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## NEW COURT COMMISSIONERS JOIN VENTURA SUPERIOR COURT

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**Matthew P. Guasco**

*Presiding Judge*



**Kate Bieker**

*Court Executive Officer,  
Clerk of the Court and  
Jury Commissioner*

**VENTURA, CA** — The Judges of the Ventura Superior Court have selected Philip J. Bonoli and Danielle S. Hall as the Court's newest Ventura Superior Court Commissioners.

On June 8, 2026, Ventura Superior Court Presiding Judge Matthew P. Guasco will administer the oath of office to Commissioner Bonoli and Commissioner Hall. Commissioner Bonoli is assigned to Department 34 at the Hall of Justice in Ventura where he will preside over Child Support matters and Domestic Violence and Gun Violence Restraining Order proceedings. Commissioner Hall is assigned to Department 23 at the Hall of Justice in Ventura where she will preside over the Combined Mental Health Calendars, including LPS conservatorships, *Riese* petitions, habeas corpus, certification review, CARE Court and AOT proceedings.

Prior to his selection, Commissioner Bonoli worked as a Co-Managing Partner at BG Law LLP in Woodland Hills starting in March 2017. He was a Shareholder at Leclairryan LLP from July 2008 to March 2017; Attorney at Soltman, Levitt & Flaherty from July 2004 to June 2008; and an Associate at Wright, Robinson, Osthimer & Tatum from March 1999 to June 2004.

Commissioner Bonoli obtained his Bachelor's degree from the University of Southern California and his Juris Doctor degree from Chicago-Kent College of Law.

Prior to her selection, Commissioner Hall worked as a Deputy Alternate Public Defender in Los Angeles County starting in January 2021, while also serving as 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President for the Los Angeles Criminal Courts Bar Association. She was a Deputy Public Defender in Orange County from January 2017 to December 2020; Attorney at Aizman Law Firm from June 2014 to December 2016; and Associate Attorney at Law Offices of Zulu Ali from July 2013 to June 2014.

Commissioner Hall obtained her Bachelor's degree from Loyola Marymount University and her Juris Doctor degree from Loyola Law School.

Superior Court Commissioners hear matters including, but not limited to: Family Law, Child Support, Domestic Violence, Civil Harassment, Traffic, Criminal and Small Claims. They are required to have been admitted to practice by the California State Bar for at least ten years and they serve at the pleasure of the Presiding Judge.