



# *Superior Court of California*

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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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## **FORMAL INSTALLATION CEREMONY FOR JUDGE ROCKY J BAIIO**

The formal installation ceremony for Judge Rocky J Baio will take place on Friday, October 3, 2014, at 4:00 p.m. in Courtroom 22 of the Hall of Justice in Ventura. The oath of office will be administered by Judge Roger Lund.

The ceremony will be open to the public, elected officials, local bar, and representatives of court-related county departments. The press is invited to attend and to take any desired photographs during these special ceremonial proceedings.

Judge Baio was appointed to the bench by Governor Edmund G. Brown, Jr., on June 18, 2014. He fills the vacancy created by the retirement of Judge Barbara Lane in December 2013.

Prior to his appointment, Judge Baio served as a commissioner with the Ventura Superior Court since June 2010. Most recently, he was the Title IV-Child Support Commissioner. Previous to that, he was a partner at Rosenmund, Baio and Morrow from 1987 to 2010, and an associate from 1982 to 1987. From 1979 to 1982 he was in private practice, specializing in Family Law, Estate Planning and Administration, Unlawful Detainer and Civil. He also served the court for many years as a temporary judge and court-appointed arbitrator.

Judge Baio earned his bachelor degree from the University of California, Los Angeles, and his law degree from Western State University. He is currently assigned to Courtroom 21, hearing civil trials and related matters.

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