

## Superior Court of California

COUNTY OF VENTURA
Hall of Justice
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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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## VENTURA SUPERIOR COURT LIMITS SERVICES FOR DECEMBER

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Ventura Superior Court will have limited services December 21, 2020, through December 31, 2020.

The Clerk's Offices and the Family & Civil Self-Help Centers will have no in-person appointments during this time. E-delivery for civil, family law, probate and small claims filings will also be unavailable. Outside Walk-Up Windows at the Hall of Justice in Ventura and the East County Courthouse in Simi Valley will remain open for Criminal/Traffic and Collection Payments only.

All hearings and court proceedings currently scheduled for December 21 and 22, 2020, and December 28 and 29, 2020, will remain on calendar unless continued by the judicial officer presiding over a particular matter or calendar. Parties and attorneys shall follow the courts existing orders as to whether an in-person appearance is allowed.

The court will be fully closed on December 23 and 24, 2020, and December 30 and 31, 2020, except for limited courtrooms hearing emergency criminal, juvenile, unlawful detainer, mental health and temporary restraining order matters.

These measures are part of the court's effort to protect the health and safety of the public, court users and employees.

Please visit the court's website at <a href="http://www.ventura.courts.ca.gov/">http://www.ventura.courts.ca.gov/</a> to review Presiding Judge Bruce A. Young's December 17, 2020, Administrative Order No. 20.42 for details regarding limited services and filing extensions or deadlines.