

Virtual Petit Juror Guidelines

Participating in virtual jury trial proceedings will be your only activity during your scheduled session. Judiciary staff will be monitoring your conduct for the duration of the proceeding. Please carefully follow the instructions below.

- Though you are home and participating virtually, you are part of an on-the-record Superior Court proceeding.
- To participate, you should be seated (or stationary if using a standing desk) in the same area for the duration of the session. To the extent possible, you should be in an area with a neutral background.
- To ensure you focus on the important proceedings, please minimize distractions in the area where you are sitting for the limited time period you are participating in virtual jury selection.
- All electronic devices not used to access the proceeding should be turned off and inaccessible for the duration of the proceeding.
- Individuals should report as if they were coming into a courthouse in person; they should be dressed appropriately and not engaged in other activities.
- Your head, face, and shoulders should be visible on camera at all times.
- You should not do any research about the case you are participating in.
- Please mute your microphone, unless you are speaking, at all times during the virtual selection proceeding.
- To the extent possible, please avoid eating or snacking during the virtual selection proceeding.
- If you experience technical issues, please reach out to the Judiciary staff member contacts provided to you for resolution.
- If you have a personal emergency during the proceeding, please immediately alert the judge or Judiciary staff that you need to step away from the session.

Thank you very much for your willingness to serve as a juror, and to help the Judiciary continue to provide this vital function of our democracy during these extraordinary times.