



Superior Court of California  
County of Orange

## ***News Release***

March 25, 2010

### **Transfer of Civil Cases from the Harbor Justice Center, Newport Beach to the Laguna Hills Courthouse Announced by the Superior Court**

Laguna Hills, California –The Superior Court of California, County of Orange, no longer will file and hear civil matters at the Harbor Justice Center-Newport Beach Facility. Effective April 1, 2010, civil cases previously heard at Newport Beach will be transferred to the Superior Court's justice center in Laguna Hills.

"Moving civil cases to Laguna Hills allows the Court to consolidate resources and use limited available resources more efficiently," said Superior Court Chief Executive Officer Alan Carlson.

The court facility in Laguna Hills, at 23141 Moulton Parkway, has four courtrooms that handle civil, small claims, and traffic proceedings.



Chambers of  
**KIM G. DUNNING**  
PRESIDING JUDGE

# Superior Court of California County of Orange

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SANTA ANA, CA 92702-1994

Administrative Order No. 10/01

## TRANSFER OF CIVIL ACTIONS FROM HARBOR JUSTICE CENTER-NEWPORT BEACH FACILITY

Pursuant to Rule 10.603(b)(1)(B) of the California Rules of Court, the Superior Court of California, County of Orange, will no longer hear civil matters in the Harbor Justice Center-Newport Beach Facility commencing April 1, 2010.

**Hearings Currently Scheduled:** All civil matters scheduled for hearing at the Newport Beach Facility on or after April 1, 2010, will be transferred to the Laguna Hills Facility unless otherwise ordered. Written notice of this location change will be served in each individual case scheduled.

**Filing Documents:** Effective April 1, 2010, documents for civil cases should no longer be filed at the Newport Beach Facility. Instead, case documents for civil actions or proceedings should be filed at the location designated by the current Court Designation List found on the Court's public website ([www.occourts.org](http://www.occourts.org)). Pursuant to Section 402(b) of the Code of Civil Procedure, regardless of where the action or proceeding is filed, the Court may transfer the action or proceeding on its own motion to another Court location for hearing.

This Administrative Order is to remain in effect until December 31, 2010, unless otherwise ordered by the Presiding Judge.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this 19<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2010

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kim G. Dunning", written over a horizontal line.

**KIM G. DUNNING**  
PRESIDING JUDGE

## Court Designation List

**Family, Juvenile, Probate, and Mental Health Cases** should be filed at the Lamoreaux Justice Center (LJC).

**Small Claims, Limited Civil, Unlimited Civil, Complex Civil, Criminal, and Traffic Cases** should be filed pursuant to this Court Designation List. Use the city where the action arose or where a defendant resides. If the defendant is a business, use the city where the business is located. If the action concerns real property, use the city where the real property is located.

**Criminal and Traffic Cases:** Use the city where the offense is alleged to have occurred.

City	Unlimited Civil	Limited Civil	Small Claims	Family	Probate	Mental Health	Juvenile	Traffic	Criminal
Aliso Viejo	CJC	HJC/LH	HJC/LH	<i>Unless otherwise designated, all Family, Probate, Mental Health, and Juvenile matters are filed at LJC</i>				HJC/LH	HJC/NB
Anaheim	CJC	NJC	NJC					NJC	NJC
Brea	CJC	NJC	NJC					NJC	NJC
Buena Park	CJC	NJC	NJC					NJC	NJC
Costa Mesa	CJC	HJC/LH	HJC/LH					HJC/NB	HJC/NB
Cypress	CJC	WJC	WJC					WJC	WJC
Dana Point	CJC	HJC/LH	HJC/LH					HJC/LH	HJC/NB
Fountain Valley	CJC	WJC	WJC					WJC	WJC
Fullerton	CJC	NJC	NJC					NJC	NJC
Garden Grove	CJC	WJC	WJC					WJC	WJC
Huntington Beach	CJC	WJC	WJC					WJC	WJC
Irvine	CJC	HJC/LH	HJC/LH					HJC/NB	HJC/NB
La Habra	CJC	NJC	NJC					NJC	NJC
La Palma	CJC	NJC	NJC					NJC	NJC
Laguna Beach	CJC	HJC/LH	HJC/LH					HJC/LH	HJC/NB
Laguna Hills	CJC	HJC/LH	HJC/LH					HJC/LH	HJC/NB
Laguna Niguel	CJC	HJC/LH	HJC/LH					HJC/LH	HJC/NB
Laguna Woods	CJC	HJC/LH	HJC/LH					HJC/LH	HJC/NB
Lake Forest	CJC	HJC/LH	HJC/LH					HJC/LH	HJC/NB
Los Alamitos	CJC	WJC	WJC					WJC	WJC
Mission Viejo	CJC	HJC/LH	HJC/LH					HJC/LH	HJC/NB
Newport Beach	CJC	HJC/LH	HJC/LH					HJC/NB	HJC/NB
Orange	CJC	CJC	CJC					CJC	CJC
Placentia	CJC	NJC	NJC					NJC	NJC
Rancho Santa Margarita	CJC	HJC/LH	HJC/LH					HJC/LH	HJC/NB
San Clemente	CJC	HJC/LH	HJC/LH					HJC/LH	HJC/NB
San Juan Capistrano	CJC	HJC/LH	HJC/LH					HJC/LH	HJC/NB
Santa Ana	CJC	CJC	CJC					CJC	CJC
Seal Beach	CJC	WJC	WJC					WJC	WJC
Stanton	CJC	WJC	WJC					WJC	WJC
Tustin	CJC	CJC	CJC	CJC	CJC				
Villa Park	CJC	CJC	CJC	CJC	CJC				
Westminster	CJC	WJC	WJC	WJC	WJC				
Yorba Linda	CJC	NJC	NJC	NJC	NJC				

**Legend:**

- CJC - Central Justice Center: 700 Civic Center Drive, Santa Ana, CA 92701
- HJC-LH - Harbor Justice Center, Laguna Hills: 23141 Moulton Parkway, Laguna Hills, CA 92653-1206
- HJC-NB - Harbor Justice Center, Newport Beach: 4601 Jamboree Road, Newport Beach, CA 92660
- LJC - Lamoreaux Justice Center: 341 The City Drive, Orange, CA 92870
- NJC - North Justice Center: 1275 North Berkeley, Fullerton, CA 92838
- WJC - West Justice Center: 8141 13th Street, Westminster, CA 92683