

**JURY COMMISSIONERS
OF BEAVER COUNTY
BEAVER COUNTY COURTHOUSE
810 THIRD STREET
BEAVER, PENNSYLVANIA 15009**



**JUROR BADGE
BEAVER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

NAME:

NUMBER: 101902

BAR CODE: 101902

MR2-111

JURY SUMMONS

101902

FOR TRIAL TERM STARTING:

MARCH 14 2011 8:15 AM

You MUST call the Beaver County Juror Information Management System at 724-770-4622, at the appointed time given to you on the enclosed juror instruction letter. You will be informed by a recorded message if and when you are to report for service during this Trial Term.

Upon verification of your appearance date, report to the Jury Assembly Room on the 2nd floor of the Beaver County Courthouse. You are required to present positive identification on your appearance date. For further information, you may call the Jury Commissioners' Office at (724) 770-4620 between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

GREETINGS: You are hereby summoned to appear before the Court of of Common Pleas, 810 Third Street, Beaver, Pennsylvania, to serve as a Petit Juror in the Court or any other court of the County, Civil or Criminal, as the President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas may direct.

BEAVER COUNTY JURY COMMISSIONERS:

SHELLEY L. BLYTHE
PEGGY E. ROSE

4584 - FAILURE OF JUROR TO APPEAR:

A prospective juror who has been summoned to serve as a juror and who fails to appear as summoned shall, unless exempt or excused pursuant to Section 4503, be punishable for contempt of court and may be fined in an amount not exceeding \$500.00 or imprisoned for a term no more than ten days or both.

BRING THIS TOP SUMMONS WITH YOU ON YOUR APPEARANCE DATE

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IMPORTANT-->>

COMPLETE THIS SECTION IMMEDIATELY AND RETURN IN THE ENCLOSED ENVELOPE

JUROR INFORMATION QUESTIONNAIRE

CONFIDENTIAL: NOT PUBLIC RECORD

PLEASE READ INSTRUCTIONS ON BACK OF QUESTIONNAIRE

NAME:

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1. HAVE YOU EVER SERVED AS A JUROR BEFORE? IF SO, WERE YOU EVER ON A HUNG JURY?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	9. WOULD YOU BE LESS LIKELY TO BELIEVE THE TESTIMONY OF A POLICE OFFICER OR OTHER LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER BECAUSE OF HIS OR HER JOB?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
2. DO YOU HAVE ANY RELIGIOUS, MORAL, OR ETHICAL BELIEFS THAT WOULD PREVENT YOU FROM SITTING IN JUDGMENT IN A CRIMINAL CASE AND RENDERING A FAIR VERDICT?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	10. WOULD YOU HAVE ANY PROBLEM FOLLOWING THE COURT'S INSTRUCTION THAT THE DEFENDANT IN A CRIMINAL CASE IS PRESUMED TO BE INNOCENT UNLESS AND UNTIL PROVEN GUILTY BEYOND A REASONABLE DOUBT?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
3. DO YOU HAVE ANY PHYSICAL OR PSYCHOLOGICAL DISABILITY THAT MIGHT INTERFERE WITH OR PREVENT YOUR SERVING AS A JUROR?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	11. WOULD YOU HAVE ANY PROBLEM FOLLOWING THE COURT'S INSTRUCTION THAT THE DEFENDANT IN A CRIMINAL CASE DOES NOT HAVE TO TAKE THE STAND OR PRESENT EVIDENCE, AND IT CANNOT BE HELD AGAINST THE DEFENDANT IF HE OR SHE ELECTS TO REMAIN SILENT OR PRESENT NO EVIDENCE?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
4. HAVE YOU OR ANYONE CLOSE TO YOU EVER BEEN THE VICTIM OF A CRIME?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	12. WOULD YOU HAVE ANY PROBLEM FOLLOWING THE COURT'S INSTRUCTION IN A CRIMINAL CASE THAT JUST BECAUSE SOMEONE IS ARRESTED, IT DOES NOT MEAN THAT PERSON IS GUILTY OF ANYTHING?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
5. HAVE YOU OR ANYONE CLOSE TO YOU EVER BEEN CHARGED WITH OR ARRESTED FOR A CRIME, OTHER THAN A TRAFFIC VIOLATION?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	13. IN GENERAL, WOULD YOU HAVE ANY PROBLEM FOLLOWING AND APPLYING THE JUDGE'S INSTRUCTION ON THE LAW?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
6. HAVE YOU OR ANYONE CLOSE TO YOU EVER BEEN AN EYEWITNESS TO A CRIME, WHETHER OR NOT IT EVER CAME TO COURT?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	14. WOULD YOU HAVE ANY PROBLEM DURING JURY DELIBERATIONS IN A CRIMINAL CASE DISCUSSING THE CASE FULLY BUT STILL MAKING UP YOUR OWN MIND?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
7. HAVE YOU OR ANYONE CLOSE TO YOU EVER WORKED IN LAW ENFORCEMENT OR THE JUSTICE SYSTEM? THIS INCLUDES POLICE, PROSECUTORS, ATTORNEYS, DETECTIVES, SECURITY GUARDS, AND COURT RELATED AGENCIES.	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	15. ARE YOU PRESENTLY TAKING ANY MEDICATION THAT MIGHT INTERFERE WITH OR PREVENT YOUR SERVING AS A JUROR?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
8. WOULD YOU BE MORE LIKELY TO BELIEVE THE TESTIMONY OF A POLICE OFFICER OR OTHER LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER BECAUSE OF HIS OR HER JOB?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	16. IS THERE ANY OTHER REASON YOU COULD NOT BE A FAIR JUROR IN A CRIMINAL CASE?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO

I hereby certify that the answers on this form are true and correct. I understand that false answers provided herein subject me to penalties under 18 Pa.C.S. § 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.



SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

ATTIRE

Jurors should dress appropriately in keeping with courtroom decorum.

SECURITY

When you enter the building, you may be required to go through a magnetometer. All briefcases, purses and packages may be X-rayed by Security. Due to security reasons you may be asked to return to your vehicle any items which could be used as a potential weapon. The following items are prohibited in the building:

- Firearms
- Cameras
- Chemical Sprays
- Large Scissors
- Knives
- Video tape recorders
- Audio tape recorders

PLEASE BRING A VALID PHOTO I.D. WITH YOU ON YOUR DAYS OF SERVICE.

JUROR RIGHTS: You cannot be discharged by your employer for responding to a juror summons, so long as you provide a copy of this summons to your employer immediately upon receipt.

To report an absense: If illness or emergency prevents your attendance, call (724) 770-4620 between 8:00-8:30 AM.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

If your employer requires proof of attendance, you may obtain a certificate in the Jury Commission office. Please wait until service has been completed before requesting a certificate.

DISABILITIES

Access to jury service is available to all persons as required by the ADA Act of 1990. If you are a person with a disability and are in need of accommodations, please call (724) 770-4620 no later than 7 days prior to your appearance date.

LENGTH OF SERVICE

You will probably be required to be at the courthouse for one day or until any trial for which you are selected is completed.

FEES

ATTENDANCE:

\$9.00 per day for the first three (3) days, \$25.00 per day thereafter.

MILEAGE:

\$.17 per mile from you residence address. (This is not normally considered income for tax purposes.)

WHEN PAID:

Generally paid ten working days after last day of attendance.

NO CELL PHONES, PAGERS, FOOD, DRINK OR READING MATERIALS ALLOWED IN THE COURTROOM.

Trial by jury is a fundamental principle of our system of justice. Jury Service is therefore both an opportunity and an obligation of every United States citizen.

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Guidelines for Juror Information Questionnaire

Effective July 1, 1999, in accordance with Pa. R.J.A. 103(b), the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania adopted the new Rule of Criminal Procedure 1107, while amending Rules 1104 and 1106, mandating the use of juror information questionnaires in criminal cases. Although you may not be selected to participate in a criminal proceeding, we ask that you complete the following questionnaire. As you will note, the questionnaire requires you to provide confidential personal information along with your yes/no responses to fifteen (15) questions. Please note that the selection process for civil cases is a bit different. If selected to participate in a civil case, questions similar in scope to those required in criminal cases, will be addressed to prospective jurors while you are in the courtroom.

For your ease in understanding and interpreting the nature of each question, you will note that we have included some general guidelines to use when considering your yes/no response. Please fill out the form in its entirety.

Questions 1-7, 13 & 14 are self-explanatory. Please use your best judgement when giving your response to these questions.

Questions #8 & #9 ask whether you would or would not believe the testimony of a law enforcement officer simply because of the position he/she holds and for no other reason. A juror should initially give equal weight to the testimony of all witnesses and only after hearing all evidence and testimony should the juror pass on the credibility and believability of each witness. A juror should not give extra weight or automatically believe or disbelieve the testimony of any witness simply based on who that person is or the job he/she holds.

Questions #10 - #13 deal specifically with your ability and willingness to follow the Court's instruction on the law. Each defendant enjoys certain Constitutional rights which are protected under the law. You are required to follow the rules of law and instructions given to you by the court.