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RECRUITMENT BEGINS FOR THE 2025-26 NAPA COUNTY CIVIL GRAND JURY

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NAPA, CA – Applications are being accepted for the 2025-26 Napa County Civil Grand Jury. Successful applicants will serve as Grand Jurors for a term beginning July 2025 and ending June 2026.

The Civil Grand Jury is responsible for investigating and reporting on the operations, accounts, and records of local government officers and agencies. Grand Jurors also have the power to investigate citizen complaints about local government. Service as a Grand Juror is compensated at the rate of \$15 for each general meeting attended and any applicable mileage. The Grand Jury typically meets in the city of Napa and meets virtually by video as appropriate.

“The Napa County Civil Grand Jury represents a fundamental component of our local government function,” said Presiding Judge Scott R.L. Young. “The civil grand jury plays an essential function as a government watchdog. Individuals who serve come away with a unique perspective and the honor of serving their community.”

To be eligible for selection, a person must be at least 18 years of age, a United States citizen, and a resident of Napa County for at least one year prior to appointment. Other requirements include sufficient knowledge of the English language, possession of natural faculties, ordinary intelligence, sound judgment, good character, basic computer skills, and an ability to serve up to 20 hours per week during peak periods. Those not eligible to serve include elected public officials, individuals currently serving as a trial juror, anyone discharged as a grand juror one year prior to July 1, 2025, and those convicted of malfeasance in office or any felony or other high crime.

Those interested in applying or learning more about the Napa County Civil Grand Jury can visit <http://www.napa.courts.ca.gov/general-info/grand-jury>.

Send any questions to the Napa Superior Court Executive Office at 707-299-1110.