

PROPOSED TENTATIVE

The court in an earlier tentative order detailed the nature of the dispute and the motion originally on this court's May 19, 2026 calendar. The court incorporates that earlier May 19, 2026 tentative into this order. Briefly, plaintiff creditor filed a motion to enter judgment per the parties' settlement agreement. The court tentatively concluded that all predicate requirements for the motion had been satisfied, as the parties had agreed to the expedited procedure in Code of Civil Procedure section 664.6, during the pendency of the case, in a writing signed by the parties. (*Mesa RHF Partners, L.P. v. City of Los Angeles* (2019) 33 Cal.App.5th 913.) As for any requests for costs of \$554.61, the court observed that the settlement agreement authorized costs, and they were otherwise reasonable. The court asked the parties at the May 19, 20206 hearing to confirm that defendant's current address is 2224 Lily Lane, Santa Maria. That was done.

At the hearing, however, it appears defendant asked that the matter be continued so he could file opposition. The court agreed, continuing the matter to August 25, 2026, and directing defendant to submit opposition by July 28, 2026. Defendant in propria persona filed opposition, along with a declaration, on July 28, 2026. On the merits, nothing in the opposition undermines the viability of plaintiff's motion to enter judgment pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure section 664.6, as detailed in this court's previous tentative. The settlement agreement resolved all issues, and defendant agreed to the expedited procedures in Code of Civil Procedure section 664.

Accordingly, the court will grant plaintiff's motion and enter judgment in the amount of \$12,920.98, which consists of \$12,366.37 (original debt) and costs of \$544.61. The court will sign the proposed order and judgment.