

ADDRESS DIRECTORY · BRENTWOOD

Official Offices in Brentwood: Immigration, Court and Passports 2026

We publish no federal administrative office street address. The immigration court is not in this city; we write the address of the state's only court and no distance figure.

SHORT ANSWER

This guide leaves some addresses out **deliberately** and we say why: in this series **no street address is published for any immigration agency, immigration enforcement unit, customs agency or Social Security Administration office**, and this round the reason is also concrete: the customs agency's site would not open even with a full browser header set. **The only accurate sentence is this: the address you go to is the address on your appointment notice.** On the court side the answer is clear and it is a concrete burden for this city: **there is no immigration court in Brentwood, the state's only immigration court is in another city**, and its address is **Brinkley Plaza, 80 Monroe Avenue, Suite 501, Memphis, TN 38103**. **We write no distance or drive time figure**, but plan the travel, the lodging and the time off work from the start.

Why there are no addresses, and what is here instead

Publishing no address is not the same as there being no office. The address is on **your appointment notice** and in the agencies' own office finders. The table below shows which door each task goes through.

TASK	WHERE TO LOOK
Green card and citizenship interviews	Field office list . No walk-ins
Fingerprint and photo appointment	Application support center list . You do not choose the center ; it is on the I-797C notice
Asylum interview	The agency's own office list . We could not confirm a separate asylum office in this state . Form I-589 is not filed in person
Case status and appointment requests	The agency's office finder and the case status page ; Contact Center 1-800-375-5283 , appointments are free
Processing times	The processing times page ; select the form, the category and the office holding your case
A regular check-in requirement	The agency's own check-in page . If you hold an appointment notice, the address on that notice governs
Locating someone in custody	The agency's search page . We could not verify how these agencies are organized in this state from a primary source and we write no field office name

TASK	WHERE TO LOOK
I-94 record	The customs agency's lookup page
Correcting an entry error	The agency's own list page . The location and hours of the office in this area could not be verified , so we do not write them
Social Security matters	The agency's office finder , with your ZIP code. General line 1-800-772-1213

And there is a concrete reason to search by ZIP code in this city: your ZIP code **also covers land outside the city limits**, so the place name on the envelope does not show which government your address legally belongs to. The same rule applies when you look for a passport acceptance facility.

DO NOT CONFUSE THREE AGENCIES, AND HERE THE DISTINCTION COVERS A FOURTH

- The immigration agency and the enforcement unit are part of **the homeland security department**, while the immigration courts belong to a separate agency under **the justice department**. The agency does not answer what you ask the court, and the court does not answer what you ask the agency.
- **There is a fourth institution and it is not federal:** a **centralized immigration enforcement division** created in 2025 inside the state's own safety department. It is a state unit coordinating cooperation between the state, local governments and federal authorities.
- **It reaches the reader in three places:** in a public benefit application, in contact with the county jail and law enforcement, and through grants distributed to local law enforcement.
- **And a verified detail:** this division's reporting form is **closed to the public** and, in its own page's words, not downloadable by the public; only authorized agencies may request access. **So this is a form that institutions fill in.** We write this because the opposite reading circulates online.
- **What an application support center does not do:** it does not give information about your case. Ask case questions at the Contact Center.

The local cooperation list: this county is on it, and here is what that does not mean

The state's own immigration enforcement division lists, one by one, the counties participating in the federal cooperation program. **As read on October 12, 2026, the list contains 93 of the state's 95 counties, and this county is on it.** That is accurate. **The list is undated;** the line above should not be quoted without that reading date. **But three things cannot be left out of the same breath.**

- 1 This is not a question of protection but of delegated authority.** These programs concern a local sheriff being vested with federal authority; **federal immigration enforcement applies everywhere in the state, in a listed county and an unlisted one alike. A county's absence from the list does not mean there is no enforcement there, and its presence does not establish a separate legal regime.** Indeed one of the federal cases filed in this state concerns traffic stops conducted by the state highway patrol.
- 2 Today's picture is not permanent.** A 2026 act requires **every county sheriff to enter a cooperation program by January 1, 2027** and allows state funds to be withheld from those who do not. **Put that date on your calendar.**

3 The city is not the body that decides, and that has particular meaning here. The statute says expressly that the agreement **is not subject to the approval of the local government the sheriff serves.** This city has **its own police department** and **its own municipal court**, but **this decision belongs to the county sheriff.** A city resolution or a commission vote does not change the picture.

Which model of agreement a county holds, and this sheriff's current practice, **were not verified this round; we say neither that there is none nor that it is a particular way.** This guide attaches **no label to this city in either direction.**

THE PROVISION ABOUT LOCAL LEGISLATORS, AND A CONTRADICTION WE PRINT

- An act passed in the 2025 Extraordinary Session created a **felony** and **removal from office** for members of a local governing body who vote in favor of a policy limiting federal immigration enforcement. Seven members of another city's local council in this state filed suit on **June 24, 2025**; the case is *Capp v. Funk*, Davidson County Chancery Court.
- **The outcome:** in February 2026 an agreed order between the state and the plaintiffs was reported, with the state abandoning its defense of these provisions. **So the text remains on the books but these provisions are not being applied.**
- **We print a contradiction and take no side:** some news sources frame the result as **held unconstitutional**, while the plaintiffs' own page calls it a **settlement**. **The docket number and the text of the order were not found this round**, so we write the name of the case and not its number. **We do not say it does not exist; we say we could not verify it.**
- **And do not widen the scope.** The petition covered only two provisions concerning **local government officials**; parallel provisions of the same act concerning state officials were not the subject of the petition and whether the settlement covers them **is not known**. **A general sentence like "the felony was struck down" would be wrong.**
- **This provision is not the reader's provision anyway:** it is about the members of a local governing body and says nothing about your case.

The immigration court: not in this city

ITEM	INFORMATION
A court in this city	None. No record under this city, this county or this area appears on the federal agency's own operational status list
The state's only court	Memphis Immigration Court, Brinkley Plaza, 80 Monroe Avenue, Suite 501, Memphis, TN 38103. Listed as open on the federal list
The state count	The same list shows one court in its state count
The same court's second hearing location	In another state , listed as a separate line on the federal list. Check which line your notice points to
Internet-based hearings	The information is published on the agency's own page. But remote participation is a possibility and the judge decides; this guide does not promise it to you. Make the request through your attorney and make it EARLY

ITEM	INFORMATION
Name-trap scan	Run line by line this round and came back clean: no immigration court in another state bearing this place's or this area's name was found
Distance and time	We do not write them. This series does not publish distance figures; plan the travel, the lodging and the time off work from the start

Why we write the court address but not the others: in this series administrative agency addresses are not published, **court addresses are**. They are not the same rule.

PLANNING THE HEARING DAY: THREE LINES SPECIFIC TO THIS CITY

- **If you have no car, build the plan three days ahead.** Research found no municipal bus system of this city's own; the regional demand-response service requires a reservation **seventy-two hours ahead for trips leaving the county** and takes **cash or its own card only**.
- **If you are driving yourself, read the registration and license regimes first:** the card issued to someone with temporary lawful presence is **time-limited** and **says so on its face**; for vehicle registration, **status documentation is required at an initial registration from January 1, 2027**.
- **Account for the weather.** The transportation department's January 2026 statement describes icing **statewide** and asked drivers not to travel; if your hearing falls in the winter months, consider leaving a day early.

THE FEDERAL REGULATION'S BAND: NO POINT IN THIS STATE IS INSIDE IT

- **The regulation's test is geographic:** the external boundary means the **land borders and the territorial seas** of the United States; a reasonable distance is defined as **100 air miles** from that external boundary. **That figure is the regulation's own parameter, not a distance between the places in this guide.**
- **This state has neither an international land border nor a coastline.** So no point in it is inside that band, and neither is this city. **Bordering another state is not what this rule is about.**
- **First caveat:** a subsection of the same provision says that in unusual circumstances a distance **greater than 100 miles** may also be reasonable, so this is not an absolute ceiling.
- **Second and more important caveat: this band concerns only a particular search and stop authority.** The other powers of immigration enforcement apply nationwide. **Do not conclude from being outside the band that there is no immigration enforcement here.**

If you are going to court: the agency's own rules

- **Faxes and unauthorized electronic filings are not accepted.** Unless staff or the judge has specifically asked for them, documents sent in are **not entered on the record** and, in the agency's own words, **are discarded without being reviewed and without notice to the sender**.
- **A security screening at every visit:** a metal detector and a bag search; you may be asked to remove your shoes; no food or drink without the judge's permission; **cameras and recording devices are prohibited**.
- **Hearings are open to the public** and, in the agency's own words, no advance notice is needed for your visit.

- **Anyone representing you must be registered in the agency's registry system.**
- **Language:** no Turkish material was found at any institution in this area this round, and **we could not measure the state's court interpreter program either**, because the state judiciary's site sat behind a verification wall. **We do not say there is none; we say we could not read it.**
- **Case status:** your A number is enough for the [case information system](#), and the phone line is 1-800-898-7180. **The official information is still the hearing notice.**
- **Check closings on the morning of the hearing:** the [operational status page](#). The same page also gives the number of courts in the state.
- **Report a change of address to the court separately**, within 5 days, with Form EOIR-33. The court address changes only with that form.

I-94 and entry errors

- You can download the I-94 for your most recent entry from [the customs agency's site](#). Errors made at entry, meaning the wrong visa class, the wrong name or the wrong period of stay, are corrected by the offices known as deferred inspection sites.
- **We could not verify the location and hours of the office in this area this round**, so we write no address or day; read the list on the agency's own page.
- **Write first, then travel.** Some of these offices are open only a few hours a week, and they correct **only errors made at the moment of entry**.
- **Why it matters:** in this state the license regime attaches directly to this; **the length of your lawful stay determines the validity period of your card**.

Passport acceptance facilities: search by ZIP code

A first U.S. passport is obtained in person with Form DS-11. **The acceptance facilities in this city and this county were not counted this round**, so **we write no count, no name and no address**.

RULE	REASON
Search by ZIP code	In this city the postal name and the legal situation can diverge: the city's own institution writes that some addresses are outside the city limits even though the envelope carries this city's name
There are other municipalities in the county	An acceptance facility may serve your ZIP code yet be listed under another place's name ; someone searching by city name can miss a facility nearby
An acceptance facility and an agency are two different things	An acceptance facility may be a post office, a county clerk's office, a library or a university counter; a passport agency is a separate network that works by appointment for urgent travel. The nearest agency to this state could not be verified and we write no agency name, city or distance
Get the hours from the institution	The federal data file gives hours as a code and can understate the institution's own rule; some facilities run certain days by appointment only , and some require a separate appointment for every applicant

RULE	REASON
The payment trap costs real money	A county counter read in this series wrote that the federal passport fee cannot be paid by debit or credit card and only by check or money order. You make two separate payments at the same counter. The cash only rule for a marriage license in this county calls for the same habit
Language	No Turkish material was found at any institution in this area this round; the institutional second language is Spanish without exception. We do not say there is none; we say research did not find it

We write no fee figures, because both the federal fee and the local execution fee change. **When you go to apply:** Form DS-11 is completed but **not signed**, the signature goes on in front of the official; the **original** of your citizenship document is taken along and surrendered during the transaction; the original **and a photocopy** of your photo identification are required; a child's application requires both parents to be present or the consent document the agency asks for. Pick a facility through [the agency's acceptance facility finder](#).

VOTER REGISTRATION AND JURY DUTY: ONE IS CLEAR, THE OTHER IS OPEN ENDED

- **Voter registration and voting belong to U.S. citizens only**, green card holders included. Registering or voting without being a citizen can have severe consequences for your immigration case and is also a crime.
- **The face of your card says something about this:** the credential issued to a person whose lawful presence is authorized for a specific period is **temporary** in nature, and the statute says expressly that it **cannot be accepted as valid identification for rights and benefits reserved to U.S. citizens, including voting**.
- **Read the box on the forms.** If a driver license, identification card or public service application contains a voter registration section, signing that section counts in most states as **a sworn declaration that you are a citizen. How a license application connects to voter registration in this state could not be verified this round.**
- **And the warning carries extra weight in this state:** in public benefit applications, agencies must put **a citizenship or lawful presence declaration signed under penalty of perjury** on their forms. **The declaration placed in front of you is not always a voter form; read which one you are signing.**
- **A detail specific to this city:** the zoning ordinance counts **registering to vote using that address** as one of the five triggers that make a person a **permanent occupant. If you are not a citizen you are not registering anyway**, but if there are citizens in your household, add this item to the count.
- **On juries we say what we do not know:** we could not verify which public records this state builds its jury master list from and **we make no claim**. If a summons arrives, do not ignore it; call **the jury office of the court named on the letter** and use **the number on your letter**.
- **Keep three court doors apart in this city:** a traffic citation or a municipal offense goes to **the city's own municipal court**, a jury summons is a **state or federal judiciary** matter, and the immigration court **is not in this city** and **does not send jury summonses** anyway.
- **Do not fill in voter registration forms** handed to you by volunteers door to door or at events.



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