



Superior Court of California County of Shasta

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MEDIA RELEASE

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The Superior Court of California, County of Shasta is suspending the start of new jury trials due to the recent surge of COVID-19 cases. All court facilities and offices remain open and all courtrooms are in operation.

The public is advised that the trials currently in progress in Departments 3, 4, and 7 will continue until completion, including the jury selection currently taking place in Dept. 3. No other jury panels will be asked to report commencing January 25, 2022. Anyone that has received a jury summons to appear on January 25, 2022 will be postponed to a later date and a new summons will be sent. Jurors can check the court's website at www.shasta.courts.ca.gov to confirm that they do not have to report for jury duty.

The court anticipates jury trials will resume Tuesday, March 1, 2022.

The court regrets any inconvenience this may cause. The suspension is necessary to protect public's safety while we experience high transmissibility of the Omicron variant in Shasta County.