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Sacramento County Complying with Same-Sex Marriage Supreme Court Decision

Sacramento, CA. – Because the United States Supreme Court dismissed the case challenging California’s ruling that Proposition 8 is unconstitutional, the Appellate court will likely lift the stay authorizing marriage licensing and civil marriage ceremonies for same-sex couples. The Sacramento County Clerk Recorder office will comply with the decision of the Appellate Court as soon as the stay is lifted.

“Once the stay is lifted, we are prepared to handle an increased volume of marriage applications,” said County Clerk Recorder Craig Kramer. “We ask that couples please make appointments to avoid long lines and displacing those that made appointments earlier.

As soon as we have clearance, people may apply for licenses immediately, though there may be a delay. Couples can get married that day at the Clerk Recorder’s Office if time permits.

Wait time could vary depending on the number of applications, waiting times could be very long and it would be beneficial if couples made appointments.

Find more information at:

<http://www.ccr.saccounty.net/Pages/MarriageLicensesAndCeremonies.aspx>

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Locations:

Downtown Sacramento 600 8th Street Sacramento, CA 95814 Corner of 8th and F Streets	East Area Service Center 5229-B Hazel Avenue Fair Oaks, CA 95628 Corner of Madison and Hazel Avenues
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