



FEBRUARY 6, 2026

Dear Juror:

You have been selected to report on **MARCH 6, 2026**, as a prospective grand juror for the Marion County Circuit Court. You must respond according to the instructions which appear in the jury summons.

This is a **Special Grand Jury Summons** which has been drawn for a special panel that is currently anticipated to last through September 18, 2026, and is anticipated to meet once every other week.

You must call the jury reporting line **(503) 588-5371** (press option #4) after 5 p.m. on the evening of March 5, 2026 for specific instructions for the **Special Grand Jury Panel** to confirm that you are required to report.

Bus- If you show the summons to any Cherriots bus driver, your transportation to and from the Courthouse on the first day of your service is free.

Parking- DO NOT PARK in the Courthouse Parking Structure. Please use your summons as a parking permit and park on the roof of the Marion Parkade, which is located across from Kohl's department store and near the Regal Cinebarre Movieland theater on Marion Street. Entrances to the Parkade are located on Liberty, Union and High Streets.

CONFLICTS WITH REPORTING

If you have medical reasons or prepaid vacation plans and are unable to report on **March 6, 2026**, you must submit to the Court a **current** letter from your doctor describing your specific medical inability to serve (even if you have provided a letter in the past), or a copy of your prepaid travel itinerary. Such a letter should be delivered to the Marion County Courthouse or mailed to the Jury Office at P.O. Box 12869, Salem OR 97309-0869 **no later than 5 days** after you receive this Summons. This information can also be emailed to mar.jury@ojd.state.or.us. You may also fax this information to the Court at (503) 589-3239. The Court will review these letters

individually and advise whether or not you will need to appear on **March 6, 2026**. Jurors will **NOT** be excused on March 6, 2026 for vacation plans or medical appointments if they have failed to send in written confirmation as directed in this letter.

JUROR ELIGIBILITY

- (1) You will be excused if you fall within the following categories and notify us either online or by phone by **March 4, 2026**.
 - a. 70 years old or older (optional, you are not required to be excused, but you must make your request to the Court if you want to be excused)
 - b. Not a U.S. Citizen;
 - c. Not a resident of Marion County;
 - d. Have served on a Federal or Circuit Court jury in the last 2 years.
 - e. You are currently a pregnant/breastfeeding Mother.
- (2) Additionally, if you have been convicted of a felony or served a felony sentence within the last 15 years; **or** you have been convicted of a misdemeanor involving violence or dishonesty; **or** served a misdemeanor sentence on a misdemeanor involving violence or dishonesty within the last 5 years, you are ineligible to serve on this jury. Proof of the conviction should be delivered to the Marion County Courthouse or mailed to the Jury Office at P.O. Box 12869, Salem OR 97309-0869 **no later than 5 days** after you receive this Summons. You may also fax this information to the Court at (503) 589-3239. The Court will review the submission individually and advise whether or not you will need to appear on **March 6, 2026**.

FAILURE TO REPORT MAY RESULT IN AN ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE REGARDING CONTEMPT OF COURT

SUMMONS DATE: March 6, 2026