## Superior Court of California County of Santa Clara

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# Santa Clara Superior Court Town Hall Event September 19, 2018

Santa Clara County Bar Association to Sponsor and Host an Event for the Santa Clara County Community

SAN JOSÉ, Calif. (August 30, 2018): The Santa Clara County Bar Association co-sponsored by the law firm of Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom will host a town hall forum to discuss issues currently facing our Court and community. The Town Hall panel includes members of the bench and bar association who will be discussing topics including the Court as our third branch of government, Court operations, the impact of the budget on Court operations, judicial decision making and judicial independence, access to the Court and other topics of interest. All members of the public are invited to attend. Attendees will be provided an opportunity to ask questions of the panel on prepared note cards.

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The Superior Court Town Hall will be held on September 19 at 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. at the San Jose City Hall Council Chambers, 200 E Santa Clara St.

### **Anticipated Panelists**

Hon. Patricia Lucas, Presiding Judge Santa Clara Superior Court Hon. Deborah Ryan, Assistant Presiding Judge Santa Clara Superior Court Rebecca Fleming, CEO Santa Clara Superior Court Kevin Hammon, SCCBA President Gabriel Gregg, SCCBA President-Elect

What: Town Hall Community Meeting

When: Wednesday, September 19, 2018 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Where: San Jose City Council Chambers, 200 E Santa Clara St, San Jose, CA 95113

#### **SEPTEMBER 19 2018** 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM

SAN JOSE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS 200 E. Santa Clara St San Jose, California 95113

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