Help for Court-goers

Join Zoom Court | <u>kanecourt.org</u> Go to website, click Join Zoom Court, find your Court Room or Judge, click Join Hearing and choose Join with Zoom or Join by Phone.

eFiling Court Documents <u>cic.countyofkane.org</u> Select eFiling on the Circuit Clerk's website.

16th Judicial Circuit

illinois16thjudicialcircuit.org/ Find general court information and procedures under the **Public** tab.

Free Legal Forms

IL Supreme Court Standardized State Forms illinoiscourts.gov/forms/approved Free, online fillable forms with instructions accepted in all Illinois courts.

Illinois Legal Aid | <u>illinoislegalaid.org</u> A website with forms, instructions, guides, and trusted legal information.

Kane County Circuit Clerk | <u>cic.countyofkane.org</u> Select Court Forms to download and print.

Legal Aid Agencies

Administer Justice 855-818-4554 \$30 non-refundable fee. administerjustice.org

Prairie State Legal Services 630-690-2130 Toll free: 800-531-7057 pslegal.org

Free Legal Question Help

Divorce & Family Law Help Walk-in Service

Kane County Law Library & Self Help Legal Center 37W777 IL Rt. 38, St. Charles, IL Mondays 8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Family lawyers volunteer to answer brief divorce and family law questions for self-represented litigants with possible Kane County cases. Priority is given to those who have been sent by a judge and need to immediately return to court. *No income qualification.*

Divorce & Family Law Help Call-in Service *Thursdays 11 a.m. - 12 p.m.* | **630-406-7126** Family lawyers volunteer to answer brief divorce and family law questions for self-represented litigants with possible Kane County cases. *No income qualification.*

Ask a Lawyer Day Kane County Bar Association 630-762-1900 | Call-in Service

9 a.m. - Noon, Second Saturday of every month Ask lawyers your Kane County **civil** legal questions (no criminal questions) by phone. No income qualification.

Free Legal Answers American Bar Association il.freelegalanswers.org/

Virtual legal advice clinic for **civil** questions. Qualifying users post their civil legal question to the website. Users will be emailed when their question receives a response from a volunteering attorney. *Income qualification is needed*.

Illinois Armed Forces Legal Aid Network 855-IL-AFLAN or 855-452-3526

M-F 9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. | <u>ilaflan.org</u> Hotline for eligible IL veterans and service members (National Guard and Reserves), spouses, and dependents in Illinois.

General, Divorce & Family Law Resources

16th Judicial Circuit Kane County, Illinois



Quick Legal Help



Kane County Law Library & Self Help Legal Center 630-406-7126 | kclawlibrary.org

Kane County Judicial Center | 2nd Floor 37W777 IL Rt. 38, St. Charles, IL 60175 Hours: M, T, Th, F 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Wed 8:30 a.m. - 7 p.m.

The Law Library is open to everyone. Find trusted legal resources while using wi-fi, scanners, printers, and computers for Zoom, eFiling, and filling out forms. LIVE chat available on website.

Kane Court Partners | <u>kanecourt.org</u> Easily connect to **Zoom** court hearings, find your court date, sign up for court reminders and find other helpful information when you use this mobile-friendly website.



Illinois Legal Aid Online illinoislegalaid.org

Easy-to-use and trustworthy website with instructions, free legal forms, and how-to's on:

- Getting a divorce
- □ Changing your name
- □ Filing a small claims case
- □ Getting child support
- □ Changing a court date
- □ Serving a summons
- □ Many more every day legal scenarios

Legal Resources

Kane County Circuit Clerk

540 S. Randall Rd., St. Charles, IL 60174 630-232-3413 | <u>cic.countyofkane.org</u> Find court fees, forms, General Orders, schedule a court date, sign up for court notifications, find your hearing date, and eFile/file into your case.

Illinois General Assembly | ilga.gov

Features *Illinois Compiled Statutes* (the laws of Illinois), legislative resources, district maps, and state legislator locator.

Illinois Attorney General

illinoisattorneygeneral.gov

Protects consumers and businesses victimized by fraud, deception, or unfair competition; helps victims of identity theft.

Find a Lawyer to Hire

Illinois State Bar Association isba.org/public/illinoislawyerfinder

Kane County Bar Association kanecountybar.org/lawyer-referral

Filing Bankruptcy

United States Bankruptcy Court Northern District of Illinois ilnb.uscourts.gov

Upsolve | <u>upsolve.org</u> Free nonprofit bankruptcy filing tool.

Child Support Resources

Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services (HFS)

illinois.gov/hfs/childsupport

Child support estimator and information for custodial and non-custodial parents about establishing paternity and establishing, enforcing, and modifying child support obligations.

HFS Application for Child Support Services illinois.gov/hfs/csassist/pages/csappivd.aspx Use this form to apply for child support services through HFS.

Kane County State's Attorney's Office Child Support Division | 630-232-3500

Kane County Judicial Center | Suite 300 saopublic.co.kane.il.us/pages/childsupport.aspx Provides legal representation to IL Department of Healthcare & Family Services. You must sign up with HFS for Title IV-D to receive assistance with child support enforcement.

Illinois State Disbursement Unit

ilsdu.com

IL child support payment processing center.

Eviction Resources

Kane County Law Library Website

kclawlibrary.org/pages/housing-landlord-

tenant.aspx

Up-to-date information on eviction & foreclosure.

Kane County Eviction Mediation Program 630-762-2758

illinois16thjudicialcircuit.org/pages/ evictionmediation.aspx

Going to Eviction Court in Kane County illinois16thjudicialcircuit.org/pages/evictioncourt.aspx

Resources for Families

Kane County Children's Waiting Room

Kane County Judicial Center | Lower Level 37W777 IL Rt. 38, St. Charles, IL | **630-232-3954** <u>kanecountybarfoundation.org/kane-county-</u> childrens-waiting-room

Free, short-term supervised child care for people with court-related business.

Kids 1st Program

Kane County Diagnostic Center 530 S. Randall Rd., St. Charles, IL 60174 **630-232-5856** | <u>kids1stkanecounty.com</u> Kane County Circuit Court's mandated parenting education program for when the allocation of parental responsibilities may be at issue.

Our Family Wizard

ourfamilywizard.com

Online and mobile communication tool to make shared parenting easier.

Domestic Violence

Orders of Protection

Kane County Judicial Center | Room 149 37W777 IL Rt. 38, St. Charles, IL 60175 ⊠JUDcomm@16thcircuit.illinoiscourts.gov M-F 8:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.; 1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. illinois16thjudicialcircuit.org/pages/emergencyorder-of-protection.aspx

Family or household members may apply for protection from abuse or to reduce abuser's access to the victim.

Domestic Violence Shelters

Mutual Ground, Inc.

630-897-0080 | <u>mutualground.org</u>

Community Crisis Center

847-697-2380 | <u>crisiscenter.org</u>