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JUDGE POWER REAPPOINTED TO COMMITTEE

The Superior Court of California, County of Solano, is pleased to announce that the Honorable David Edwin Power (retired) has been reappointed by Chief Justice Tani Cantil-Sakauye as an advisory member to the Court Facilities Advisory Committee. The committee is charged with providing ongoing oversight of the judicial branch program that manages new construction, renovations, facilities operations, maintenance, and real estate for trial and appellate courts throughout the state. Among other items, the committee currently oversees 24 active projects for design and construction of new courthouses throughout the state including a new courthouse in Sacramento. As planned in fiscal year 2009-2010, this new courthouse will have 44 courtrooms and 405,500 square feet total space. The overall potential cost is estimated at \$439 million.

Judge Power served as Chair for the Trial Court Facility Modification Advisory Committee from 2008 until his retirement in 2015 and served as an ex officio member of the Court Facilities Advisory Committee from 2011 until 2015. He received the Judicial Council's highest honor, the Distinguished Service Award, for his work on the two facilities committees in August, 2015.

Judge Power said, "Well-designed, maintained, and accessible court facilities are essential to ensure access to justice for all Californians. I am honored by the Chief Justice's reappointment and look forward to participating in the important work of the committee." Presiding Judge Robert C. Fracchia said, "We are pleased to share Judge David Edwin Power's talents again with the

Court Facilities Advisory Committee. Even in retirement, Chief Justice Cantil-Sakauye has tapped Judge Power as an advisory member to this critical committee charged with managing facilities throughout the state. Judge Power's energy and depth of experience will continue to ensure that all our courts provide fair and ready access to all the citizens of California.”