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## San Diego Superior Court Now Offering Expanded On-Line Scheduling For Traffic Court

In a continuing effort to make traffic court appearances more efficient and more convenient for the public, the San Diego Superior Court is now offering on-line scheduling for day and night court appearances at the Kearny Mesa and North County courthouses. In addition, Kearny Mesa is also offering on-line scheduling for appointments at the business office to speak to a clerk.

"We have had on-line scheduling for traffic night court appearance in North County and Kearny Mesa since March and we have seen how much it tremendously helps the public and court staff. We understand most people don't have time to spend hours trying to address their traffic and minor misdemeanor citations. With on-line scheduling, customers can schedule the time they can appear and get through the process much more quickly," says Court Executive Officer, Michael Roddy.

Eligible customers with open court cases, failure to appear issues, or civil assessment cases will now be able to go to the court website (www.sdcourt.ca.gov), select an open court date, day or night, and schedule an appearance. Self-scheduling makes the process move faster (MORE)

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because, with advance notice via the on-line system, court staff is able to pull and prepare cases

before an appearance as opposed to searching for the case when a customer shows up at court.

On-line scheduling is available for day and night court sessions at Kearny Mesa as well

as appointments at the business office to speak with a clerk. The North County Traffic Division

offers both day and night court session appointments. It is very easy: access the website, select

"to schedule an appointment," select the date and time, and print your confirmation.

The court is recommending people check business hours of the traffic facilities before

travelling to court. Business hours can be found at <a href="http://www.sdcourt.ca.gov">http://www.sdcourt.ca.gov</a> .

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