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Superior Court of California, County of Santa Clara Celebrates the Opening of the New South County Courthouse – Morgan Hill Wednesday, May 20, 2009

San Jose, CA—The Superior Court of California, County of Santa Clara will hold a ribbon-cutting ceremony and reception to celebrate the opening of the newly constructed South County Courthouse – Morgan Hill. The Grand Opening ceremony will take place at 5:30 PM on Wednesday, May 20, 2009 at the courthouse, located at 301 Diana Avenue (at Butterfield) in Morgan Hill and the public is invited. The ribbon-cutting will take place on the front steps of the courthouse, after which attendees will be invited inside the building for a presentation featuring speakers from the Court, the County of Santa Clara, the City of Morgan Hill, and the California Administrative Office of the Courts. Light refreshments will be provided, and court volunteers will be on hand to lead guided tours of the facility. Ample parking is available at the courthouse site.

The South County Courthouse – Morgan Hill is the first new court facility to be built in Santa Clara County in over ten years, and is the result of a collaborative effort among the Court, the County, and the City of Morgan Hill. The building houses six state-of-the-art courtrooms, a full-service Clerk's Office, and a Children's Waiting Room which provides child-care services for families that are conducting business in the courthouse.

Media organizations or members of the general public wishing to take photographs, make video or voice recordings may do so during the Grand Opening ceremony and tours of public areas of the courthouse.

For further information or to confirm your attendance, please contact Carl Schulhof, Public Information Officer, at 408-882-2856 or cschulhof@scscourt.org.