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SAN MATEO COUNTY

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Clerk of the Superior Court
By Bianca Fasuescu
DEPUTY CLERK

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

ORDER ASSIGNING DUTIES OF THE JUDGES
OF THE COURT JANUARY 1, 2021 TO DECEMBER 31, 2021

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED FOR THE YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2021 THAT THE FOLLOWING ASSIGNMENTS SHALL BE FILLED BY THE JUDGES AND COMMISSIONERS OF THE ABOVE-ENTITLED COURT, SUBJECT TO SUCH CHANGES AS MAY LATER BE MADE BY THE PRESIDING JUDGE:

I. COURT ADMINISTRATION

PRESIDING JUDGE

HON. LELAND DAVIS, III shall act as **Presiding Judge** and shall perform all the duties prescribed for the Presiding Judge by the California Rules of Court and the rules of this Court as amended.

ASSISTANT PRESIDING JUDGE

HON. ELIZABETH K. LEE shall act as **Assistant Presiding Judge** and shall perform administrative duties as assigned by the Presiding Judge including serving as Presiding Judge.

SUPERVISING JUDGES

HON. MARIE S. WEINER shall act as **Supervising Judge of Civil, Case Management and ADR Programs** and shall perform administrative duties as assigned by the Presiding Judge and the Assistant Presiding Judge.

HON. ELIZABETH K. LEE shall act as **Supervising Judge of Commissioners and Judges Pro Tem** and shall perform administrative duties as assigned by the Presiding Judge.

HON. DONALD J. AYOUB shall act as **Supervising Judge of Criminal** and shall perform administrative duties as assigned by the Presiding Judge and the Assistant Presiding Judge.

HON. ELIZABETH M. HILL shall act as **Supervising Judge of Family Law** and shall perform all administrative duties as assigned by the Presiding Judge and Assistant Presiding Judge.

HON. NANCY L. FINEMAN shall act as **Supervising Judge of the Northern Branch Court** and shall perform all administrative duties as assigned by the Presiding Judge and Assistant Presiding Judge.

HON. SUSAN IRENE ETEZADI shall act as the **Supervising Judge of the Juvenile Court** and shall perform all administrative duties as assigned by the Presiding Judge and Assistant Presiding Judge.

II. SPECIALTY ASSIGNMENTS

CRIMINAL PRESIDING JUDGE

HON. SUSAN L. GREENBERG shall act as **Criminal Presiding Judge** with primary responsibility for the Master Criminal Calendar and the Superior Court Review Program.

CIVIL JUDGES

HON. MARIE S. WEINER, HON. GERALD J. BUCHWALD, HON. V. RAYMOND SWOPE, HON. NANCY L. FINEMAN and HON. DANNY Y. CHOU shall act as **Civil Direct Calendar Judges** and shall perform all other duties as assigned by the Presiding Judge and Assistant Presiding Judge.

PROBATE JUDGE

HON. GEORGE A. MIRAM shall act as the **Probate Judge** and shall supervise proceedings under the Lanterman-Petris-Short Act and shall perform all other duties as assigned by the Presiding Judge and Assistant Presiding Judge.

JUVENILE JUDGES

HON. SUSAN IRENE ETEZADI and HON. SUSAN M. JAKUBOWSKI shall act as **Juvenile Court Judges** and shall perform all other duties as assigned by the Presiding Judge and Assistant Presiding Judge.

FAMILY LAW JUDGES

HON. DON R. FRANCHI, HON SEAN P. DABEL, and HON. RACHEL HOLT shall act as **Family Law Judges** and shall perform all other duties as assigned by the Presiding Judge and Assistant Presiding Judge.

DRUG COURT-PROPOSITION 36 JUDGE

HON. DONALD J. AYOOB shall act as **Drug Court-Proposition 36 Judge**.

PATHWAYS MENTAL HEALTH COURT JUDGE

HON. LISA A. NOVAK shall act as the **Pathways Mental Health Court Judge**.

MULTIPLE DRIVING UNDER-THE-INFLUENCE COURT JUDGE

HON. DONALD J. AYOOB shall act as the **Multiple Driving-Under-the-Influence Court Judge**.

PC 1370 COURT JUDGE

HON. LISA A. NOVAK shall act as the **PC 1370 Court Judge**.

RESTITUTION COURT JUDGE

HON. LISA A. NOVAK shall act as the **Restitution Court Judge**.

VETERANS COURT JUDGE

HON. JOHN L. GRANDSAERT shall act as the **Veterans Court Judge** and **Military Diversion Court Judge**.

III. TRIAL COURT JUDGES - REDWOOD CITY

The following Judges shall act as **Trial Judges** in Redwood City and shall perform all other duties as assigned by the Presiding Judge and Assistant Presiding Judge:

HON. DONALD J. AYOOB

HON. ELIZABETH M. HILL

HON. RICHARD H. DUBOIS

HON. JONATHAN E. KARESH

HON. JEFFREY R. FINIGAN

HON. ELIZABETH K. LEE

HON. ROBERT D. FOILES

HON. LISA A. NOVAK

HON. STEPHANIE G. GARRATT

HON. JOSEPH C. SCOTT

HON. JOHN L. GRANDSAERT

IV. NORTHERN BRANCH

HON. AMARRA A. LEE and HON. MICHAEL K. WENDLER shall act as **Preliminary Hearing and Trial Judges** in South San Francisco and shall perform all other duties as assigned by the Presiding Judge and Assistant Presiding Judge.

HON. NANCY L. FINEMAN and HON. DANNY Y. CHOU are assigned to the Northern Branch.

V. COMMISSIONERS

HON. HUGO R. BORJA, HON. CRISTINA MAZZEI, HON. RENEE C. REYNA, and HON. LAUREN ZORFAS shall act as **Traffic, Small Claims and Family Support Court Commissioners** and shall perform all other duties as assigned by the Presiding Judge and Assistant Presiding Judge.

HON. ERNST A. HALPERIN shall act as the **Civil Direct Calendar Commissioner** and shall perform all other duties as assigned by the Presiding Judge and Assistant Presiding Judge.

VI. APPELLATE DEPARTMENT

Subject to the approval of the Chief Justice, effective January 1, 2021, HON. ELIZABETH M. HILL, Presiding, HON. JEFFREY R. FINIGAN, and HON. DANNY Y. CHOU are assigned to the **Appellate Department**. HON. STEPHANIE G. GARRATT is designated as the Alternate Judge in the **Appellate Department**.

VII. GRAND JURY

HON. AMARRA A. LEE shall continue to act as Grand Jury Judge. Such designation shall expire June 30, 2021.

Dated: October 15, 2020

LELAND DAVIS III

HON. LELAND DAVIS, III
Presiding Judge - Elect