

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA**

NOTICE OF DRAWING OF NAMES FOR JURY SERVICE

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1861, "all litigants in Federal courts entitled to trial by jury shall have the right to grand and petit juries selected at random from a fair cross section of the community in the district or division wherein the court convenes." Pursuant to the Middle District of Florida's Plan for the Qualification and Selection of Grand and Petit Jurors, the Court uses a two-step process to select jurors. Every odd numbered year, a master jury wheel is created by random selection of names from the voter registration source list. Names are then randomly drawn from the master jury wheel to receive juror qualification questionnaires. An individual's answer to the questionnaire determines whether he or she is legally qualified to serve. The names of those qualified to serve form a second wheel referred to as a qualified jury wheel. The second step of the process begins when prospective jurors are needed for a petit or grand jury service. A Summons for Jury Service is sent to persons randomly selected from the qualified wheel.

All of these selections are accomplished through a properly programmed electronic data processing system for pure randomized selection. For more information, please refer to the Plan for the Qualification and Selection of Grand and Petit Jurors available on the Court's website www.flmd.uscourts.gov.