

**APPLICATION/QUESTIONNAIRE
FOR PROSPECTIVE GRAND JURORS**

If you are interested in serving as a grand juror for the period July 2008 through June 2009, please indicate "yes" or "no" regarding the statutory qualifications and disqualifications.

STATUTORY QUALIFICATIONS

Are you a citizen of the United States? Yes_____ No_____

Have you resided in the County of Colusa for the past year? Yes_____ No_____

Are you 18 years of age or older? Yes_____ No_____

Do you have sufficient knowledge of the English language? Yes_____ No_____

STATUTORY DISQUALIFICATIONS

Have you been convicted of malfeasance in office or of a felony? Yes_____ No_____

Are you currently serving as an elected public official? Yes_____ No_____

If you meet the statutory qualifications and are interested in serving as a grand juror, please complete the following application/questionnaire and return by April 4, 2008, at 5:00 P.M. to:

Vivian Pearson
Court Executive Officer
Superior Court of California, County of Colusa
532 Oak Street
Colusa, California 95932
(530) 458-0683

Your application/questionnaire will constitute your CONSENT TO BE NOMINATED as a prospective member of the 2008-2009 Colusa County Grand Jury. The application/questionnaire will be used to assist the Superior Court Judge in compiling a list of nominees that fairly represents a cross-section of the community. Some of the questions are personal but are necessary in order to assure the Judge that the prospective grand jurors are qualified to serve.

The Superior Court Judge will make the final decision in naming up to thirty (30) prospective grand jurors. A list of the prospective grand jurors will be filed with the Clerk of the Court. A random drawing of names from that list will choose the nineteen (19) members of the Grand Jury. The remaining applicants will be named as alternates.

You will be notified if you are nominated as a prospective grand juror.

GRAND JURY APPLICATION - FISCAL YEAR 2008-2009

Name _____ Phone: Home _____ Work _____

Address _____
(Street) (City) (Zip Code)

Email address _____ Driver's License # _____

Present Employment _____ Position _____

If retired, date of retirement, name of employer, and position you last held _____

Other employment during past 10 years _____

Have you ever been employed by a government entity (including the federal government, state government, county, city, school district or special district)? Yes _____ No _____

If so, name of the entity _____

Dates of employment _____ Position held _____

Marital status _____ Name of Spouse _____

Spouse's current or last occupation _____

Close relative employed by government entity (include name, relationship and employer)

Your education - highest grade reached/degree _____

If you attended college, your major/minor _____

Have you ever served as a Grand Juror? _____ Where _____ When _____
Were you a registered voter on January 1, 2008? Yes _____ No _____

Do you hold an elected public position (school board, etc): Yes _____ No _____

Do you intend to run for local public office within the next 18 months? Yes _____ No _____

Have you served in the military? Yes _____ No _____ Dates served _____

List branch/rank _____

List civic groups, volunteer activities, clubs, or lodges in which you participate:

If you have been a party to a civil lawsuit within the past ten (10) years describe _____

If there are any criminal charges now pending against you, other than minor traffic charges, describe

State your greatest concerns about local government in our community

Describe any background, experience, or skills you have which would be helpful to Grand Jury service (i.e., computer skills, leadership skills, or experience writing/editing reports, working groups, or conducting investigations or interviews)

(Attach additional page if necessary)

Provide name, address and phone number of three (3) references

BE SURE TO DATE AND SIGN THIS APPLICATION

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed at _____, California, on _____, 2008.

Signature