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2013-2014 Orange County Grand Jury Selected

Santa Ana – The 19 members and 11 alternates of the 2013-2014 Orange County Grand Jury were selected today from a drawing held at 12:00 p.m. in Department C1 of the Central Justice Center. Assistant Presiding Judge Glenda Sanders presided over the ceremony with the names randomly drawn by the Court's Chief Executive Officer/Jury Commissioner, Alan Carlson.

The 19 members of the new Grand Jury include 5 women and 14 men, with 4 minority members. The average age of those selected is 66 with the members ranging in age from 53 to 81.

The Court received over 200 applications for the 2013-2014 Grand Jury. The top 90 applicants selected by the judges on the Grand Jury Selection/Recruitment committee were invited to be interviewed by two or three judges on the committee and completed background investigations conducted by the Orange County Sheriff's Department. The judges of the Superior Court voted to approve the panel of the 30 prospective Grand Jurors whose names were in today's drawing.

Canvassing efforts for the 2013-2014 Grand Jury included mailing more than 1,500 application packets to community members, distributing flyers to 550 companies and 50 minority organizations, listing the position at local colleges/universities, and advertising in newspapers and on the Web. Current members of the Grand Jury and the judges of the Grand Jury Recruitment/Selection Committee spoke at community organizations and city council meetings and appeared on local television to encourage Orange County residents to apply. Annual reports produced by the Grand Jury and additional information are posted online at www.ocgrandjury.org.

Following a mandatory four-day training program, the 19 members will officially take the oath of office and begin their one-year term on July 1, 2013. The names of the 2013-2014 Grand Jury members and the alternates, in order of their selection, are as follows:

2013- 2014 Grand Jury

1. Dannah Murphy
2. April Lancaster
3. Natalie Miles
4. Richard Koppang
5. Steven Duron
6. David Baker
7. Thomas Lucas
8. Kenneth Brose
9. Michael Anzis
10. John Gallie
11. Gina Phillips
12. Thomas Cagley
13. Barry Durham
14. Richard Jackson
15. Teresa Franklin
16. Peter Murtough
17. Raymond Chapel
18. Alfred Lyle
19. Luis Casteneda

2013-2014 Grand Jury Alternates

- A1. Sandra Dunkin
- A2. Barbara Hunt
- A3. Leandro Bailey
- A4. John Warren
- A5. Maxine Marcus
- A6. James Louis
- A7. Linda Hudak
- A8. Gregg Williamson
- A9. Kenneth Nash
- A10. Aurelia White
- A11. Frank Faecke