



Judicial Council of California

Family & Juvenile Law Advisory
Committee

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FAMILY AND JUVENILE LAW ADVISORY COMMITTEE

NOTICE AND AGENDA OF OPEN ELECTRONIC MEETING WITH CLOSED SESSION

Open to the public unless indicated as closed (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 10.75(c), (d), and (e)(1))

THIS MEETING IS BEING CONDUCTED BY ELECTRONIC MEANS

OPEN PORTION OF THIS MEETING IS BEING RECORDED

Date:	December 22, 2025
Time:	4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
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Meeting materials for open portions of the meeting will be posted on the advisory body webpage on the California Courts website at least three business days before the meeting.

Members of the public seeking to make an audio recording of the open meeting portion of the meeting must submit a written request at least two business days before the meeting. Requests can be emailed to familyjuvenilecomm@jud.ca.gov.

Agenda items are numbered for identification purposes only and will not necessarily be considered in the indicated order.

I. OPEN MEETING (CAL. RULES OF COURT, RULE 10.75(C)(1))

Call to Order and Roll Call

Approval of Minutes

Approve minutes of the February 13, 2025 action by email and May 12, 2025, Family and Juvenile Law Advisory Committee meeting.

II. PUBLIC COMMENT (CAL. RULES OF COURT, RULE 10.75(K))

This meeting will be conducted by electronic means. As such, the public may make comments in writing or remotely.

Written Comment

The committee will hold a remote meeting open to the public on December 22, 2025, and will provide an opportunity for public comment. In accordance with California Rules of Court, rule 10.75(k)(1), written comments pertaining to any agenda item of a regularly noticed open meeting can be submitted up to one complete business day before the meeting. For this specific meeting, comments should be emailed to familyjuvenilecomm@jud.ca.gov

by **5:00pm on December 19, 2025**. *Only written comments received by the deadline will be shared with advisory body members before the meeting.*

Remote Public Comment

The Family and Juvenile Law Advisory Committee recently began accepting remote public comment at its open meetings in addition to written comments provided in advance. If you wish to speak during the public comment portion of the meeting, please email your request to familyjuvenilecomm@jud.ca.gov by **5:00pm on December 19, 2025**. Please include your first and last name, the name of any organization you represent, the specific agenda item you wish to address, and a detailed description of your comment. Speakers will be selected on a first-come, first-served basis. Public comment will be heard at the beginning of the meeting. If you do not log in by 4:30pm, you may lose your opportunity to speak.

Each speaker will be allowed up to two minutes. Three or more speakers may pool their time for a maximum of five minutes. While we encourage public participation, please note that time may not allow everyone who wishes to speak to do so during the meeting. If there is not enough time to accommodate your request to speak, the substance of your comment will be shared with the committee in writing.

Please note that comments about specific cases or judicial officers will not be accepted. The Family and Juvenile Law Advisory Committee is not an adjudicatory body and cannot intervene in individual cases. If you have concerns about a case, please follow the appropriate legal procedures, such as motions for reconsideration, writs, or appeals. We ask that you refrain from discussing specific cases, parties, individuals, or court staff during the meeting.

Finally, all attendees are expected to follow these guidelines and maintain respect and order during the meeting. If you disrupt the meeting or fail to follow the rules, you may be muted or removed from the meeting. Thank you for your kind attention and cooperation.

III. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS (ITEM 1)

Item 1

Allocations and Reimbursements to Trial Courts: Improve compliance with court-ordered firearm prohibitions (Action Required)

The committee will review a recommendation from the Firearms Relinquishment Grant Working Group to reallocate \$750,000 of grant funding.

Presenter: Francine Byrne, Director, Criminal Justice Services

IV. ADJOURNMENT

Adjourn to Closed Session

V. CLOSED SESSION (CAL. RULES OF COURT, RULE 10.75(C)(3))

Item 1

Juvenile Law: Implementing SB 823 Updates to Juvenile Transfer Procedures

The committee will review a proposal to revise one juvenile law form and one rule of court, and to create a new form and rule to implement Senate Bill No. 823 (2019–2020 Reg. Sess.).

Presenter: Eric Divine, Attorney, Center for Families, Children, & the Courts

Item 2

Juvenile Law: Amend California Rules of Court, Appendix F

The committee will review a proposal to amend Appendix F of the California Rules of Court: the *Guidelines for the Juvenile Dependency Counsel Collections Program*, to repeal section 5(b) and other references to an obsolete model for determining the cost of legal services in dependency proceedings.

Presenter: Corby Sturges, Attorney, Center for Families, Children, & the Courts

Adjourn Closed Session