

Signature Resolution Opens Office in Oakland

Alternative dispute resolution firm expands its footprint to Northern California

OAKLAND, Calif. (Feb. 13, 2023) - <u>Signature Resolution</u>, a leader in alternative dispute resolution with offices in Los Angeles, Century City and San Diego, announced they have secured new office space in Oakland, California, located at 1111 Broadway. This marks the firm's fourth location in the state and official expansion into Northern California.

The new office, located in the East Bay, in the heart of Oakland City Center, will have convenient BART access and alternative parking options available. As is customary in Signature Resolution offices, the facility will feature a full-service cafe, a lounge for neutrals, and 12 window-lined conference rooms with Zoom video conferencing equipment. The new space is currently under construction and will debut in Fall 2023. In the interim, hearings are being held at a temporary office space at 1939 Harrison Street.

"We are thrilled for the opportunity to expand into Northern California and provide our alternative dispute resolution services locally," said Dario Higuchi, managing director at Signature Resolution. "The new Bay Area location will allow us to better serve the Northern California communities while also providing attorneys with a sophisticated and professional setting in which to settle disputes quickly and fairly."

The Oakland office is led by established mediators, including Vivien B. Williamson, founding chairperson of the Bar Association of San Francisco ADR Section with a 35-year mediation career specializing in employment, civil rights, real estate, insurance coverage, and commercial contracts; Arnie Levinson, one of the leading coverage and bad faith attorneys in the country, who's handled more than 1,000 cases across multiple practice areas, including business and commercial disputes, employment, ERISA, insurance coverage and bad faith, personal injury, and professional liability; and Rex Darrell Berry, a defense lawyer with experience spanning across all areas of employment law. Signature Resolution also plans to expand their Northern California presence and is actively recruiting for additional mediators to join their team.

About Signature Resolution

Established in 2017 in the heart of Los Angeles, Signature Resolution comprises a panel of distinguished neutrals hailing from diverse backgrounds, including respected judges and trial attorneys specializing in virtually every civil practice area. The founding partners inaugurated the organization with a vision of providing the highest level of service and convenience for attorneys and their clients. Signature Resolution's panelists offer unrivaled expertise and commitment to resolve even the most challenging legal matters. For more information about the firm's mediation, arbitration and other dispute resolution services, visit <u>signatureresolution.com</u>.