Jury Selection Processes in Washington Counties

The Office of Public Defense contacted County Clerks’ offices and the Administrative Office of the Courts to enquire about their agency’s role in the selection process for potential jurors. This document contains responses from individuals with knowledge of their respective agencies’ processes. Responses have been modified to remove the original OPD enquiry and related artifacts, and official county stamps, signatures, and line numbers were removed from some copies during file conversion; but every effort was made to preserve the original documents’ informational content about jury selection procedures.

In some cases, responses contained Confidentiality Notices that prohibit direct sharing of the responses. In those cases, information is provided using direct quotations, with the respondents’ understanding that information would be publicly shared. In one case (Island County), response was in the form of a telephone call. A brief summary of that conversation was provided.

Click on a .pdf or .docx icon below to view an explanation of that county or agency’s part in the jury selection process:

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| Administrative Office of the Courts |  |  |

# Washington Counties

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| Adams County |  |  |
| Asotin County |  |  |
| Benton County  (summary) |  |  |
| Chelan County |  |  |
| Clallam County  (summary) |  |  |
| Clark County |  |  |
| Columbia County  (summary) |  |  |
| Cowlitz County |  |  |
| Douglas County |  |  |
| Ferry County |  |  |
| Franklin County |  |  |
| Garfield County |  |  |
| Grant County |  |  |
| Grays Harbor County |  |  |
| Island County  (call summary) |  |  |
| Jefferson County |  |  |
| King County |  |  |
| Kitsap County |  |  |
| Kittitas County |  |  |
| Klickitat County |  |  |
| Lewis County |  |  |
| Lincoln County |  |  |
| Mason County |  |  |
| Okanogan County |  |  |
| Pacific County |  |  |
| Pend Oreille County |  |  |
| Pierce County |  |  |
| San Juan County  (summary) |  |  |
| Skagit County |  |  |
| Skamania County |  |  |
| Snohomish County |  |  |
| Spokane County |  |  |
| Stevens County |  |  |
| Thurston County |  |  |
| Wahkiakum County  (summary) |  |  |
| Walla Walla County |  |  |
| Whatcom County |  |  |
| Whitman County |  |  |
| Yakima County |  |  |

