

Superior Court of California

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2021-2022 GRAND JURY PANEL SELECTED

The Judges of the Superior Court, by court order signed June 3, 2021, nominated twenty-eight (28) Ventura County citizens (see attached list) to the panel from which the members of the 2021-2022 Grand Jury will be drawn. Exercising an option available under amended statutes, the Judges have named among the twenty-eight (28) member panel, five (5) members of the 2020-2021 Grand Jury as "holdovers" to the 2021-2022 Grand Jury. The nineteen-member 2021-2022 Grand Jury will be drawn from this 28-member panel on July 1, 2021, at 3:00 p.m. in the Jury Assembly room, room #113 and the nine (9) persons not drawn from the panel for immediate service will remain alternate jurors to be drawn as replacements should that become necessary during the 2021-2022 fiscal year.

In making judicial nominations to the panel, the court met the statutory requirement for population-proportionate representation of the county's five supervisorial districts. In addition, the court attempted to apportion the panel on the basis of gender, race, and age to the extent possible from among the applications and nominations received.

The 2021-2022 Grand Jury panel will be summoned to a special session of the Superior Court to be held in the Jury Assembly room at 3:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 1, 2021, at which time the names of those nineteen (19) persons who will serve as 2021-2022 Grand Jurors will be drawn. Presentation to the court of the official report of the 2020-2021 Grand Jury will be made by the outgoing Grand Jury panel.

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