

JUVENILE

Juvenile Justice Court (previously known as delinquency)

Juvenile Justice Court is open, and calendars are being held weekly. However, the Court strongly DISCOURAGES personal attendance by anyone at the courthouse for any hearing due to the severe health threat posed by the pandemic and the transmission of the virus based upon personal contact. Instead, attendance is welcomed and encouraged through telephonic and/or video appearance. If you have any questions about your court case or next appearance, please contact your attorney and/or your probation officer.

All Truancy, Education Code violations, juvenile traffic and minor violation (WIC256) matters which were scheduled but not heard have been continued to a future date in September of 2020 and will be heard at our Grover Beach Branch – 214 S. 16th Street, Grover Beach, CA, 93433. If you have not received notice, have questions or need to update your address, please contact our Juvenile Staff:

- Email SLOJUV@slo.courts.ca.gov
- Phone 805-706-3600 Option 5
 - Option 1 Delinquency/Juvenile Justice
 - Option 2 Dependency/Juvenile Protection
 - Juvenile Traffic/Infraction (WIC256) please call 805-706-3600 Option 1
- Mail – 1050 Monterey St. Rm. 220, San Luis Obispo, CA 93408

Juvenile Protection Court (previously known as dependency)

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Truancy and Education Code Violations

All truancy and adult Education Code violations have been reset for September 2020. Please contact the court if you have not received notice, have questions or need to update your address:

- Email SLOJUV@slo.courts.ca.gov
- Phone 805-706-3600 Option 5
 - Option 1 Delinquency/Juvenile Justice
 - Option 2 Dependency/Juvenile Protection
 - Juvenile Traffic/Minor Violations (WIC256) please call 805-706-3600 Option 1
- Mail – 1050 Monterey St. Rm. 220, San Luis Obispo, CA 93408

Juvenile Traffic and Minor Violations (WIC256)

Juvenile Traffic and Minor Violations court is held weekly at our Grover Beach Branch – 214 S. 16th Street, Grover Beach, CA, 93433. In order to appear in court minors/parents must contact the court to schedule an appointment. The appearance date on the citation is merely a due date. Please contact our Juvenile Department staff by using the following:

- Email SLOJUV@slo.courts.ca.gov
- Phone 805-706-3600 Option 1
- Mail – 1050 Monterey St. Rm. 220, San Luis Obispo, CA 93408

FAQ:

Q: May I still attend court if my youth is detained and his/her/their case is being heard?

A: The Court strongly DISCOURAGES personal attendance by anyone at the courthouse for any juvenile court hearing due to the severe health threat posed by the pandemic and the transmission of the virus based upon personal contact. Instead, attendance is welcomed and encouraged through telephonic and/or video appearance. In exceptional circumstances the court will entertain an application made in advance to attend a hearing. Note, however, that the youth typically will not be present in the courtroom but will also be appearing through remote technology.

Appearances in Juvenile court are made electronically. Please contact your attorney, social worker or probation department for specific information on appearing by Zoom for your hearing.

Q: What if I've moved or the court does not have my current address?

A: Please email a request to update your address to SLOJUV@slo.courts.ca.gov. Make sure to include your full name, date of birth, case number (if you know it) and your new address. If you do not have access to email, you can mail this information listed above to:

**San Luis Obispo Superior Court
1050 Monterey Street, Room 220
San Luis Obispo, CA 93408**

Q: How do I pay for my fine?

A: You can pay your fine in the following ways. Please include your name, date of birth and case number (if you have it) on any payment submitted.

- Online - Fine payments can be made [online](#) using a credit or debit card.
- Mail a personal check, cashier's check or money order (no cash) to:
**San Luis Obispo Superior Court
1050 Monterey Street, Room 222
San Luis Obispo, CA 93408**
- Drop Box - place a personal check, money order or cashier's check on one of our drop box locations
 - SLO – 1050 Monterey Street, San Luis Obispo, CA 93408

- Grover Beach – 214 S. 16th Street, Grover Beach, CA 93433
- Cash payments can be made at a CheckFree location:
- [CheckFree service](#) offers locations at local businesses where you can make cash payments in person.

Check Free Payment Instructions:

- Take your courtesy bail notice or fine statement with you to make your payment
- Fee is \$0.88 - \$2.50, depending upon the retailer.
- Payments must be made in CASH
- Payment information will be transmitted to the court within 1-2 business days.
- We are listed as a vendor in the Wal-Mart system under the name of SLO SUPERIOR COURT
- [Check free payment locations within 50 miles of San Luis Obispo](#)

Q: How can I request information on a Juvenile case/record?

A: Please email your request to SLOJUV@slo.courts.ca.gov. Indicate if you (requestor) are the attorney/minor/related to the minor. You will be asked to fill out a form and email it back to SLOJUV@slo.courts.ca.gov. If you do not have an email, please call (805) 706-3600 Option 5.