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**Fargo Regional Child Support Enforcement Unit to Move May 29**

BISMARCK, N.D. – The N.D. Department of Human Services' Fargo Regional Child Support Enforcement Unit is moving from the Cass County Courthouse to a new address in late May. Beginning June 2, parents should seek services at 4950 13<sup>th</sup> Avenue S., Suite 22 – in the Time Square East Retail Center near Walmart and Sam's Club.

State Child Support Enforcement Division Director Mike Schwindt said the move will temporarily disrupt local services, which will consist of limited phone service on May 29 and 30, as work stations and computers are moved. Customers can contact the Fargo Regional Child Support Enforcement Unit at 701-298-4900 during and after the move, or the central office customer service line in Bismarck at 1-800-231-4255.

Customers will not be able to visit with caseworkers in person during the move. Signs notifying customers of the move have been posted in the courthouse location. Parents can also conduct child support enforcement business on the agency's secure Web site at [www.childsupportnd.com](http://www.childsupportnd.com).

"The move was not unexpected after the regional enforcement unit became part of the state Child Support Enforcement Division on July 1, 2007," Schwindt said. "The courthouse is crowded, and the county understandably needs space for county employees."

Schwindt said the move has some benefits for customers. Parking should improve, and it is near public transportation. In addition, the new space will have a secure room where customers can talk confidentially with staff.

All phone numbers will remain the same. However, beginning June 2, the fax number will change to 701-298-4930 and the correct mailing address will be PO Box 2987.

The Fargo Regional Child Support Enforcement Unit employs 23 people. Staff members establish child support obligations, enforce support obligations, establish paternity, and conduct support reviews and adjustments.

For information about child support enforcement services, visit [www.childsupportnd.com](http://www.childsupportnd.com).

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