

JURY DUTY

Your Experience as a Juror

The City of Scappoose wants to thank you for contributing your time and energy to our Municipal Court. We will do everything possible to ensure that your duty is a rewarding experience.

Your participation is essential to the preservation of the justice system in Scappoose and the State of Oregon.

Information for Jurors

- Please take a moment and fill out the jury questionnaire and return it as soon as possible.
- Please note that we cannot excuse you on the day of the trial. Should you have an excuse or conflict, you will still need to appear and speak with the judge. Jury selection will last approximately one and a half hours.
- If you are not selected for the jury panel, you will be free to leave. If you are selected, you can expect the trial to begin immediately. You may wish to bring some reading material and a sweater or jacket with you, as sometimes the heating / air system may not provide a comfortable temperature for all.
- If you have just received a jury subpoena and are unable to serve on jury duty, please submit a written request to be excused, and it will be forwarded to the judge for review.
- All jurors are required to serve for jury duty as scheduled. If you are over 70 years old and want to be excused or have special circumstances that prevent you from being able to serve as a juror, please submit a written request to be excused.

Additional Resources

- [Oregon State Bar Handbook for Jurors](#)