



Superior Court of California County of Orange

Media Advisory

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Event: Grand Opening of Jury Assembly Room - Juror Appreciation Week

Kick-off celebration for the new 10,000 sq. ft. Jury Assembly Room, Juror Appreciation Week, and preview of new juror orientation video

The **70,000 Orange County residents** who report for jury service at the Santa Ana Courthouse each year will find jury service less of a burden with all the new amenities and comfort provided in the new jury assembly room (the largest in California). The new facility features:

- Theater and lounge seating for 600
- 24 study carrels with modem connections so jurors can use their computers to send and receive e-mail or access their office.
- A high output video projection system that allows jurors to view juror information on a large screen or for those who wish to sit in the lounge area can watch one of the 7 ceiling mounted TV monitors.
- The audio visual system also allows cable tv, movies and cd music sources to be played for the jurors.

Date: Monday, May 13, 2002 at 10:00 a.m

**Location: Jury Assembly Room - 3rd Floor
Orange County Superior Court
700 Civic Center Drive, West
Santa Ana, CA**

Participants: Cynthia P. Coad, Chair of Orange County Board of Supervisors
G. Thomas Munsterman, Renowned expert on jury studies
Frederick P. Horn, Presiding Judge Orange County Superior Court
Alan Slater, Chief Executive Officer, Orange County Superior Court

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