

Gibson Law Firm, PA

Directions to the Bankruptcy §341 Meetings in Columbia, SC (Strom Thurmond Federal Building Address: 835 Assembly Street, Columbia, SC 29201 US Trustee's Office, Room 958-1)

IMPORTANT: You must bring original proof of your social security number (usually your social security card) and a state-issued social security card to the §341 first meeting of creditors. If you do not have your picture ID or social security card, you may have to reschedule the hearing and incur additional attorneys fees. The best proof of your social security number is your social security card. If you do not have your social security card, please discuss this with your attorney prior to the hearing.

You and all of your packages will pass through a metal detector when you enter the building. Therefore, prepare to leave all knives, guns, tape recorders, cell phones, beepers, large belt buckles, etc. in your vehicle. Also, you will have to leave umbrellas at the front desk. If you do not want to do this, you should leave your umbrella in your vehicle. You may have to remove your shoes and belt.

1. Take I-26 toward Columbia until it becomes 126 into Columbia.
2. Take 126 to the traffic light at Assembly Street. Turn right onto Assembly.
3. Take Assembly Street to Laurel Street. (Approx. 3 city blocks from 126).
4. At the corner of Assembly and Laurel Streets, the Strom Thurmond Federal Building is to your right, diagonally across from the United States Bankruptcy Court which is located at 1100 Laurel Street. The Strom Thurmond Federal Building is the tall building behind the building on the corner nearest the street.
5. Go to the room number listed on your notice of commencement - probably 958-1 - and wait for Kurt Gibson to arrive.

Once in the building, go through the metal detector. The officers at the door can tell you where the hearings are being held..

You may wait in the courtroom or in the lobby until Kurt Gibson arrives. In the courtroom you may see hearings ahead of your hearing to see how they are handled. You can discuss any questions you have about the hearing procedures with Kurt Gibson prior to the hearing.

NOTE: If you cannot locate the Federal Building, telephone the Gibson Law Firm at (864) 261-7040.