

GRAND JURY QUESTIONS

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I have some Grand Jury Questions that I hope you can help me with :)

1. Does your county have Civil Grand Jurors?
2. Does your county hold Criminal Grand Jury Hearings?
3. If yes to question 1 or 2, what is the location of both? Are they in the same building or separate buildings?
4. Do your Civil Grand Jurors hear Criminal Grand Jury Hearing?

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| 1 | Cathi Scamara San Luis Obispo | <p>1. Does your county have Civil Grand Jurors? Yes</p> <p>2. Does your county hold Criminal Grand Jury Hearings? Yes</p> <p>3. If yes to question 1 or 2, what is the location of both? Are they in the same building or separate buildings? The Civil is in a building offsite owned by the county. The criminal is held in a courtroom.</p> <p>4. Do your Civil Grand Jurors hear Criminal Grand Jury Hearing? No</p> |
| 2 | Lupe Castaneda Santa Clara | <p>1. Does your county have Civil Grand Jurors? Yes</p> <p>2. Does your county hold Criminal Grand Jury Hearings? Yes</p> <p>3. If yes to question 1 or 2, what is the location of both? Are they in the same building or separate buildings? Separate buildings</p> <p>4. Do your Civil Grand Jurors hear Criminal Grand Jury Hearing? No</p> |
| 3 | Deb Preston Marin | <p>1. Does your county have Civil Grand Jurors? Yes.</p> <p>2. Does your county hold Criminal Grand Jury Hearings? Yes.</p> <p>3. If yes to question 1 or 2, what is the location of both? Are they in the same building or separate buildings? The Court does not administer the Civil Grand Jury and I don't know where they convene. Criminal Grand Jury hearings are held in one of the courtrooms.</p> <p>4. Do your Civil Grand Jurors hear Criminal Grand Jury Hearing? No.</p> |
| 4 | Diana Gifford-Tuggle Shasta | <p>1. Does your county have Civil Grand Jurors? Yes</p> <p>2. Does your county hold Criminal Grand Jury Hearings? Yes</p> <p>3. If yes to question 1 or 2, what is the location of both? Are they in the same building or separate buildings? Meetings are held in our courthouse.</p> <p>4. Do your Civil Grand Jurors hear Criminal Grand Jury Hearing? Our one Grand Jury hears all matters.</p> |
| 5 | Sherry Spears Fresno | <p>1. Does your county have Civil Grand Jurors? Yes</p> <p>2. Does your county hold Criminal Grand Jury Hearings? Yes, when the D.A. requests for a specific case.</p> <p>3. If yes to question 1 or 2, what is the location of both? Are they in the same building or separate buildings? Civil Grand Jurors use space in a County building; criminal grand jury hearings are usually in a courtroom (closed to the public).</p> <p>4. Do your Civil Grand Jurors hear Criminal Grand Jury Hearing? No, we have a civil grand jury and the members serve 1 year, criminal grand jurors are assigned from the regular jury pool and serve just for the one case.</p> |
| 6 | Edwina Harper | In Yolo County our Civil GJ hears all of our criminal indictments |
| 7 | Bea Gin San Joaquin | <p>1. Does your county have Civil Grand Jurors? Yes</p> <p>2. Does your county hold Criminal Grand Jury Hearings? Yes</p> <p>3. If yes to question 1 or 2, what is the location of both? Are they in the same building or separate buildings? Use the same room in the Courthouse. The Criminal Grand Jury meets on days when the Civil Grand Jury don't meet.</p> <p>4. Do your Civil Grand Jurors hear Criminal Grand Jury Hearing? No</p> |

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| 8 | Desire Leard Mariposa | <p>1. Does your county have Civil Grand Jurors? Yes</p> <p>2. Does your county hold Criminal Grand Jury Hearings? No</p> <p>3. If yes to question 1 or 2, what is the location of both? Are they in the same building or separate buildings? The Grand Jury is located off site from the Courthouse.</p> <p>4. Do your Civil Grand Jurors hear Criminal Grand Jury Hearing? No</p> |
| 9 | Kathleen Shambaugh Contra Costa | <p>1. Does your county have Civil Grand Jurors? Yes</p> <p>2. Does your county hold Criminal Grand Jury Hearings? Yes</p> <p>3. If yes to question 1 or 2, what is the location of both? Are they in the same building or separate buildings? Separate buildings</p> <p>4. Do your Civil Grand Jurors hear Criminal Grand Jury Hearing? No</p> |
| 10 | Dolores Curiel Merced | <p>1. Does your county have Civil Grand Jurors? Yes</p> <p>2. Does your county hold Criminal Grand Jury Hearings? Yes</p> <p>3. If yes to question 1 or 2, what is the location of both? The Civil Grand Jury uses a County owned building. Are they in the same building or separate buildings? No. I have a list of locations to contact when a request to convene the Criminal Grand Jury is approved. I've used both private and county locations.</p> <p>4. Do your Civil Grand Jurors hear Criminal Grand Jury Hearing? No</p> |
| 11 | Patty Baker Cherokeeega, Ga | <p>1. Does your county have Civil Grand Jurors? No</p> <p>2. Does your county hold Criminal Grand Jury Hearings? Yes/indictments</p> <p>3. If yes to question 1 or 2, what is the location of both? Are they in the same building or separate buildings? Separate buildings.</p> <p>4. Do your Civil Grand Jurors hear Criminal Grand Jury Hearing? No</p> |
| 12 | Rose Hamblin | Kings County is the same as San Luis Obispo |
| 13 | Kristi Kussman Imperial | <p>1. Does your county have Civil Grand Jurors? Yes, 1 year term</p> <p>2. Does your county hold Criminal Grand Jury Hearings? Yes, ours are seated for 2 months and DA actually holds the hearings, the Judge selects jurors, and accepts the indictment into the record.</p> <p>3. If yes to question 1 or 2, what is the location of both? Are they in the same building or separate buildings? 1) Civil Grand jury is county allocated space. 2) Criminal grand Jury use a courtroom located in one of the Courts, court allocated space.</p> <p>4. Do your Civil Grand Jurors hear Criminal Grand Jury Hearing? Not in our county.</p> |
| 14 | Therese Phelps Plumas | <p>1. Does your county have Civil Grand Jurors? Yes</p> <p>2. Does your county hold Criminal Grand Jury Hearings? Yes but rarely (only once in last 10 years)</p> <p>3. If yes to question 1 or 2, what is the location of both? County Courthouse Are they in the same building or separate buildings? Same</p> <p>4. Do your Civil Grand Jurors hear Criminal Grand Jury Hearing? No</p> |
| 15 | Sabra Forbes Solano | <p>1. Does your county have Civil Grand Jurors? Yes</p> <p>2. Does your county hold Criminal Grand Jury Hearings? Yes</p> <p>3. If yes to question 1 or 2, what is the location of both? Are they in the same building or separate buildings? Civil Grand Jury is located offsite in a confidential location. Criminal Grand Jury are held in the main courthouse in Fairfield</p> <p>4. Do your Civil Grand Jurors hear Criminal Grand Jury Hearing? No</p> |