

MADERA COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

**FINDINGS AND ORDER AFTER HEARING**  
**FOR CUSTODY AND VISITATION**

ALL FORMS CAN BE TYPED OR PRINTED NEATLY  
IN BLACK INK AND SIGNED IN BLUE INK

1. After you have finished in **Court** you will need to go the **Civil Clerk** at the **Civil Division** to obtain a Findings and Order After Hearing Packet. The first couple of pages will be samples to teach and guide you on how to fill out the packet.
2. Fill it out to the best of your ability. You will need to wait one to two days after your court date and at least one week if it was a contested hearing to obtain a copy of the minute order. The minute order will state what happened in court. If Child Support or Property is also an issue, please ask the **Civil Clerk** for the attachment form.
3. Make 2 copies of the Findings and Order After Hearing and make three copies of the mediation report if it was adopted as the order, starting with the page that states introduction the first couple of pages are usually confidential information.
4. Take the Findings and Order After Hearing plus your two copies to the **Civil Clerk** and have it submitted to the court for the Judge's signature.
5. The **Civil Clerk** will call you when it is ready for pick up.
6. For more information you can go online @  
[www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp](http://www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp) or [www.icandocs.org/ca](http://www.icandocs.org/ca)



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City, State and Zip Code

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**E-MAIL ADDRESS (Optional):**

ATTORNEY FOR (Name): **In Pro Per**

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF Madera**

STREET ADDRESS: **200 South G Street**

MAILING ADDRESS: **Same**CITY AND ZIP CODE: **Madera CA 93637**

BRANCH NAME: **Civil Division**

PETITIONER/PLAINTIFF: **Print or Type the Petitioner's name here**

RESPONDENT/DEFENDANT: **Print or type the Respondent's name here**

OTHER PARTY:

## FINDINGS AND ORDER AFTER HEARING

CASE NUMBER:

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1. This proceeding was heard \_\_\_\_\_ on *(date)*: \_\_\_\_\_ at *(time)*: \_\_\_\_\_ in Dept.: \_\_\_\_\_ Room: \_\_\_\_\_  
by Judge *(name)*: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Temporary Judge  
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b. ☐ Respondent/defendant present ☐ Attorney present *(name)*: \_\_\_\_\_  
c. ☐ Other party present ☐ Attorney present *(name)*: \_\_\_\_\_

## THE COURT ORDERS

2. Custody and visitation/parenting time:      ☐ As attached      ☐ on form FL-341      ☐ Other      ☐ Not applicable
3. Child support:      ☐ As attached      ☐ on form FL-342      ☐ Other      ☐ Not applicable
4. Spousal or family support:      ☐ As attached      ☐ on form FL-343      ☐ Other      ☐ Not applicable
5. Property orders:      ☐ As attached      ☐ on form FL-344      ☐ Other      ☐ Not applicable
6. Attorney's fees      ☐ As attached      ☐ on form FL-346      ☐ Other      ☐ Not applicable
7. Other orders:      ☐ As attached      ☐ Not applicable
8. All other issues are reserved until further order of court.
9. ☐ This matter is continued for further hearing on *(date)*: \_\_\_\_\_ at *(time)*: \_\_\_\_\_ in Dept.: \_\_\_\_\_  
on the following issues: \_\_\_\_\_

Date:

**Do not sign here, the Judicial Officer signs here**

JUDICIAL OFFICER

Approved as conforming to court order.

SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY FOR ☐ PETITIONER/PLAINTIFF ☐ RESPONDENT/DEFENDANT ☐ OTHER PARTY



PETITIONER: Print or type the Petitioner's name here RESPONDENT: Print or type the Respondent's name here OTHER PARENT/PARTY:	CASE NUMBER: Print or type your case # here
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**CHILD CUSTODY AND VISITATION (PARENTING TIME) ORDER ATTACHMENT**

- TO ☐ Findings and Order After Hearing (form FL-340) ☐ Judgment (form FL-180) ☐ Judgment (form FL-250)  
☐ Stipulation and Order for Custody and/or Visitation of Children (form FL-355)  
☐ Other (specify):

1. **Jurisdiction.** This court has jurisdiction to make child custody orders in this case under the Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act (Fam. Code, §§ 3400–3465).
2. **Notice and opportunity to be heard.** The responding party was given notice and an opportunity to be heard, as provided by the laws of the State of California.
3. **Country of habitual residence.** The country of habitual residence of the child or children in this case is  
☒ the United States ☐ Other (specify):
4. **Penalties for violating this order.** If you violate this order, you may be subject to civil or criminal penalties, or both.
5. ☒ **Child Custody.** Custody of the minor children of the parties is awarded as follows:

<u>Child's Name</u>	<u>Birth Date</u>	<u>Legal custody to: (person who makes decisions about health, education, etc.)</u>	<u>Physical custody to: (person with whom child lives)</u>
List your child(ren) in this section pertaining to this case.	each child's date of birth	list here if you are requesting sole or joint legal custody	list here if you are requesting sole or joint physical custody

6. ☐ **Child abduction prevention.** There is a risk that one of the parties will take the children out of California without the other party's permission. (Child Abduction Prevention Orders Attachment (form FL-341(B)) must be attached and must be obeyed.)

7. ☒ **Visitation (Parenting Time)**
  - a. ☐ Reasonable right of visitation to the party without physical custody (not appropriate in cases involving domestic violence)
  - b. ☐ See the attached \_\_\_\_\_-page document
  - c. ☐ The parties will go to child custody mediation or child custody recommending counseling at (specify date, time, and location):
  - d. ☐ No Visitation (Parenting Time)
  - e. ☒ Visitation (Parenting Time) for the ☒ petitioner ☐ respondent ☐ other (name):  
will be as follows:

- (1) ☒ **Weekends starting (date):**

(Note: The first weekend of the month is the first weekend with a Saturday.)

☒ 1st ☐ 2nd ☒ 3rd ☐ 4th ☒ 5th weekend of the month

from	Friday	at	6:00	a.m.	p.m./ if applicable, specify:	<input type="checkbox"/> start of school <input type="checkbox"/> after school
	(day of week)		(time)			
to	Sunday	at	6:00	a.m.	p.m./ if applicable, specify:	<input type="checkbox"/> start of school <input type="checkbox"/> after school
	(day of week)		(time)			

- (a) ☐ The parties will alternate the fifth weekends, with the ☐ petitioner ☐ respondent ☐ other parent/party having the initial fifth weekend, which starts (date):
- (b) ☐ The ☐ petitioner ☐ respondent ☐ other parent/party will have the fifth weekend in ☐ odd ☐ even numbered months.

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e. (2)  Alternate weekends starting (date):

to \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ a.m. \_\_\_\_\_ p.m./ if applicable, specify: \_\_\_\_\_ start of school  
(day of week) (time) \_\_\_\_\_ after school

(3)  Weekdays starting (date):

from \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ a.m. \_\_\_\_\_ p.m./ if applicable, specify: \_\_\_\_\_ start of school  
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to \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ a.m. \_\_\_\_\_ p.m./ if applicable, specify: \_\_\_\_\_ start of school  
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(4) ☐ Other visitation (parenting time) days and restrictions are: ☐ listed in Attachment 7e(4) (form MC-025 may be used for this purpose) ☐ as follows:

8. ☐ Supervised visitation (parenting time). Until ☐ further order of the court ☐ other (specify):

The ☐ petitioner ☐ respondent ☐ other (name):

will have supervised visitation (parenting time) with the minor children according to the schedule set forth on page 1.

(You must attach *Supervised Visitation Order* (form FL-341(A).)

9. ☐ Transportation for visitation (parenting time)

a. The children must be driven only by a licensed and insured driver. The car or truck must have legal child restraint devices.

b. ☐ Transportation to begin the visits will be provided by the ☐ petitioner ☐ respondent  
☐ other (specify):

c. ☐ Transportation from the visits will be provided by the ☐ petitioner ☐ respondent  
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d.  The exchange point at the beginning of the visit will be at (address):

e. ☐ The exchange point at the end of the visit will be at (address):

f. ☐ During the exchanges, the party driving the children will wait in the car and the other party will wait in his or her home (or exchange location) while the children go between the car and the home (or exchange location).

g. ☐ Other (specify):

10. ☐ Travel with children. The ☐ petitioner ☐ respondent ☐ other parent/party (name):

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a. ☐ the state of California.

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11. ☐ **Holiday schedule.** The children will spend holiday time as listed ☐ below ☐ in the attached schedule (*Children's Holiday Schedule Attachment (form FL-341(C))* may be used for this purpose.)
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ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY (Name, State Bar number, and address):      TELEPHONE NO.: _____ FAX NO. (Optional): _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS (Optional): _____ ATTORNEY FOR (Name): _____	<b>FOR COURT USE ONLY</b>
<b>SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF Madera</b> STREET ADDRESS: <b>200 South G Street</b> MAILING ADDRESS: <b>Same</b> CITY AND ZIP CODE: <b>Madera CA 93637</b> BRANCH NAME: <b>Civil Division</b>	
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