2024 - 2025 Santa Cruz County Civil Grand Jury Demographic Report

Table A - Prospective Regular Grand Jurors											
Candidate Source		Age Range		Gender		Race or Ethnicity					
Holdover	2	18-25	1	Female	20	American Indian or Alaska Native	0				
Volunteer	47	26-34	0	Male	28	Asian	3				
Nomination	0	35-44	2	Non-Binary	0	Black or African American	0				
		45-54	4	N/A	1	Hispanic/Latino	3				
		55-64	9			Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	0				
		65-74	22			White	39				
		75 and over	11			Other race or ethnicity	2				
						Decline to answer	2				
Totals	49		49		49		49				

Table B - Selected Grand Jurors										
Candidate Source		Age Range		Gender		Race or Ethnicity				
Holdover	1	18-25	0	Female	8	American Indian or Alaska Native				
Volunteer	18	26-34	0	Male	11	Asian	2			
Nomination	0	35-44	0	Non-Binary	0	Black or African American				
		45-54	0			Hispanic/Latino	1			
		55-64	3			Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander				
		65-74	12			White	15			
		75 and over	4			Other race or ethnicity				
						Decline to answer	1			
Totals	19		19		19		19			

Note:

¹⁾ Totals provided might differ because some applicants elect not to provide answers to some questions on the application.

²⁾ All grand jurors are selected by random draw except for holdovers and possibly the foreperson.

³⁾ Prospective jurors who utlimately decline an interview, decline to be included in the random draw, or decline selection are included in Table A.

⁴⁾ The composition of the grand jury changes throughout the year owing to jurors deciding to resign and new jurors being appointed.