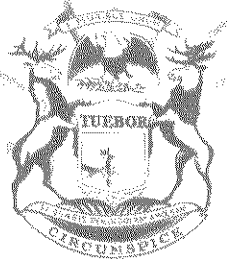


STATE OF MICHIGAN



Michigan Supreme Court

## Resolution

### Juror Appreciation Month 2007

The right to a trial by jury is one of the core values of American citizenship; and,

The obligation and privilege to serve as a juror are as fundamental to our democracy as the right to vote; and,

Our courts depend upon citizens to serve as jurors; and,

All citizens should be encouraged to respond when summoned for jury service; and,

A continuing and imperative goal for the courts, the legal community, and all citizens is to ensure that jury selection and jury service are fair, effective, and not unduly burdensome to anyone; and,

Michigan courts greatly appreciate the tens of thousands of citizens who annually give their time and talents to serve on juries; therefore,

We, the Justices of the Michigan Supreme Court, designate July 2007 as Juror Appreciation Month, to celebrate the jury's role in democracy and to thank jurors throughout Michigan.

We have affixed the seal of the Michigan Supreme Court on this day of May 23, Anno Domini MMVII, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the two hundred and thirty-first.

*Clifford W. Taylor*  
Clifford W. Taylor, Chief Justice

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