

CLERK OF SUPERIOR STATE  
AND JUVENILE COURT  
FILED 7-13-21

21 JUL 13 PM 1:31

**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF RICHMOND COUNTY**

**STATE OF GEORGIA**

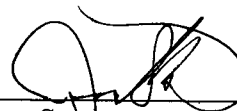
IN RE: GRAND JURY PRESENTMENT FOR THE MAY TERM 2021

The Grand Jury having returned the attached general presentment for the May Term 2021, and the same having been reviewed and accepted by the Court on July 13, 2021, it is now,

ORDERED that the said presentment shall be filed in the Office of the Clerk of Superior Court for Richmond County, and that it shall be published once in the *Augusta Chronicle*, the legal gazette for said County; and

FURTHER ORDERED that the said general presentment shall be posted by the Director of Information Technology on the Augusta-Richmond County website for public access through the Internet (World Wide Web).

It is so ORDERED this 13th day of July 2021.



Jesse Stone  
Superior Court Judge  
Augusta Judicial Circuit

21 JUL 13 PM 1:32

U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA

TO: The Honorable Ashley Wright  
Judge, Superior Court

FROM: Richmond County Grand Jury  
July Term 2021

DATE: July 13, 2021

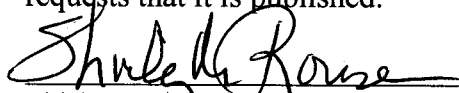
RE: Grand Jury Presentment

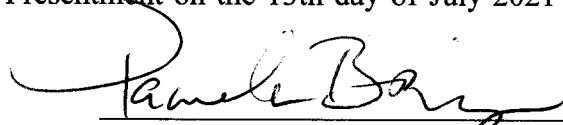
We, the members of the Augusta-Richmond County Grand Jury for the May Term 2021, having been duly sworn by the Honorable Daniel J. Craig on the 17th day of May 2021, submit our presentment on the 13th day of July, 2021, our last day as an official body of the Grand Jury.

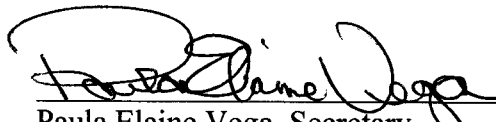
To discharge our sworn duties, as prescribed by the laws of the State of Georgia, we met on seven (7) dates during our term and acted upon Bills of Indictments presented to us by the District Attorney's Office.


A Sub-Committee was formed to inspect the District Attorneys Office. The applicable report is attached.

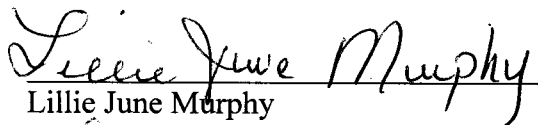
The Grand Jury respectfully submits this Presentment on the 13th day of July 2021 and requests that it is published.

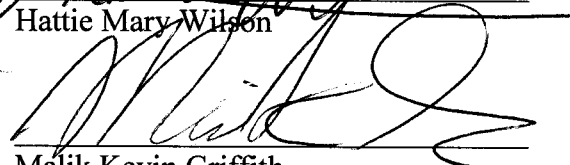
  
Shirley Mickens Rouse, Foreperson


  
Pamela E Browning, Asst. Foreperson

  
Paula Elaine Vega, Secretary

  
Hattie Mary Wilson

  
Lillie June Murphy

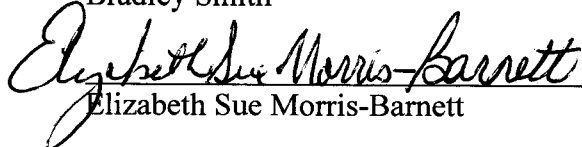
  
Malik Kevin Griffith

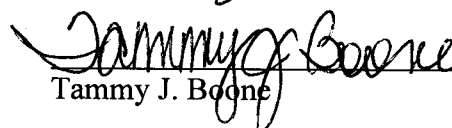
  
Lamar Carlton Andrews

  
Raymond Alvarez-Garcia

Bradley Smith

  
Sonya Yvette Johnson

  
Elizabeth Sue Morris-Barnett

  
Tammy J. Boone

William Christopher Wise  
William Christopher Wise

Delores Katrina Williams  
Delores Katrina Williams

William Chase Spivey  
William Chase Spivey

Toccara Celine Shine-Beard  
Toccara Celine Shine-Beard

Christina D. Edwards  
Christina D. Edwards

Carol L. Mosley  
Carol L. Mosley

Robert Lee Ward  
Robert Lee Ward

Marvell Maurice Johnson  
Marvell Maurice Johnson

Precious Simone Hill  
Precious Simone Hill

Kristine Paige White  
Kristine Paige White

Chester David Lewis Jackson, Jr.  
Chester David Lewis Jackson, Jr.

Lois Ann Jenkins, Alternate  
Lois Ann Jenkins, Alternate

Alletha Boyd Bryan, Alternate  
Alletha Boyd Bryan, Alternate

Timothy Dean Brewton, Alternate  
Timothy Dean Brewton, Alternate

**SUB-COMMITTEE OF THE JUNE, 2021 GRAND JURY  
REPORT ON THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE**

On June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021 the Sub-Committee had the privilege of touring the District Attorney's Office.

District Attorney Jared Williams welcomed and allowed the committee to ask questions and voice our views on how we feel the system works. He then informed us of how the caseloads are divided and distributed. District Attorney Williams is very personable and approachable. He expressed innovated ideas for moving forward and making positive changes to better assist and enhance our community.

The tour provided the committee with a visual concept of the number of cases that are handled based on the amount of files stored inside and outside of the offices. Much of the open space has been converted into offices and file rooms.

The committee agreed that the District Attorney's office definitely has a need for much more storage space, and offices. Over the past ten years since the completion of the building, staff and cases have grown out of the existing space.

The sub-committee's recommendation would be to diligently seek funding for an office expansion in the same building or a second location.

Overall, the tour provided the committee with great knowledge and visual senses of our Attorneys working for us.

The committee is sincerely grateful for this wonderful opportunity and would like to follow-up on the campaign for more office space.

Submitted by  
Grand Jury Sub-Committee Members