



SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

HALL OF JUSTICE AND RECORDS

400 COUNTY CENTER

REDWOOD CITY, CA 94063

CLIFFORD V. CRETAN
JUDGE

February 23, 2009

NEWS RELEASE

The Honorable Clifford V. Cretan of the San Mateo County Superior Court announced today that applications for service on the 2009-2010 Grand Jury will be accepted for consideration beginning February 23, 2009 and continuing until April 17, 2009. Judge Cretan made the announcement as the appointed Grand Jury Advisor for the next grand jury term, which commences July 1, 2009 and ends June 30, 2010.

Any resident of San Mateo County for more than one year who is a citizen of the United States, 18 years of age or older, of ordinary intelligence, sound judgment and good character, with sufficient knowledge of the English language is eligible for selection by Judge Cretan. Elected public officials are not eligible.

The Court encourages all interested individuals to apply. The Court strives to obtain a cross section of the county population. After the completion of an interview process by Judge Cretan, jurors will be selected through a random draw.

Application forms can be obtained by writing Grand Jury Clerk, Court Executive Office, 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA 94063 or telephoning (650) 599-1711.