

**SURVEY OF SURROUNDING CITIES  
POLICY ON USE OF CITY HALL MEETING ROOMS**

<b>CITY</b>	<b>Are City Hall meeting rooms available for rent?</b>	<b>Regular Hours</b>	<b>Extended Hours</b>	<b>Closed Fridays and/or Weekends</b>	<b>Rental Fee</b>	<b>Extended Hours/ Closed staffing costs</b>	<b>Are other community rooms available to let?</b>	<b>Are fee-waivers available?</b>
<b>Fountain Valley</b>	Council Chambers are only available for FV citizens if no other City space is available and if the meeting is a general assembly.	Civic groups may rent the Council Chambers during normal operating hours; official City and Council business takes priority over rentals.	The Council Chambers may be rented from 8am to 11pm.	Chambers may not be rented for private use on any weekend.	See attached schedule of fees (Attachment 7)		Yes. Residents may only rent the Chamber if no other such rooms/community centers are available for rent.	No fee waivers are available.
<b>Huntington Beach</b>	Neither the Council Chamber nor any conference room is available for rent in HB City Hall	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Yes. Huntington Beach offers 3 clubhouse venues and 2 community centers available for rent.	No fee waivers are available.
<b>Irvine</b>	All groups may apply for room rental at Civic Center. Council Chamber Conference Room, however, is available only for City staff use.	Rooms are available only for City staff or "joint-use" users. Civic groups may use if unable to locate alternative city space (reservations must be made 14 days prior).	Reservations available only for "joint-use" users of non-profit civic organizations.	Reservations available for all applicants.	See attached schedule of fees (Attachment 7).	Staff assigned, fees charged to cover staffing costs. AV staff also available.	Yes. Irvine offers roughly 10 community centers with rooms available.	No fee waivers are available.
<b>Newport Beach</b>	The Council Chamber is available for rent; no other rooms are conducive to meetings at City Hall.	Council Chamber is available during business hours. Official City business takes precedence over any group desiring a specific rental time.	Council Chamber is available for rent past regular hours. <i>All</i> community rooms, however, are closed from 10pm to 8am (community rooms and council chambers).	Chamber would be open to let, however NB has never had requests for these specified times.	See attached schedule of fees (Attachment 7).	If past general operating hours, staff will unlock/lock room; no one required to monitor event. City may choose to have staff present at event; renter must pay for staffing costs.	Yes. Newport Beach offers 12 community centers with meeting rooms available.	No fee waivers are available.