

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ORANGE
NORTH JUSTICE CENTER**

MINUTE ORDER

DATE: 08/12/2026

TIME: 08:30:00 AM

DEPT: N14

JUDICIAL OFFICER PRESIDING: Julianne Bancroft

CLERK: C. Sanchez

REPORTER/ERM: Alicia Renee Desmond CSR# 13037

BAILIFF/COURT ATTENDANT: B. Espinosa

CASE NO: **30-2026-01559183-CU-JR-NJC** CASE INIT.DATE: 03/26/2026

CASE TITLE: **City of Newport Beach vs. Newport Beach Stewardship Association**

CASE CATEGORY: Civil - Unlimited CASE TYPE: Judicial Review - Other

EVENT ID/DOCUMENT ID: 74918780

EVENT TYPE: Status Conference

APPEARANCES

William H. Ihrke and Jennifer Farrell, from Rutan & Tucker, LLP, present for Respondent, Real Party In Interest (Rpii), Plaintiff, Interested Party(s).

Winston Stromberg and Navi S. Dhillon, from Paul Hastings LLP, present for Defendant, Petitioner (s).

Jim Mosher, observer, present remotely.

Hearing held, participants appearing remotely and in person.

The Court is in receipt of the City's Notice of Taking Motion for Leave to File First Amended Complaint Off Calendar (ROA 94).

The Status Conference Statement filed on 08/11/2026 is read and considered.

Discussions held regarding the contents of NBSA's Status Conference Statement. The City provides its current timeline to adhere to the Court's prior orders.

Oral arguments heard.

*If, at the hearing on 08/19/2026, the Court determines that notice was proper, then the Court will be ordering the City to submit the ballot questions and any arguments, either for or against, to the registrar of voters *immediately*.*

The Court indicates that failure to comply with the Court's orders may result in a finding of contempt of Court.

At 9:12 AM, the court is in recess.