

**United States Bankruptcy Court  
Eastern District of California  
Fresno Division, Departments A and B**

**AMENDED MARCH - APRIL 2025**

Hearings on all matters arising in cases or adversary proceedings assigned to Department A or Department B of the Fresno Division of this bankruptcy court shall be heard on the dates and at the times set forth below. All hearings shall be "self-set" by the party requesting the order for which a hearing is required.

Without regard to the county of origin of the case and without court order, all matters in cases or related adversary proceedings may be set either (1) in Fresno at 2500 Tulare Street, 5th Floor, Fresno, California, in Courtroom 11 for Department A matters and in Courtroom 13 for Department B matters, or (2) in Bakersfield at 510 19th Street, Bakersfield, California, for Department A or B matters.

All matters filed and set for hearing, and their supporting papers, shall comply with applicable provisions of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and this court's Local Rules of Practice for the United States Bankruptcy Court, Eastern District of California ("LBR").

All hearings are simultaneously: (1) IN PERSON (Fresno hearings only), (2) via ZOOMGOV VIDEO, (3) via ZOOMGOV TELEPHONE, and (4) via COURTCALL. You may choose any of these options unless otherwise ordered.

Telephonic appearances may be arranged by contacting Court Call at (866) 582-6878 no later than 24 hours before the scheduled hearing. Whether a party may appear telephonically on a particular matter is determined by the rules applicable to telephonic appearances, which may be found under the "Telephone Appearances" link under the "Calendar/Transcripts" heading, located in the right column of the homepage of the Bankruptcy Court Eastern District of California's website ([www.caeb.uscourts.gov](http://www.caeb.uscourts.gov)).

On the day before the court's calendar of hearings, the court releases "Pre-Hearing Dispositions" for many matters on the calendar for which the court found a pre-hearing disposition preferable. Pre-Hearing Dispositions are available (1) the morning of the hearing outside the courtroom or on counsels' table at the applicable location for the hearing as described above; or (2) the day prior to the hearing on the court's website ([www.caeb.uscourts.gov](http://www.caeb.uscourts.gov)) by following the "Pre-Hearing Dispositions" link under "Calendar/Transcripts" heading in the right column of the homepage. Instructions found on the cover page of the Pre-Hearing Dispositions and the applicable ruling should be reviewed prior to the hearing.

Calendar questions should be directed to Vicky McKinney, Calendar Clerk, at (559) 499-5825.

**DEPARTMENT A - JUDGE JENNIFER E. NIEMANN**  
**MARCH and APRIL 2025**

**(Amended to correct hearing times for March 19 Chapter 13 and Adversary Calendars)**

**FRESNO CALENDAR, Courtroom 11, Fifth Floor, 2500 Tulare Street, Fresno, California**

<i>Chapters</i>	<i>Matters</i>	<i>Times</i>	<i>Dates</i>
7	All Motions (except motions in adversary proceedings or reaffirmations)	1:30 p.m.	March 19, 26 April 9, 23, 30
7	Reaffirmations	11:00 a.m.	March 19, 26 April 9, 23, 30
9, 11, 12	All Motions (except motions in adversary proceedings)	9:30 a.m.	March 19, 26 April 9, 23, 30
13	All Motions (except motions in adversary proceedings)	2:00 p.m. 9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m.	March 19 March 27 April 10, 24
All Chapters	Motions in Adversary Proceedings	3:00 p.m. 11:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	March 19 March 27 April 10, 24

**BAKERSFIELD CALENDAR, U.S. Courthouse, 510 19<sup>th</sup> Street, Bakersfield, CA**

<i>Chapters</i>	<i>Matters</i>	<i>Times</i>	<i>Dates</i>
7	All Motions (except motions in adversary proceedings or reaffirmations)	10:00 a.m.	March 6 April 3
7	Reaffirmations	11:30 a.m.	March 6 April 3
9, 11, 12	All Motions (except motions in adversary proceedings)	10:30 a.m.	March 6 April 3
13	All Motions (except motions in adversary proceedings)	9:00 a.m.	March 6 April 3
All Chapters	Motions in Adversary Proceedings	11:00 a.m.	March 6 April 3

**Matters set in chapters 9 and 11 in Bakersfield.** Based on time constraints in Bakersfield, any matters that are not summary in nature may be predisposed by the court to a date on the Fresno calendar, *except* in circumstances where the Bankruptcy Code requires that the hearing take place on the date set.

**DEPARTMENT B - JUDGE RENÉ LASTRETO II**  
**MARCH and APRIL 2025**

**FRESNO CALENDAR, Courtroom 13, Fifth Floor, 2500 Tulare Street, Fresno, California**

<i>Chapters</i>	<i>Matters</i>	<i>Times</i>	<i>Dates</i>
7	All Motions (except motions in adversary proceedings or reaffirmations)	1:30 p.m.	March 11, 25 April 8, 22, 29
7	Reaffirmations	11:00 a.m.	March 11, 25 April 8, 22, 29
9, 11, 12	All Motions (except motions in adversary proceedings)	9:30 a.m.	March 11, 25 April 8, 22, 29
13	All Motions (except motions in adversary proceedings)	9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m.	March 12, 26 April 9, 23, 30
All Chapters	Motions in Adversary Proceedings	11:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	March 12, 26 April 9, 23, 30
All Chapters	Motions for Summary Judgment	11:00 a.m.	March 26 April 23

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<i>Chapters</i>	<i>Matters</i>	<i>Times</i>	<i>Dates</i>
7	All Motions (except motions in adversary proceedings or reaffirmations)	10:00 a.m.	March 5 April 2
7	Reaffirmations	11:30 a.m.	March 5 April 2
9, 11, 12	All Motions (except motions in adversary proceedings)	10:30 a.m.	March 5 April 2
13	All Motions (except motions in adversary proceedings)	9:00 a.m.	March 5 April 2
All Chapters	Motions in Adversary Proceedings Motions for Summary Judgment	11:00 a.m.	March 5 April 2

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