

Public Comment Submitted
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Barriers to Jury Service
Online Contact Form

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“It is unfair to poor people to not be excused because you may not have to show up on the week you are summoned. I still need to tell my work that I won’t know if I can be there until the day before service. I work with patients, so someone has to be scheduled ahead of time to see them. Mandatory jury duty without pay is unduly harsh on those that do not have the money to take a week off to serve.”