PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE

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The purpose of the Public Relations Committee is to educate the public concerning the Grand Jury: its duties, powers and the means whereby the members of the Grand Jury are selected. In addition, the committee details the methods by which a citizen’s complaint may be filed with the Grand Jury. Presentations were made to various service clubs and organizations throughout the county.

The committee working with our foreperson established the title of “Publicist” to work in harmony with the Public Relations Committee and the foreperson and various media (i.e.) newspapers, radio stations, television stations and county operations. It was a great undertaking, of which we are proud.

Teamwork has been the cornerstone of the Public Relations Committee, working together and developing harmony and cooperation with the various county departments and the Edit Committee of the Grand Jury. These committees joined forces in putting on three major events this Grand Jury year: an open house and awards ceremony in early June and the Judges/Grand Jury luncheon and exchange of knowledge gathering just before our term expired.

This year, as in prior years, the board of supervisors proclaimed May 2000 as Grand Jury Awareness month in Kern County.
PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE

The following is a list of those agencies visited throughout year. We wish to thank each of these agencies for their enthusiastic welcome of our committee and the superb tours of their facilities.
Kern COG – Kern Council of Governments
Ronald E. Brummett, Executive Director

Kern County Administration Office
Scott E. Jones, County Administrative Officer

Kern County Board of Trade
Ann Gutcher, Director (retired)

Resource Management Agency
David Price, Director

Kern County Sheriff Department
Sheriff Carl Sparks

Kern County Human Services Department
Kathleen M. Irvine, Director

Kern County Library
Diane Duquette, Director

Kern County District Attorney
Edward R. Jagels, District Attorney

Kern County Parks and Recreation Department
Bob Addison, Director

Kern Superintendent of Schools
Larry E. Reider, Ed D, Superintendent of Schools

Kern County Fire Department
Dan Clark, Chief

Temple Beth el
Rabbi Cheryl Rosenstein
Kern County Museum
Carola Rupert Enriquez, Director

California Living Museum
Greg Sanders, Director
Ventura County
Grand Jury

San Luis Obispo County
Grand Jury

Mercy Hospital
Sister Hull, CSM

Parks and Recreation
Lake Isabella Boat Tour
Bob Addison, Director

Global Gifts
Non-profit mission outreach store

Phine’s Café
Josephine Webber, Owner

Kern County Reprographics
Barry Goldsmith, Reprographics Supervisor

Volunteer Center of Kern County
Brenda Ratliff, Executive Director

Kern County Personnel
Civil Service Meeting
Kay Madden, Director

Kern County Search and Rescue
Stan Moe, Commander
John Diederich, Sergeant
The 1999-2000 Kern County Grand Jury paid special recognition to these individuals for their outstanding community service.

Mark Arnold,
Kern County Public Defender

Thomas N. Clark,
Kern County Water Agency
   General Manager

Jess Diamond, M.D.
   Pediatrician

John Diederich, Sergeant
Kern County Sheriff’s Department
   Search and Rescue

Global Gifts,
Non-profit mission outreach store

Sister Debbie Hull,
Mercy Hospital CSM

Stephen Tauzer,
Kern County Assistant District Attorney

Josephine Webber, Owner Phine’s Café

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