



Juan Ulloa

Juan Ulloa is currently assigned to the Civil and Probate Calendars. Judge Ulloa was the Presiding Judge of the Family and Juvenile Court in Imperial County from 2008 to December 2012. In this role, he helped to establish the Court Appointed Special Advocates Program and the Imperial County Peer Court. He is a member of the California State Court-Tribal Courts Forum and has been working to improve communication with Tribal Courts. His hope is to establish a Unified Family Court that would coordinate any pending criminal or domestic violence cases for all persons in the household of any child subject to a Dependency Petition.

He has a law degree from University of California, Los Angeles, and a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Anthropology and Mexican American Studies from UC Riverside. During his college years, Judge Ulloa was very active in student services, including recruitment and selection of Mexican American students for admission under the EOP Program. In Law School, he participated in the La Raza Law Students Association, and served as a Co-Director of the Centro Legal de Santa Monica, a law student project, now a full-fledged legal services program with local, state and federal funding. He served for one year as an Associate Editor of the Chicano Law Review.

Throughout his work, he has assisted many community non-profits such as Clinicas De Salud Del Pueblo, Calexico Community Action Council, Heber Community Action Council, Big Brothers and Big Sisters, the Brawley American Citizens Club, S.E.R. Jobs For Progress, Inc. and Neighborhood House, Inc.

Judge Ulloa is the seventh of 10 children born to parents who were farm laborers.