SAVE THE DATE - December Luncheon will be Held on on Thursday, Dec. 1, 2016 - Mark your calendar now!



Grand Jurors Association of Orange County



Save December 1st for GJAOC Dec. Luncheon!

It will be held @ the Phoenix Club. Mark Your Calendar Now. A Menu & Reservations request email will come in early November.

On December 1st,

OC Supervising Judge **Sheila Hanson** will swear in 6 mbrs. of Board who were elected for 2 year 2017-18 terms.

3 New Board mbrs. were elected last meeting to serve you. They are **Sandy Dunkin, Alf Lyle & Mike Morris.**

 3 Board mbrs. were re-elected last meeting to serve you. They are Helen Alberts-Membership VP,
Robert Breton, who had been appointed to fill a partial open term, & Fred Gebhardt, who had to resign after getting reelected.

They will join John Moohr-President, Robin Bowen-Secretary,

Roy Baker, Paul Borczik & Stu Fuller-Treasurer, who are serving another year in their 2016-17 terms.

Lynn Bonas & Bill Underwood are retiring after 4 years of service. David Chapel & Dennis Evans resigned for personal reasons.

That leaves 2 openings for appointment to what has become a **pro-active**, **stimulating**, **advocacy Board** over last 2-3 years.

If interested in serving, please let your interest known to

John Moohr JJMoohr1@verizon.com or 714-856-2395 or any Board member.

Our very interesting December Luncheon Speaker -Sheila Hanson Orange County Superior Court Supervising Judge

Honorable Sheila Hanson was elected to the Orange County Superior Court in 2006. She was endorsed by the Association of Orange County Deputy Sheriffs; California Coalition of Law Enforcement Associations; and supported by over 50 Superior Court Judges

She was previously a Senior Deputy District Attorney, supervising the Felony Filing Unit. she had significant trial experience, handling 80 jury trials, many of them involving rapists, child molesters, sexual predators and criminal street gang members.

A strong believer in public service and community involvement, Hanson serves as a Board member for the Association of Orange County Deputy District Attorneys. In addition, she has served on the Board of Directors of Winifred Campbell Professional Auxiliary of Assistance League of Tustin and Laurel House youth shelter and is active in her church and children's schools.

After the Orange County Bar Association (OCBA) awarded Hanson its highest rating, **'Highly Qualified'** on May 25, 2006, for the position of Superior Court Judge, she was elected and became <u>only the second</u> <u>American of Iranian descent to be elected to the Superior Court of California.</u>

Hanson's father left Iran at age sixteen. He later became an American citizen and ran a successful small business in Orange County where Hanson was raised. In the early 1970's Hanson spent time with her grandfather in Tehran and Isfahan. She resided in North Tustin with her husband and two children.

<u>Education:</u> BS Western State University; JD Western State University College of Law, 1998 <u>Experience prior to being elected to the Bench:</u> 17 years, Orange County Deputy District Attorney

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