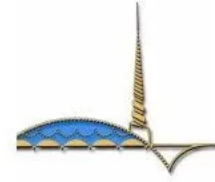




## Marin Chapter California Grand Jurors' Association



### December Newsletter

 *Happy Holidays to All* 

#### President's Corner

I am just about 6 months into my term as President and sometimes I get overwhelmed with frustration. We are facing the busiest period of recruiting and training the jury for 2022 – 2023 without an adequate response to my many pleas for help. A small group of loyal members is doing yeoman service to keep us on track but they need more assistance. What has happened to the energetic people that wanted to give back to society during or after their careers? I believe that our organization offers so much opportunity to fulfill that wish for many folks. I envision using our non-profit position to launch projects that assist in executing recommendations contained in the juries' reports. Consider efforts associated with Wildfire, Homelessness, Mental Health, for example. All it takes is some willpower, innovation, leadership, and some energetic team members to pursue the effort.

But first we have to secure the next jury in spite of the pandemic inspired difficulties like cancellation of events we normally use. In consideration of that, I strongly request you to redouble your efforts in one of our best recruiting sources - encouraging friends and family to volunteer.

On another topic, through a friend I had the opportunity to make a recruiting pitch and tell the jury story to a meeting of a Rotary Society chapter last week. I found it very interesting that this 100 person organization can turn out upwards of 60 people for lunch every Friday and do a lot of public service. I am looking for the lesson – learned here. Help me out. What can we take away from this example that will help our 100 person Grand Jury chapter get this level of involvement.

Drop me an email at [ltbauer1@gmail.com](mailto:ltbauer1@gmail.com) with any comments at all.

#### **The Grand Jurors' Association**

**is an all volunteer,  
non-profit  
501(c)(3) organization  
comprised of former Marin  
County civil grand jurors.  
Our mission is to promote  
and enhance the unique  
and invaluable  
Civil Grand Jury  
function in Marin County.**

The greatest inspiration for applications to the Marin civil grand jury has been word-of-mouth.

*So talk to folk about the new June jury!*

Lots of application information at [mccgja.org](http://mccgja.org)

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**I can't believe I got fired from the calendar factory. All I did was take a day off.**

**Claustrophobic people are more productive thinking out of the box.**

**Efficiency is a highly developed form of laziness.**

**HELP WANTED**

Several chapter standing committees could use your assistance:

Administrative  
Training  
Outreach

- ❖ No experience necessary
- ❖ On-the-job training
- ❖ Good companionship
- ❖ Short hours
- ❖ Satisfaction of job well done

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