

Dedication to Vicki Riley

The 2013-14 Trinity County Grand Jury lost a dedicated and energetic member on December 25th, when Vicki Riley passed away, but we have gained a new reason to do our best to serve the people of Trinity County through our dedication of this year's work to our colleague and friend.

Vicki was in the middle of serving her second consecutive term on the Grand Jury, bringing a wealth of knowledge to the table each and every time we met. We are grateful for the time we had to serve with her and learn from her experience. Her quiet, Socratic approach to analyzing the complex and often perplexing issues will be missed, but will not be forgotten. Nor will we forget her ability to balance her own strong opinions against the compelling need to find consensus – an attribute that she must have brought to us from her directorial skills of blending disparate voices into the beautiful Baroque music for which we will remember Vicki.

I served with Vicki last year and am proud to have been able to serve with her again this year. I will miss her counsel and organizational skills. I know that I speak for all of my colleagues when I say that our work is as good as it can be, because of Vicki's service and shared vision of good governance by local government.

Most Sincerely,

Bob Morris, Foreperson
2013-14 Trinity County Grand Jury

