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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

IN RE: JUDICIAL ASSIGNMENTS) **GENERAL ORDER**
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Pursuant to the authority set forth in Rule 10.603 of the California Rules of Court,
following are new judicial assignments:

Santa Barbara Criminal (effective October 23, 2023):

- Dept. 1 Judge Jean Dandona
- Dept. 7 Judge Raimundo Montes de Oca
- Dept. 8 Judge Thomas Adams

Santa Maria Criminal:

- Dept. 7 Judge Karen O'Neil effective November 2, 2023
- Dept. 8 Judge Denise Hippach effective November 6, 2023
- Dept. 9 Judge Kristy Imel effective October 30, 2023

Santa Maria Civil:

- Dept. 1 Assistant Presiding Judge Patricia Kelly effective December 4, 2023

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The judicial calendar assignments shall be attached to this General Order as an appendix. This calendar information will be made available on the Santa Barbara Superior Court website at www.sbcourts.org. This General Order on Judicial Assignments shall be posted on the Court's website.

Dated this 30th day of October, 2023.


PAULINE MAXWELL
Presiding Judge, Santa Barbara County

Effective 10/23/2023

SOUTH COUNTY CRIMINAL DIVISION OF SUPERIOR COURT

DEPT/JUDGE	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
SB DEPT 8 ADAMS Arraignment Department	8:30 am Arraignments In-Custody by Zoom	8:30 am Arraignments In-Custody by Zoom	8:30 am Arraignments In-Custody by Zoom	8:30 am Arraignments In-Custody by Zoom	8:30 am Arraignments In-Custody by Zoom
SB DEPT 10 ANDERSON Misdemeanor Department	8:30 am Calendar Private Attorneys 1:30 pm – Trial/Motions	8:30 am Calendar Conflict Defense 10:30 am – Trial Confirmation 1:30 pm – Trial/Motions	8:30 am Calendar Public Defender/Pro Pers (A – G) 1:30 pm – Trial/Motions	8:30 am Calendar Public Defender/Pro Pers (H – O) 1:30 pm – Trial/Motions	8:30 am Calendar Public Defender/Pro Pers (P – Z) 1:30 pm – Trial/Motions
SB DEPT 11 DEROIAN (A – D) * Felony Department	Trial 9:00 am	Felony Calendar Public Defender/Pro Per 8:30 am Trial Confirmations 11:00 am Felony Calendar Private Atty/Conflict Defense 1:30	Preliminary Hearings 8:30 am 10:30 am 1:30 pm	Trial 9:00 am	Trial 9:00 am
SB DEPT 12 CARROZZO (E – J) * Felony Department	Felony Calendar 8:30 am Trial Confirmations 11:00 am	Preliminary Hearings 8:30 am 10:30 am 1:30 pm	Trial 9:00 am	Trial 9:00 am	Trial 9:00 am
SB DEPT 1 DANDONA (K – Q) * Felony Department	Trial 9:00 am	Trial 9:00 am	Felony Calendar 8:30 am Trial Confirmations 11:00 am	Preliminary Hearings 8:30 am 10:30 am 1:30 pm	Trial 9:00 am
SB DEPT 2 MAXWELL (R – Z) * Felony Department	Trial 9:00 am	Trial 9:00 am	Trial 9:00 am	Felony Calendar 8:30 am Trial Confirmations 11:00 am	Preliminary Hearings 8:30 am 10:30 am 1:30 pm
SB DEPT 7 MONTES DE OCA (Specialty Court)	<u>Traffic Court Trials</u> 8:30 am A-L (officer last name) 1:30 pm M-Z (officer last name)	<u>MHTC/DDX</u> 8:30 am Staffing 10:30 am MHTC/DDX <u>MH Diversion</u> 1:30 pm Staffing 2:30 pm MH Diversion	<u>DVR Calendar</u> 8:30 am DV Reviews <u>SATC/CAS/Prop 36</u> 9:00 am Staffing 9:30 am SATC/CAS/Prop 36 <u>VTC Calendar</u> 1:30 pm Staffing 2:30 pm VTC Calendar		<u>IST Calendar</u> 8:30 am IST Calendar 10:30 am Misd PC 1370.01

*Post sentence felony assignment (alpha by defendant's last name) if sentencing judge is no longer available or is no longer in a felony department.

Effective 11/06/2023

NORTH COUNTY CRIMINAL DIVISION OF SUPERIOR COURT

DEPT/JUDGE	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
SM DEPT 9 IMEL Arraignment Department	8:30 am Arraignments In-Custody by Zoom	8:30 am Arraignments In-Custody by Zoom	8:30 am Arraignments In-Custody by Zoom	8:30 am Arraignments In-Custody by Zoom	8:30 am Arraignments In-Custody by Zoom
SM DEPT 7 O'NEIL Misdemeanor Department	8:30 am Calendar Conflict Defense & Private Attorneys 10:30 am – Trial Confirmation 1:30 pm – Motions	8:30 am Calendar Public Defender/Pro Per (A – L) 1:30 pm – Trial/Motions	8:30 am Calendar Public Defender/Pro Per (M – Z) 1:30 pm – Trial/Motions	Trial 9:00 am	Trial 9:00 am
SM DEPT 6 McGREGOR (A – H) * Felony Department	Trial 9:00 am	Felony Calendar 8:30 am Trial Confirmations 11:00 am	Preliminary Hearings 8:30 am 10:30 am 1:30 pm	Trial 9:00 am	Trial 9:00 am
LM DEPT 1 FOLEY (I – P) * Felony Department	Trial 9:00 am	Trial 9:00 am	Felony Calendar Public Defender/Pro Per 8:30 am Private Atty/Conflict Defense 1:30 pm	Preliminary Hearings 8:30 am	Trial 9:00 am
SM DEPT 8 HIPBACH (Q – Z) * Felony Department	Trial 9:00 am	Trial 9:00 am	Trial 9:00 am	Felony Calendar Public Defender/Pro Per 8:30 am Private Atty/Conflict Defense 10:30 am	Preliminary Hearings 8:30 am
SM DEPT 5 KUNS (Specialty Court) Traffic Court Trials	<u>DUI Treatment</u> 2nd Monday of each month 8:30 Staffing 1:30 DUI Treatment Court	<u>DVR Calendar</u> 10:00 Staffing 1:30 DVR Calendar	<u>Prop 36/SATC</u> 8:30 Staffing 11:00 Prop 36 SATC Calendar 1:30 SATC/Prop. 36 Reviews/Violations	<u>IST Calendar</u> 8:30 <u>DDX/MHTC</u> 10:00 Staffing <u>DDX/MHTC Calendar</u> 1:30	<u>VTC Calendar</u> 2nd and 4th Friday of each month 8:30 Staffing 11:00 VTC/VTC Div Calendar

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	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
SM 1 PLK	9:00: CIVIL R&S 9:00 TRIALS	8:30: CMC LIMITED CIVIL L&M SHORT/LONG CAUSE TRIAL SETTING Debtor's Exams 9:00/1:30 TRIALS	8:30: CIVIL L&M Civil Name Change Mot to Cont. R&S & Trial Minor's Comp ADOPTIONS PROBATE 9:00/1:30 TRIALS	8:30: FAMILY L&M Family Case Name Change 1:30 TRIALS	8:30: SMALL CLAIMS APPEALS 9:00 TRIALS
SM 2 JFR	9:30 Special Set Only 1:30 CMC CIVIL R&S 1:30 TRIALS	8:30: CIVIL L&M Civil Name Change Civil debtor exam Mot to Cont. R&S & Trial Minor's Comp 9:00 PROBATE 9:30/1:30 TRIALS	8:30: FAMILY L&M Family Case Name Change 9:30/1:30 TRIALS	8:30: MISC 9:30 ADOPTIONS 9:30/1:30 TRIALS	8:30: UNLAWFUL DETAINERS UD DEBTOR EXAMS SMALL CLAIMS APPEAL IF PLK DQ 9:30/1:30 TRIALS
SM 4 JQB	8:30: PROBATE ADOPTION MINOR'S COMP 9:30/1:30 TRIALS	8:30: FAMILY L&M FL Warrant Returns TRIAL SETTING 9:30/1:30 TRIALS	8:30: CMC CIVIL R&S 9:30/1:30 TRIALS	8:30: CIVIL L&M All Name changes Debtor exams Mot to Cont. R&S & Trial Civil warrant return/recalls 9:30/1:30 TRIALS	8:30: SMALL CLAIMS SC Debtor exams 1:30 CIVIL R&S 1:30 TRIALS
SB9/LM2 CH	Santa Barbara SB 9 8:30 DCSS 8:30 R/O 1:30 pm Hearings or Contempt	Santa Barbara SB 9 8:30 DCSS 8:30 R/O 1:30 pm Hearings or Contempt	Santa Maria Day LM 2 8:30 DCSS 8:30 R/O 8:30 Traffic Trials 1:30 pm Hearings	Santa Maria Day LM 2 8:30 DCSS 8:30 R/O 8:30 Traffic Trials 1:30 Hearings: 1 st , 3 rd & 5 th Thurs 1:30 Contempt 2 nd & 4 th Thurs (2 nd Parenting Court)	Lompoc Day LM 2 8:30 DCSS 8:30 R/O 8:30 Unlawful Detainer 1:30 Hearings: 1 st 3 rd 4 th 5 th Fri 1:30 Contempt 2 nd Fri (3 rd if 2 nd dark)

Santa Maria Civil Dept Hearings 2023 Effective 12/04/2023 (updated 10/30/2023)