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**El Dorado County Superior Court
Announces Retirement of Judge Dylan Sullivan**

Placerville, CA, May 24, 2023:

The El Dorado County Superior Court announces the retirement of the Honorable Dylan Sullivan effective April 5, 2023, after nine (9) years of service on the bench. Judge Sullivan was appointed to the bench in September of 2014 after being elected in the primary election. Most recently, Judge Sullivan presided over Department 9 hearing Civil matters, but throughout her tenure she heard a variety of matters including Criminal, Juvenile Justice, Juvenile Dependency, Family Law, and Probate. She served as the Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Court from 2015-2019.

Prior to her appointment, Judge Sullivan served as a Commissioner with the Court from 2011-2014. Preceding her career as a judicial officer, Judge Sullivan worked for the California Parole Authority in litigation management as well as policy development and implementation, and as a Deputy Commissioner adjudicating parole matters. Judge Sullivan also practiced criminal defense and civil litigation prior to her career with the Parole Board.

During her tenure, Judge Sullivan was passionate about juvenile justice and assisted in implementing programs that reduced incarceration of juveniles. Judge Sullivan participated on numerous committees including the Task Force on the Elimination of Bias and Inequality in Our Justice System, the Collaborative Justice Courts Advisory Committee, the Judicial Workload Realignment Committee, the Child Abuse Prevention Council, and the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Committee, among many others. Additionally, Judge Sullivan was a contributing author to the Continuing Education of the Bar publication Criminal Law Procedure and Practice and participated in the continuing education of judicial officers and attorneys.

We thank Judge Sullivan for her years of service to the Court and wish her the best in retirement.

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