

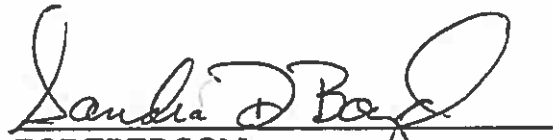
**GRAND JURY REPORT  
SEPTEMBER – OCTOBER 2017**

The September-October Grand Jury has been honored to serve these past two months.

We would like to thank the Commonwealth's Attorney and her staff for their help and knowledge during our time on the Grand Jury. We have learned a lot about the charges and terminology used when the cases were presented. We did not realize there was so much crime in Christian County, especially sexual abuse crimes involving minor children.

We would like to see changes made to state testing of evidence, particularly DNA. The state needs to provide additional personnel so that testing can be done regionally, in a more timely fashion. Waiting a year or longer is too long for any case to wait on testing.

This has been an eye opening experience and we would like to thank our law enforcement officers, prosecutors, and judges for their hard work and dedication.

  
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September-October 2017 Grand Jury