodate or harassment as to workload, the moving papers do not provide sufficient information to determine whether the requests are overbroad seek or seek disclosure of confidential information.

23CV-03070

Hortencia Figueroa-Contreras v. Hilda Ortega

Order to Show Cause re: Dismissal-Notice of Settlement

Appearance required. Remote appearances are permitted. Parties who wish to appear remotely must contact the clerk of the court at (209) 725-4111 arrange for a remote appearance. Appear to address status of settlement.

24CV-01204

Joshua Womach v. Edward Mendoza

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 arrange for a remote appearance. The Court notes that no proof of service has been filed showing service of the documents filed in this case on Respondent.

24CV-01209

April Jackson Womach v. Edward Mendoza

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 arrange for a remote appearance. The Court notes that no proof of service has been filed showing service of the documents filed in this case on Respondent.

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF MERCED

Jury Trials and Long Cause Court Trials
Hon. Brian L. McCabe
Courtroom 8
627 W. 21st Street, Merced

Tuesday, April 16, 2024
9:00 a.m.

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There are no Jury or Long Cause Court Trials Scheduled

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF MERCED

Ex Parte Matters
Hon. Brian L. McCabe
Courtroom 8
627 W. 21st Street, Merced

Tuesday, April 16, 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, April 16, 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.

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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, April 16, 2024
1:15 p.m.

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

Tuesday, April 16, 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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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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24CV-00815	Petition of: Hailie Benetti Gomez
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Order to Show Cause re: Name Change

Appearance required. Remote appearances are permitted. Parties who wish to appear remotely must contact the clerk of the court at (209) 725-4124 arrange for a remote appearance. This Petition by an adult to change her own last name will be granted upon the filing of proof of publication.

24CV-00863	Petition of: Luis Fernandez and Stefany Fernandez
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Order to Show Cause re: Name Change

Appearance required. Remote appearances are permitted. Parties who wish to appear remotely must contact the clerk of the court at (209) 725-4124 arrange for a remote appearance. This Petition by both parents to change the last name of their minor child will be granted upon the filing of proof of publication.

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

Tuesday, April 16, 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-00976	[Parties' names withheld pursuant to CCP § 1161.2(a)(1)]
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Unlawful Detainer Court Trial

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.
