

## Office of Jury Commissioner for the Commonwealth

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**Demographic Survey Results** 

01/01/2024 - 06/30/2024

| Demographic Category               | Federal Census 2020 |       | Jurors Who Responded<br>to the Demographics<br>Survey |       | Jurors Who Appeared for Juror Service |       | Jurors Who Were<br>Impaneled |       |
|------------------------------------|---------------------|-------|---|-------|---------------------------------------|-------|------------------------------|-------|
|                                    | Population          | %     | Population  | %     | Population                            | %     | Population                   | %     |
| Black / African American           | 374,739             | 6.6%  | 30,469  | 7.3%  | 6,952                                 | 7.3%  | 1,092                        | 8.3%  |
| White                              | 4,086,011           | 72.1% | 321,637   | 76.7% | 75,269                                | 79.3% | 10,389                       | 79.1% |
| Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander | 1,915               | 0.0%  | 489   | 0.1%  | 117                                   | 0.1%  | 16                           | 0.1%  |
| Asian                              | 409,577             | 7.2%  | 24,955  | 6.0%  | 4,526                                 | 4.8%  | 600                          | 4.6%  |
| American Indian / Alaskan Native   | 18,009              | 0.3%  | 846   | 0.2%  | 166                                   | 0.2%  | 12                           | 0.1%  |
| Other                              | 773,472             | 13.7% | 40,760  | 9.7%  | 7,882                                 | 8.3%  | 1,018                        | 7.8%  |
| Totals                             | 5,663,723           | 100%  | 419,156   | 100%  | 94,912                                | 100%  | 13,127                       | 100%  |

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|                             | Population          | %     | Population  | %     | Population                            | <b>%</b> | Population                   | <b>%</b> |
| Yes, Hispanic/Latino        | 621,508             | 11.0% | 43,762  | 10.4% | 8,003                                 | 8.4%     | 1,065                        | 8.1%     |
| No, Not Hispanic/Latino     | 5,042,215           | 89.0% | 369,796   | 88.2% | 85,926                                | 90.5%    | 11,954                       | 91.1%    |
| No Response Hispanic/Latino | 0                   | 0.0%  | 5,598   | 1.3%  | 983                                   | 1.0%     | 108                          | 0.8%     |

<sup>\*</sup> The census figures include persons who are not qualified to serve as jurors due to lack of citizenship or ability to speak or understand English as required by G. L.234A, s.4.

This may account for an apparent underrepresentation of Asian and Hispanic/Latino jurors compared to the Federal Census population.