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**RESULTS FOR JURY TRIALS PROSECUTED IN CALENDAR YEAR 2021**

**~ WEIGHTED JURY TRIAL CONVICTION RATE: 80% ~**

<u>Trial Date</u>	<u>Defendant</u>	<u>Prosecutor</u>	<u>Subject Matter</u>	<u>Verdict(s)</u>
03/29/2021	Lamont A. Dean	Larson	F Assault to Rape	Guilty
03/29/2021	Jonah D. Mitchell	Long	M DUI	Mistrial <sup>1</sup>
04/05/2021	Robert E. Taylor	Eyster	F Burglary 1 <sup>st</sup> Degree	Guilty
04/12/2021	Ronal O. Magana	Trigg	F Child Molestation	Mistrial <sup>2</sup>
05/10/2021	Lloyd R. Hoaglen	Raines	M Hit-and-Run Driving	Guilty
06/07/2021	Michael P. Pimental	Long	M DUI	Mistrial <sup>3</sup>
06/08/2021	Erin C. O'Doyle	Rosenfeld	M DUI	Not Guilty
06/28/2021	Leartis K.M. Caradine	Guzman	F Willful FTA	Guilty
07/19/2021	Michael P. Pimental	Long	M DUI	Guilty
08/02/2021	Steve A. Couthren	Guzman	F Sex Registration	Not Guilty

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<sup>1</sup> After two days of jury selection, the defendant's trial was to commence its evidentiary phase with the prosecutor presenting the People's evidence. Before that could happen, the defendant's court-appointed attorney sent her colleague to court to say the defense attorney would be unavailable until the following Monday. Because of problems that this unexpected delay was going to cause jurors, the court declared a mistrial. Thereafter, a new trial was calendared to commence on June 28<sup>th</sup>. With the new trial date pending, the accused committed suicide and the case was dismissed.

<sup>2</sup> Issuing a split decision, the jury was excused and a mistrial was declared because two of three counts were not unanimously resolved. Following the District Attorney's in-house review, the undecided counts were reset for a second trial before a new jury at the end of October. Approximately one week before that second trial the defendant admitted having committed the crime of continuous sexual abuse of a child, one of the two felonies that hung the original jury. The other count, a lesser felony, was dismissed by the DA. When it was all said and done, the defendant was sentenced to 80 months in state prison. Given the outcome, the result is counted and weighed as a win for justice.

<sup>3</sup> With the jury unable to reach a unanimous decision ("hung jury"), a mistrial was declared. As noted above, the defendant was later found guilty as charged by a new and different jury.

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08/09/2021	Thomas D. Jones	Norman	F Competency (Murder)	Competent
08/09/2021	Jameson W. Jackson	Trigg	F Murder	Guilty
12/13/2021	Anthony W. Oakley	Trigg	F Multiple Rapes	Mistrial <sup>4</sup>

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<sup>4</sup> Issuing a slight split decision, the jury was excused and a mistrial was declared (“hung jury”) because nine of the ten counts were not unanimously resolved. After an in-house review by the District Attorney and his senior attorneys, a decision will be made as to whether or not to present the witnesses and evidence to a new and different jury in the future.