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## Parent Sentenced to 84 Days for Failure to Pay Child Support

(Woodland, CA) – Yolo County Department of Child Support Services Director, Mark Jones, announced that on April 5, Jose Luna Jr., age 43 of Woodland, was sentenced to 84 days in county jail and put on probation for two years by Commissioner Dennis A. Umanzio for failure to pay child support.

Luna was remanded to serve 30 days immediately with 54 days of county jail suspended. If probation is violated, the suspended jail time can be ordered by the court. The sentence was a result of a Contempt Trial for failing to pay his court-ordered child support for a child that resides in Woodland, and failing to provide work search reports to the county. Luna was found guilty of 28 counts of contempt and not guilty on two separate counts of failing to pay support.

"Mr. Luna was given every opportunity to do the right thing and live up to his responsibility to support his son," said prosecuting Child Support Attorney Colin Anderson.

The Yolo County Department of Child Support Service, located at 100 West Court Street in Woodland, serves more than 12,000 children, most of whom live in Yolo County. The department provides free services to custodial and non-custodial parents to assist in establishing paternity; obtaining or modifying child support or medical support orders; locating absent parents; and collecting child support payments, including back support payments. The Yolo County Department of Child Support Service can be reached at (866) 901-3212.

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