

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF MERCED

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

Friday, February 9, 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 matters:

Courtroom 8 – Hon. Brian McCabe

Courtroom 9 – Judge Pro Tem Peter MacLaren

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

Civil Law and Motion
Hon. Brian L. McCabe
Courtroom 8
627 W. 21st Street, Merced

Friday, February 9, 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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19CV-01184	Larry Anderson, et al. v. Arthur Dunkley, et al.
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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 the status of the Settlement reached at the Mandatory Settlement Conference.

19CV-05020	Ronald E. Clearley v. Mikes Towing and Radiator
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Order to Show Cause Re: Sanctions

OSC Discharged, the Declaration by Ronald E. Clearley establishes that the failure to appear was inadvertent.

21CV-03215

Nicholas Peralta Cruz, et al. v. Ford Motor Company

Status Conference

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 alternative dispute resolution agreed to by stipulation of the parties.

22CV-02518

Clarence Parker v. IC Refrigeration Services, Inc.

Status Conference

The Joint Status Conference Statement filed by the parties thoroughly apprises the Court of the status of this Case. This Status Conference is continued on the Court's own motion to July 26, 2024 at 8:15 A.M. in Courtroom 8 for further status.

23CV-00776

Denise Bond v. County of Merced

Order to Show Cause Re: Sanctions

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 reason Plaintiff did not appear at the January 10, 2024 Case Management Conference.

Case Management Conference

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 case.

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

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20CV-03306	Graciela Munguia, et al. v. Nissan North America, Inc.
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Readiness Conference

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 confirm readiness for February 13, 2024 Jury Trial.

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
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Ex Parte Matters
Judge Pro Tem Peter MacLaren
Courtroom 9
627 W. 21st Street, Merced

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1:15 p.m.

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

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