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2015-2016 Grand Jury issues Final Report

Today the 2015-2016 Sacramento County Grand Jury released its annual Final Report. This year's report covers five in-depth investigations and three informational investigative reports.

The lead investigative report, *Sacramento County's Revenue and Recovery: \$658 Million in Uncollected Debt and Rising*, details the Grand Jury's findings and recommendations related to the Department of Revenue and Recovery's implementation and continued use of an ineffective and costly system to recover debt on behalf of county agencies. Over the last seven years, there have been three contract extensions with the system developer costing taxpayers more than \$12 million on a system that is still woefully under-performing on many levels.

There are four other investigative reports, the Grand Jury's investigation of the *Twin Rivers Unified School Board District: Conflict of Interest*; *Domestic Violence: An Inconsistent Priority for Law Enforcement*; *Release of Mentally Ill Inmates From the Main Jail*; *Sacramento Metro Fire District: Fire Inspections: Trust but Verify*. Additionally there are three informational investigative reports. *Homelessness: A State of Emergency*; *Access Denied*; *Sacramento Council Discretionary Spending: Show Me the Money!*

The Final Report is available on Superior Court website, <http://www.sacgrandjury.org>. A limited supply will be available at the Sacramento Superior Court, Executive Office, 720 9th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814.