



# Temple of Justice

## FACILITY USE INFORMATION FOR VISITORS

### Physical Address

Temple of Justice  
415 12th Ave SW  
Olympia, WA 98504

### Building Hours

Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

#### DIRECTIONS FROM I-5 NORTH

- Take Exit 105
- Stay left towards State Capitol/City Center
- Stay on 14th Ave SE, through roundabout and onto the Capitol Campus – 14th Ave SE turns into Sid Snyder Ave SW.
- Turn right on Cherry Lane
- Turn left on 12th Ave SW

#### DIRECTIONS FROM I-5 SOUTH

- Take Exit 105
- Stay left towards State Capitol/City Center
- Stay on 14th Ave SE, through roundabout and onto the Capitol Campus – 14th Ave SE turns into Sid Snyder Ave SW.
- Turn right on Cherry Lane
- Turn left on 12th Ave SW

### Parking

The Temple of Justice parking lot is reserved for employees only. Visitors can pay an hourly fee to park in designated visitor parking lots on the capitol campus. Click here for a [map of visitor parking](#), including ADA accessible parking, around the capitol campus.

### Building Access

Visitors must enter the Temple of Justice through the South Entrance on the Main Level (side facing the Legislative Building) where they will undergo security screening. Click here for a [Capitol Campus map](#) to locate the south side of the building.

All other doors into the Temple of Justice are secure, requiring card key access to enter. If visitors exit the building, even momentarily, they must reenter through the South entrance and undergo security screening.

ADA Access is available through the East Entrance of the Building (side facing Cherry Lane). If you need ADA access, please use the intercom located at the East Entrance.



AERIAL VIEW OF BUILDING



FRONT ENTRANCE OF BUILDING

## Security

In order to provide a safe and secure facility, a number of security systems and processes are in place, some of which you will encounter when you visit the Temple of Justice. Visitors must undergo security screening for weapons and other prohibited items, which include any dangerous weapon, voice-amplification devices, or signs.

The security screening process requires visitors to pass through a metal detector and have their personal belongings (i.e. purses, backpacks, etc.) visually inspected upon entering the Temple of Justice.

All visitors should be prepared to:

- Empty all pockets and place contents in the container provided at the screening checkpoint. Items such as keys, cell phones, and other handheld electronic devices must be placed on the table or container for screening.
- Remove large pieces of jewelry, watches and belts and place them in the container(s) provided.
- Provide purses, briefcases, laptops and cases, backpacks, coats and other handheld items to security personnel for visual inspection and screening.
- Undergo additional screening with a hand-held screening device if the metal detector alarm is triggered.
- If you have a disability and need accommodations for the screening process, please arrive at the East Door and push the intercom button. A representative from the Bailiff/Security Unit will come down and let you in and go through the screening process.

## Building Layout (Floors)

The Temple of Justice building has three levels — Main Level, Lower Level, and Upper Level. This document includes general information regarding the commonly used areas on the main level and lower level.

### Main Level

#### **A MAIN LEVEL FOYER/SCREENING**

Upon entering the South Entrance, visitors will enter the main foyer area.

#### **B COURTROOM**

The Courtroom is located on the West end of the foyer.

#### **C CHIEF'S RECEPTION ROOM**

The Chief's Reception Room is located just past the Courtroom, toward the Northwest end of the foyer.

#### **D RESTROOMS**

There are two single-stall restrooms located on the East and West end of the foyer on the Main Level.

#### **E ADA ACCESS**

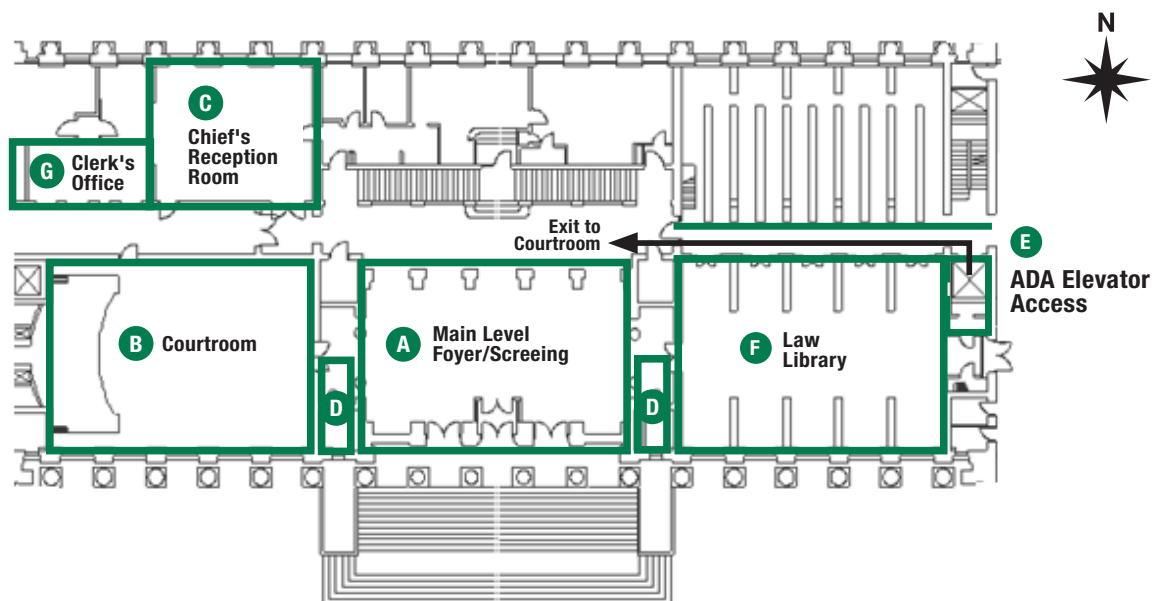
To access the Lower Level, use the elevator located at the East end of the Hallway.

#### **F LAW LIBRARY**

The Law Library is located on the East end of the foyer.

#### **G CLERK'S OFFICE**

The Clerk's Office is located around the corner from the Courtroom, to the left.



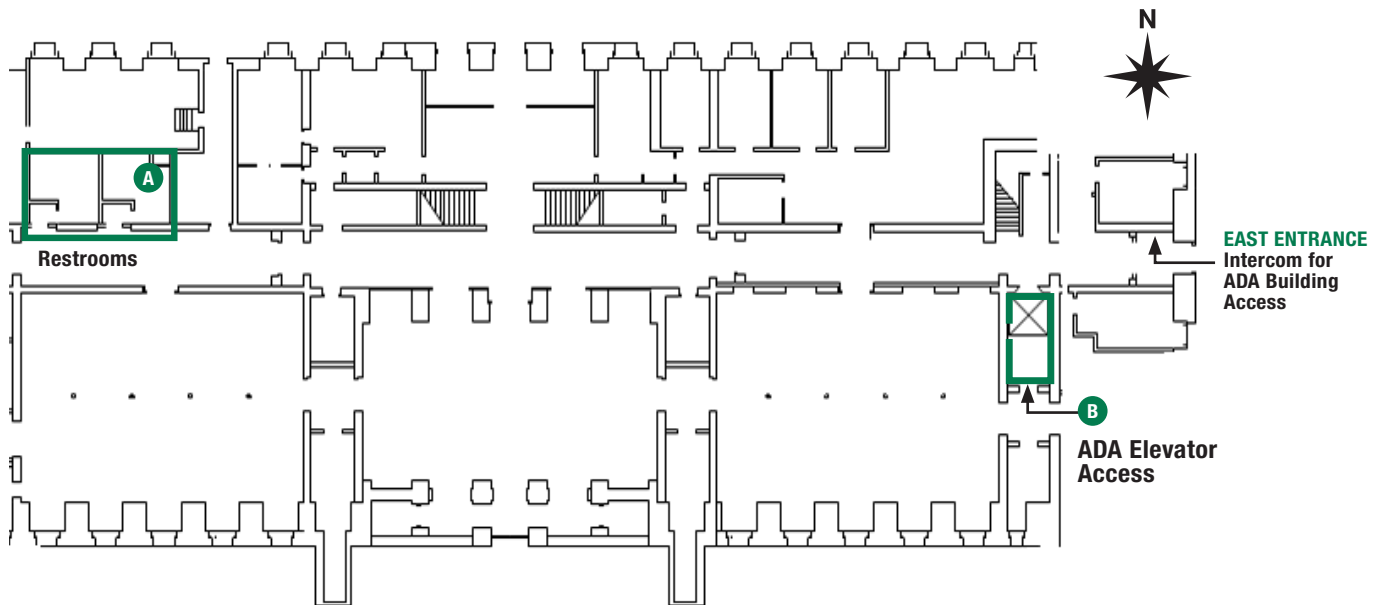
## Lower Level

### A RESTROOMS

The restrooms on the Lower Level are located at the West end of the Hallway.

### B ADA ACCESS

To access the Main Level, use the elevator located at the East end of the Hallway. For assistance, ring the Intercom located outside the East Entrance.



## Smoking Area

There is a smoking receptacle located outside the Exit doors on the East and West end of the Hallway on the Lower Level and on the Northwest corner of the Temple of Justice, attached to a light pole. If you exit the building, you will be required to reenter at the South Entrance on the Main Level and undergo security screening.

## Accommodations

If you require an accommodation or service to fully participate in a Washington Supreme Court event, please contact Ashley Lipford, Supreme Court Administrator at [Ashley.Lipford@courts.wa.gov](mailto:Ashley.Lipford@courts.wa.gov) or (360) 357-2097 prior to the event.

## Assisted Listening Device

Visit our [Assisted Listening Device web page](#) for instructions on how to join the Supreme Court's Assisted Listening Device Wi-Fi network.