

STATE OF MICHIGAN

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF ALLEGAN

57TH DISTRICT COURT—CONCURRENCE WITH COURT ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2025-09

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners (Board) hereby concurs with Administrative Order 2025-09 to close the 57th District Court on Friday, December 12, 2025, between 11:45 a.m. and 5 p.m. to allow for a staff meeting and employee recognition luncheon; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board Chair is authorized to sign the attached Local Administrative Order 2025-09 from the 57th District Court, which states the date, time, and reason of the office closure, signed by the Honorable Joseph Skocelas, Chief District Court Judge.

State of Michigan



HON. JOSEPH S. SKOCELAS
HON. CHRISTOPHER BURNETT
District Judges

LAURIE J. TANGE
Court Administrator/ Magistrate

HICKORY BUELL
Chief Probation Officer

57TH DISTRICT COURT
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October 29, 2025

Allegan County Board of Commissioners
3283 122nd Avenue
Allegan, MI 49010

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed is the Local Administrative Order required by SCAO for our annual Staff Meeting and Employee Recognition Luncheon. As in years past, we will close early on that day.

Please review the order, and if it meets with the Board's approval, please sign and return to my office for filing with Lansing.

I hope this finds all of you well. As always, thank you for your time and dedication to making Allegan County a great place to live and work.

Warm Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Laurie J. Tange", written over a circular stamp or seal.

Laurie J. Tange
District Court Administrator
Attorney Magistrate

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Administrative Order 2025 - 09

CLOSING FOR STAFF MEETING and EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION LUNCHEON

IT IS ORDERED pursuant to MCR 8.110(C), that the 57th District Court will be closed from 11:45 a.m. through 5:00 p.m. on Friday, December 12, 2025, for a staff meeting and employee recognition luncheon.

A first Notice stating that the Court will be closed will be posted on Monday, December 1, 2025, outside of the District Court Clerk's Office, District Court Probation Department, and District Court Judicial area.

A second Notice stating that the Court will be closed at 11:45 a.m. will be posted the morning of December 12, 2025, outside the District Court Clerk's Office, District Court Probation Department, and District Court Judicial area. This notice shall contain information on emergency contacts, payments, and filings of pleadings.

This Order shall be effective upon approval by the State Court Administrative Office.

Date: 12/1/25

Signature: 
Hon Joseph S. Skocelas, P31714
Chief Judge, 57th District Court

Date: _____

Signature: _____
Gail Dugan
Chairman, Allegan County Board of Commissioners

