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## Judge Charles A. Pratt Justice Center Set to Open, Marking Milestone for Kalamazoo County

KALAMAZOO, Mich. – The much-anticipated opening of the Judge Charles A. Pratt Justice Center is scheduled for Dec. 11, marking a significant step forward for the community. This new state-of-the-art facility, located at 330 Eleanor St., Kalamazoo, MI 49007, will serve as the new home for the 9th Circuit Court, 8th District Court, and the Office of the Prosecuting Attorney.

### Key Dates and Information

#### **November 30**

##### **The Crosstown Complex will transition and close its doors at 5 p.m.**

- Circuit Court payments, as well as, civil and personal protection order filings and inquiries from Friday, Dec. 1 through Friday, Dec. 8, can be made in person at the Circuit Court Family Division located at 1536 Gull Road, Kalamazoo MI 49048.

#### **December 4**

##### **The Michigan Avenue location will close to the public at 5 p.m.**

- The District Court will remain open Monday, Dec. 4 through Friday, Dec. 8, 2023, at the MAC location and will handle all civil and criminal matters there. All filings and payments can be submitted to MAC. The court will not offer voluntary warrant turn-in that week.
- The Circuit Court Michigan Avenue clerk's office will be open for agency access only on a limited basis for criminal case filing purposes between Tuesday, Dec. 5 and Friday, Dec. 8, 2023.
- The Circuit Court Michigan Avenue location will be open for limited scheduled hearings between Tuesday, Dec. 5 and Friday, Dec. 8, 2023.

#### **December 11**

##### **Judge Charles A. Pratt Justice Center to open to the public at 8 a.m.**

- All hearings scheduled for and after Monday, Dec. 11, 2023, will be held at the Judge Charles A. Pratt Justice Center.

For any inquiries or assistance during this transition period, we encourage members of the public to reach out to our dedicated clerks via the provided phone numbers and email addresses.

**8th District Court** – 269-384-8171

**9th Circuit Court** – [civilcircuitcourt@kalamazoo.gov](mailto:civilcircuitcourt@kalamazoo.gov), [circuitcourtclerk@kalamazoo.gov](mailto:circuitcourtclerk@kalamazoo.gov), [ppoclerk@kalamazoo.gov](mailto:ppoclerk@kalamazoo.gov) or 269-383-8837

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