



**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF MONTEREY**

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Civil Grand Jury Statement of Interest

YES, I am qualified and wish to be considered as a nominee to the Monterey County Civil Grand Jury.
(See reverse side of this form for qualification criteria)

The following information is required of each nominee to the Civil Grand Jury:

Identifying Information: (Please print clearly)

First Name MI Last Name

Mailing Address

Residence Address (if different than above)

City State Zip

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Work Phone: _____ ext. _____ Email: _____

Employer: _____ Occupation: _____

Note: Employed individuals will be required to obtain their employer's consent to volunteer as a member of the Civil Grand Jury.

The Superior Court is required pursuant to California Rules of Court, Rule 10.625, to collect demographic information from applicants to Civil Grand Jury Service. Your cooperation is optional.

Gender: Male Female

Race/Ethnicity:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native | <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian | <input type="checkbox"/> White |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American | <input type="checkbox"/> Other race or ethnicity: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Latino | <input type="checkbox"/> Decline to answer |

Age Range:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 18-25 | <input type="checkbox"/> 55-64 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 26-34 | <input type="checkbox"/> 65-74 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 35-44 | <input type="checkbox"/> 75 and over |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 45-54 | |

To apply on-line visit the Grand Jury webpage at: www.monterey.courts.ca.gov/GrandJury/

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COMMITMENT

Service on the Civil Grand Jury is a voluntary commitment. Citizens of Monterey County who are interested, qualified, and able to volunteer a minimum of 10-15 hours per week, for one year (January–December) are encouraged to submit this Statement of Interest to be considered for nomination to the Civil Grand Jury.

REWARDS

Rewards for Civil Grand Jury service come from increased knowledge of local government and the satisfaction of making a worthwhile contribution to the improvement of government operations.

RESOURCES

Civil Grand Jurors are provided the following resources:

- ❖ A two-day Civil Grand Juror training workshop held on-site and conducted by professional trainers of the California Grand Jurors Association (www.cgja.org) at no cost to members;
- ❖ Availability of Civil Grand Jury Advisors;
- ❖ Part-time Court administrative support;
- ❖ A Court-issued ID Badge;
- ❖ Part-time use of a Court conference room to conduct civil grand jury business; and,
- ❖ Office with computer, fax, phone and office supplies.

COMPENSATION

Members are paid \$15 per day for attendance at Civil Grand Jury meetings. In addition, roundtrip mileage to attend regular grand jury meetings is paid at the current Federal mileage rate.

QUALIFICATIONS

To qualify to serve on the Civil Grand Jury, you must meet the following requirements as outlined in Penal Code §893:

- Be a citizen of the United States of the age of 18 years or older who shall have been a resident of the State and of the County for one year immediately before being selected;
- Possess natural faculties of ordinary intelligence, of sound judgment, and of fair character;
- Possess sufficient knowledge of the English language.

DISQUALIFICATION

A person is not legally qualified to serve on the Civil Grand Jury if any of following apply:

- The person is serving as a trial juror in any court of this State;
- The person has been discharged as a Grand Juror in any court of this State within one year;
- The person has been convicted of malfeasance in office or any felony or other high crime;
- The person is serving as an elected public officer.

If you are not legally qualified to serve, please discard this notice.

Questions? Contact the Civil Grand Jury office at one of the following numbers:

SALINAS: 775-5400, ext. 2081

MONTEREY PENINSULA: 647-5800, ext. 2081

KING CITY: 386-5200, ext. 2081