

## **Justice Jasper Yeates (the first)**

### **Term**

1704-1711, 1717-1720 (years taken from Lawmaking and Legislators in Pennsylvania)

### **Professional Experience**

- Justice of the Peace, Chester County, 1694-1698, 1703-1704, 1710-1711, 1717-1718 (president, 1710-1711, 1717-1718)
- Member, General Assembly, 1700b, 1701
- Member, Provincial Council, 1696, 1700a
- Burgess, Chester Borough, 1701
- Chief Burgess, Chester County, 1703
- Tax Commissioner, Chester County, 1711
- Member, Provincial Council, 1700, 1704-1720
- Assemblyman, Lower Counties, 1702, 1708, 1715 (Speaker), 1716 (Speaker)
- Justice, Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, commissioned April 10, 1704; April 17, 1706, December 2, 1707, April 10, 1704-February 28, 1711, February 15, 1717, September 23, 1717; February 15, 1718-May 1720
- Chief Justice, Supreme Court of the Lower Counties, December 3, 1707-April 11, 1710
- President Judge, Chester County, 1704-May 13, 1713; August 26, 1717-May 22, 1722
- President Judge, New Castle County, 1717
- Justice of Oyer and Terminer, 1718
- Died in Office, May 1720

### **Sources**

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