



Monterey County Civil Grand Jury

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Luis Alejo, Chair & Members of
Monterey County Board of Supervisors
Via email to: COB@co.monterey.ca.us
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Re: Required Response to Monterey County Civil Grand Jury's Report titled "Monument to a Failed Process: South County Permit PLN 180317" from 2019-20.

Dear Chair Alejo and Members of the Board,

The Superior Court and the Monterey County Civil Grand Jury have received a partial response to the above-titled report, as required by Section 933(c) of the California Penal Code. The Report and the Board's response can be found on the County's Civil Grand Jury's website.

Responses are missing for the following Findings: F1, F2, F10, F11 and F12.

Responses are missing for the following Recommendations: R4, R5, R8, R9 and R11.

Please submit the missing required responses to the report by no later than January 31, 2024.

Once your report has been received, it will be updated on the Superior Court and Civil Grand Jury websites.

Sincerely,

Christine Lerable, Foreperson
2023-24 Monterey County Civil Grand Jury

Cc: Sandra Ontiveros, County Counsel Liaison to Monterey County Civil Grand Jury

California Penal Code §933, subdivision (c) (excerpt, emphasis added)

(c) **No later than 90 days** after the grand jury submits a final report on the operations of any public agency subject to its reviewing authority, the governing body of the public agency shall comment to the presiding judge of the superior court on the findings and recommendations pertaining to matters under the control of the governing body, and every elected county officer or agency head for which the grand jury has responsibility pursuant to Section 914. I shall comment **within 60 days** to the presiding judge of the superior court, with an information copy sent to the board of supervisors, on the findings and recommendations pertaining to matters under the control of that county officer or agency head and any agency or agencies which that officer or agency head supervises or controls.