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## SBSC HOSTS PATHWAYS TO THE BENCH PROGRAM

SAN BERNARDINO, CA— The San Bernardino Superior Court is proud to announce a unique opportunity for individuals interested in pursuing a judicial career. On March 9th, the court will host the Pathways to the Bench program at the San Bernardino Justice Center. This panel aims to provide insights and guidance for those considering a future on the bench.

The event will be held in the Jury Assembly Room at 247 W. 3rd Street, San Bernardino, from 4:30 PM to 6:00 PM. It will feature judicial leaders and officials who will share their experiences and offer advice to attendees. The panelists include:

- Luis Cespedes, Governor's Judicial Appointments Secretary
- Justice Corey Lee, Fourth Appellate District Associate Justice
- Hon. Jacqueline Jackson, Presiding Judge of the Riverside Superior Court
- Hon. Rod Cortez, Presiding Judge of the San Bernardino Superior Court
- Hon. Elizabeth Ulsh, San Bernardino Superior Court Judge
- Hon. Kevin Lee, San Bernardino Superior Court Judge

This is an excellent opportunity for aspiring judges and legal professionals to gain valuable insight into the judicial appointment process and the journey toward a career in the judiciary.

Please RSVP for the event at https://bit.ly/Pathway-2026.

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