

Grand Jury Report

RESPONSE FORM

Grand Jury Report Title : *Doing Community Service*

Report Dated : *May 12, 2010*

Response Form Submitted By:

Donald Armstrong, Superintendent
Fort Bragg Unified School District
312 South Lincoln Street
Fort Bragg, CA 95437

Response MUST be submitted, per Penal Code §933.05, no later than:

July 14, 2010

I have reviewed the report and submit my responses to the FINDINGS portion of the report as follows:

- I (we) agree with the Findings numbered: _____
- I (we) disagree wholly or partially with the Findings numbered below, and have attached, as required, a statement specifying any portion of the Finding that are disputed with an explanation of the reasons therefore.
- _____

I have reviewed the report and submit my responses to the RECOMMENDATIONS portion of the report as follows:

- The following Recommendation(s) have have been implemented and attached, as required, is a summary describing the implemented actions:
Recommendation 3
- The following Recommendation(s) have not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future, attached, as required is a time frame for implementation:
- _____

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- The following Recommendation(s) require further analysis, and attached as required, is an explanation and the scope and parameters of the planned analysis, and a time frame for the matter to be prepared, discussed and approved by the officer and/or director of the agency or department being investigated or reviewed: (This time frame shall not exceed six (6) months from the date of publication of the Grand Jury Report)
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- The following Recommendations will NOT be implemented because they are not warranted and/or are not deemed reasonable, attached, as required is an explanation therefore:
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I have completed the above responses, and have attached, as required the following number of pages to this response form:

Number of Pages attached: 1

I understand that responses to Grand Jury Reports are public records. They will be posted on the Grand Jury website: www.co.mendocino.ca.us/grandjury. The clerk of the responding agency is required to maintain a copy of the response.

I understand that I must submit this signed response form and any attachments as follows:

First Step: E-mail (word documents or scanned pdf file format) to:

- The Grand Jury Foreperson at: grandjury@co.mendocino.ca.us
- The Presiding Judge: grandjury@mendocino.courts.ca.gov
- The County's Executive Office: ceo@co.mendocino.ca.us

Second Step: Mail all originals to:

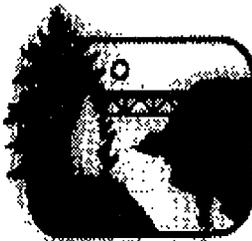
Mendocino County Grand Jury
P.O. Box 939
Ukiah, CA 95482

Printed Name: Donald F. Armstrong, Ed.D.

Title: Superintendent

Signed: 

Date: 6/23/10



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June 25, 2010

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Attention: Katharine Wylie, Foreperson

Dear Ms. Wylie:

Please accept this as my response to the Grand Jury Report: *Doing Community Service*. I have reviewed the findings and recommendations for this report from the Grand Jury and I agree with the findings in the report.

The Fort Bragg Unified School District has utilized the crew from Parlin Forks and Chamberlin Creek for clean-up of brush and other hazards on our campuses several times over the past few years. It has been our experience that the work performed is thorough and efficient as well as cost effective. I would strongly encourage other school districts to take advantage of this service to the community. The only downside of their service in terms of school districts is that it would be inappropriate to use inmate labor when school is in session and students are present.

If there is need of any additional information, please feel free to contact me directly.

Sincerely,

Donald F. Armstrong, Ed.D.
Superintendent