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County of Santa Clara**

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The 2009-2010 Santa Clara County Civil Grand Jury was sworn in at the Impanelment Ceremony held on June 25, 2009. The Honorable Jamie Jacobs-May, Presiding Judge of the Superior Court announced the appointment of Angie Cardoza from San Jose as Foreperson. Ms. Cardoza served on the 2008-2009 Grand Jury. Judge Jacobs-May also named four other members from the 2008-2009 panel to serve a second term. They are Lynette Lee Eng (Los Altos), Michael Gelb (San Jose), Mary Nassau, and Judy Shaw, both from Cupertino. The 2009-2010 Grand Jury has selected Judy Shaw as Foreperson pro tem.

The new members of the 2009-2010 Civil Grand Jury are: Terry Fowler (Sunnyvale), Richard Grialou (San Jose), Harold Guthart (Los Altos), Rachel Hackett (San Jose), William Hawk (San Jose), Adrienne Lilly (San Jose), Martin Michaels (San Jose), Gillian Moran (Saratoga), Helene Popenhager (San Martin), John Ross (San Jose), James Stoner (San Jose), Thomas Sweeney (San Jose), Chau Huyen Trinh (San Jose), and Nancy Tucker (San Jose).

The Civil Grand Jury is Santa Clara County's investigatory body. As the civil watchdog agency, it has the authority to examine all aspects of county and city government, special districts, and school districts. It also has the authority to inspect local adult and juvenile detention facilities. The newly impaneled Grand Jury will serve until June 30, 2010.