



Superior Court of California County of Orange

Transition to Zoom for Remote Civil Court Trials Beginning February 16, 2021

Starting February 16, 2021, Civil Unlimited and Complex Civil will begin transition to the use of Zoom instead of WebEx as a video conferencing technology for conducting civil court trials remotely.

In addition to civil court trials, trial readiness conferences and other matters as designated by the department will be conducted through Zoom, unless otherwise specified. Law and Motion will continue to be heard via CourtCall per Administrative Order No. 20/06.

Parties are directed to familiarize themselves with the General Policies and Procedures for the department where their case is scheduled. If a department has adopted a standard link for Zoom access, the link information will be posted in the department's General Policies and Procedures document. If a Zoom link is not listed within the General Policies and Procedures document, the parties will be otherwise notified by the courtroom.

- Civil Unlimited - <https://ocscefm1.occourts.org/directory/civil/limited-unlimited-civil/calendars/ex-parte.cfm>
- Civil Complex - <https://www.occourts.org/directory/civil/complex-civil/calendar-schedule/civil-panel-schedule.html>

For certain proceedings, the department may provide a unique meeting link for the hearing. Questions about the remote appearance technology used for specific hearings should be directed to the department.

Remote hearing instructions for Zoom are posted in English, Spanish, and Vietnamese on the court's website under the Policies, Procedures, and General Information section of the court's civil page at <https://www.occourts.org/media-relations/civil.html>.

Implementation of Zoom will occur over several weeks, with several departments going live on Zoom starting February 16. All Civil Unlimited and Complex Civil departments will be converted to Zoom by mid-March.