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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**  
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**PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT FROM RAMAH JUDICIAL DISTRICT**

The Ramah Judicial District building is closed September 16, 2021 to September 17, 2021. The Ramah District Court will reopen on September 21, 2021, for essential services only.

The Crownpoint Judicial District Court will accept petitions for domestic abuse protection orders and motions for immediate temporary protection orders for the Ramah District Court. Please contact the Crownpoint Judicial District Court by telephone at (505) 786-2307 or by email at [nncpcourt@navajo-nsn.gov](mailto:nncpcourt@navajo-nsn.gov) for information on how to file. The Crownpoint District Court may also be contacted by fax at (505) 786-2086.

To pay any fine or fee, mail a money order payable to the “Navajo Nation” to: Ramah District Court, P.O. Box 309, Ramah, N.M. 87321 Include citation/court document and contact information. All fines or fees mailed will be processed as received on the postmarked date.

A downloadable “Application for Protection from Domestic Abuse and Service of Process” is available on the Navajo Nation Courts website at [www.courts.navajo-nsn.gov](http://www.courts.navajo-nsn.gov). If there are any issues while the Ramah District Court is closed, please contact Crownpoint Judicial District Court for assistance.

If an emergency protection order is needed on a weekend or holiday, please contact the local police department for assistance.

The Judicial Branch reminds the public that there are a limited number of staff working in order to prevent the spread of COVID-19 and asks for patience during this time as the Court continues to offer essential services during the public health emergency. For the latest information and announcements, please visit [www.courts.navajo-nsn.gov](http://www.courts.navajo-nsn.gov).

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