



CITY OF SIMI VALLEY

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POLICE DEPARTMENT

Charles Steven Shorts, Chief of Police

June 26, 2023

Ventura County Board of Supervisors
800 South Victoria Avenue
Ventura, CA 93009

Dear Chair LaVere and Members of the Board of Supervisors:

I am writing this letter on behalf of the Simi Valley Police Department to show our support for the East County Family Justice Center being in Simi Valley. This Family Justice Center will bring much-needed County services to our corner of the County. Simi Valley, Moorpark, and Thousand Oaks residents must go to Ventura or Oxnard to receive vital services.

The County has an established Family Justice Center in Ventura and is working to open the Carmen Ramirez Family Justice Center in Oxnard next. It would be great to see an East County Family Justice Center where the needs truly are, here in Simi Valley.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read "Charles Steven Shorts", is positioned above the printed name.

Charles Steven Shorts
Chief of Police