2025 - 2026 Santa Cruz County Civil Grand Jury Demographic Report

Table A - Prospective Regular Grand Jurors											
Candidate Source		Age Range		Gender		Race or Ethnicity					
Holdover	3	18-25	3	Female	12	American Indian or Alaska Native	1				
Volunteer		26-34	2	Male	20	Asian	1				
Nomination		35-44	0	Non-Binary		Black or African American	2				
		45-54	3	N/A		Hispanic/Latino	3				
		55-64	3			Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	0				
		65-74	10			White	22				
		75 and over	11			Other race or ethnicity	2				
						Decline to answer	1				
Totals	3		32		32		32				

Table B - Selected Grand Jurors											
Candidate Source		Age Range		Gender		Race or Ethnicity					
Holdover	3	18-25	0	Female		American Indian or Alaska Native	0				
Volunteer		26-34	1	Male	14	Asian	0				
Nomination		35-44	0	Non-Binary	7	Black or African American	1				
		45-54	3			Hispanic/Latino	2				
		55-64	3			Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	0				
		65-74	9			White	15				
		75 and over	5			Other race or ethnicity	2				
						Decline to answer	1				
Totals	3		21		21		21				

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.