

The 35th  
District Court

# HOW TO GET LEGAL AND SOCIAL SERVICES HELP



A case has been filed in the 35th District Court that could result in your eviction. The claims that have been made and the date and time to appear in court are in the attached documents.

Your landlord, or the party bringing this case against you, has made allegations that they have a right to recover possession of the rental premises.

**You have the right to raise defenses and you have the right to be represented by an attorney.** A party that is a corporation or LLC must be represented by legal counsel.

Assistance programs have different eligibility requirements. Contact the below organizations as soon as possible if you need help.

Free legal services are available:



<https://ladadetroit.org/>  
877- 964-4700



(888) 783-8190  
[Lakeshorelegalaid.org](http://Lakeshorelegalaid.org)

If you need help paying your rent or if you need financial help to move, contact the following agencies as soon as possible: You do not need a judgment to apply for help.



To apply for the State Emergency Relief  
Program (SER) contact:  
Apply online at:  
[newmibridges.michigan.gov](http://newmibridges.michigan.gov)

(313) 375-2500 (Taylor Location)  
(313) 792-7700 (Inkster Location)



**Wayne Metro CONNECT Center**  
313-388-9799  
[www.waynemetro.org](http://www.waynemetro.org)



You must provide proof to the Court in writing that an application for aid has been submitted for processing within five days of your first court appearance.

You have the right to demand a jury trial. You must make the demand for jury trial at your first court appearance or **within five days thereof in writing** and pay the fee unless the fee is waived (MCR 2.002).

*The 35th District Court cannot provide advice or representation. Revised 6.25.2025*