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New ‘front end’ criminal remand court in Surrey

SURREY, B.C. - Effective Monday May 30, 2016 a new “front end” criminal remand court will open in the Surrey Provincial Courthouse. An effort to streamline the initial stages of criminal cases, the new remand court will be designated for the next nine months to hear bail hearings, sentencings and arraignment hearings in cases where the charges relate to domestic violence. This Crown initiative is fully supported by Court Services, sheriffs, the Legal Services Society, defence lawyers, federal Crown and the Provincial Court. The new criminal remand court should bring efficiencies to the very busy criminal case load in Surrey. It will be monitored and evaluated to assess its effectiveness.

These are now the court rooms and morning and afternoon start times for Provincial Court criminal matters in Surrey. For more court start times see [BC Provincial Court Locations & Hours](#) on the court’s website.

Adult Criminal	Remand (bail hearings)	101	Mon – Fri	9:30 am, 1:30 pm
	JCM Court	103	Mon – Fri	9:00 am, 10:00 am, 1:30 pm
	Dispositions	102	Mon – Fri	9:30 am, 1:30 pm
	Remand (bail & arraignment hearings, sentencings) for domestic violence (“K”) files	104	Mon – Fri	9:30 am, 1:30 pm
Criminal, Family & Small Claims Trials	Assignment Court	311	Mon – Fri	9:00 am, 1:15 pm
Criminal, Family & Small Claims Trials	Summary Proceedings Court	310	Mon – Fri	9:30 am, 1:30 pm