

CHEROKEE COUNTY

STATE OF GEORGIA

GRAND JURY PRESENTMENTS

**TO: The Honorable N. Jackson Harris
Chief Judge, Superior Court
Cherokee County, Georgia**

**The Honorable Ellen McElyea
Judge, Superior Court
Cherokee County, Georgia**

**The Honorable David L. Cannon, Jr.
Judge, Superior Court
Cherokee County, Georgia**

We, the members of this Grand Jury, chosen and sworn to serve the January 2015 term of the Superior Court of Cherokee County, hereby submit the following report and recommendations.

We, the January 2015 Grand Jury, heard 242 bills of indictment, returned 242 true bills and 0 no bill.

PRESENTMENT 1

We, the January 2015 Grand Jury, commend Superior Court Bailiff Jane Johnson, Bailiff Johnny Champion and Bailiff Fay McCurry for their diligent assistance in arranging materials for the Grand Jury proceedings, managing the schedule for cases to be presented, coordinating Grand Jury payroll, and ensuring that all of the proceedings ran smoothly.

We, the January 2015 Grand Jury, thank Bailiff Jane Johnson for her 28 years of dedicated, dependable service to the Cherokee County court system and congratulate and wish her well on her retirement.

PRESENTMENT 2

We, the January 2015 Grand Jury, commend District Attorney Shannon Wallace, each of her Assistant District Attorneys and staff members, each law enforcement officer and investigator associated with the cases brought before this Grand Jury for their professionalism and hard work in protecting the citizens of Cherokee County.

PRESENTMENT 3

We, the January 2015 Grand Jury, express our appreciation to Cherokee County Sheriff Roger Garrison, Chief Deputy Joe Perkins, Major Karen Johnson, Renee Cornelison of the Cherokee Office of Homeland Security-Emergency Management (OHS-EM), and the shift supervisors and staff of the Cherokee 911 Center for hosting an informative tour of the Cherokee County Adult Detention Center and the 911 facility. The facilities were found to be clean, well-lit and effectively managed and were clean and orderly.

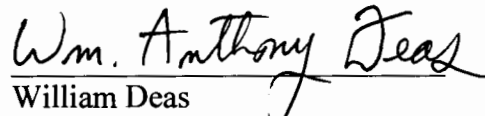
PRESENTMENT 4

We, the January 2015 Grand Jury, express thanks to the Honorable Judge Ellen McElyea for her professional and informative empanelment and orientation of this Grand Jury.

PRESENTMENT 5

We, the January 2015 Grand Jury, express thanks to Executive Director Deidre Hollands for her informative presentation about the Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) Program. We found her presentation to be professional and informative regarding the services provided by this program to the children who have experienced abuse and neglect in our county. These services help children to realize their potential and become healthy, happy adults. We thank Ms. Hollands and all of the CASAs for the tremendous assistance and comfort they provide to the children in Cherokee County through this program.

Respectfully submitted this 14th day of April, 2015.


William Deas
Grand Jury Foreman

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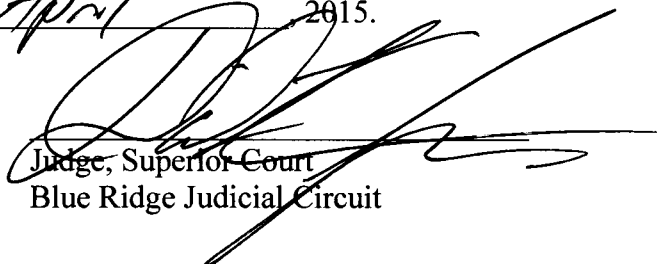
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ORDER

It is ordered that the within and foregoing Grand Jury Presentments having been read and considered, the same be filed.

It is further ordered that a copy of the Presentments along with a copy of this Order be sent to the Cherokee Tribune for publication and the usual fees paid thereon.

This the 14 day of April 2015.



Judge, Superior Court
Blue Ridge Judicial Circuit