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NEWS RELEASE

RIVERSIDE SUPERIOR COURT RESTORES SERVICES IN CIVIL MATTERS

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RIVERSIDE COUNTY:

Effective Monday, June 1, 2020, the court rescinded the court holiday provision for all non-emergency general civil and limited civil filings (*except unlawful detainer (evictions) and small claims filings*), which was enacted pursuant to Government Code section 68115.

Beginning June 8, 2020, civil restraining order matters currently being filed in the Hall of Justice will be accepted for filing in the clerk's office of the Riverside Historic Courthouse, located at 4050 Main Street, Riverside.

Beginning June 8, 2020, civil restraining order matters currently being filed in the Larson Justice Center (Indio) will be accepted for filing in the clerk's office of the Palm Springs Courthouse, located at 3255 E. Tahquitz Canyon Way, Palm Springs.

Clerk's Offices

Emergency Matters

Clerk's offices at the Historic Courthouse (Riverside), Southwest Justice Center (Murrieta), and Palm Springs Courthouse will be open daily from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. for processing emergency matters as follows:

- File or pick-up any type of restraining order;
- File temporary guardianship, temporary conservatorship; and
- Request other types of emergency ex parte application relief.

Non-Emergency Matters

Customers may continue to file non-emergency civil documents (*i.e. new complaints, answers, defaults, etc.*) in one of three ways:

- Online via the eSubmit Document Submission Portal at <https://www.riverside.courts.ca.gov/FormsFiling/ESubmit/esubmit.php>

The eSubmit program allows court customers to electronically deliver documents to the court securely via the internet. The eSubmit fee of \$1.85 is suspended through June 30, 2020.

- Mailed or delivered to the court for processing. Addresses can be found on the court's website; or
- By placement in a drop box at any of the open justice centers. Drop boxes are available for customers to drop off filings for submission to the clerk's office.

In addition, on June 1, 2020, the court rescinded the court holiday provision as to appellate filings, which was enacted pursuant to Government Code section 68115.

For more information on the Court's response to the COVID-19 pandemic, please visit the [COVID-19 Court Operations](#) website.

Electronic version available at
<https://riverside.courts.ca.gov/GeneralInfo/MediaInfo/media-info.php>

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