

# LAGBAC



NOVEMBER 2012 EDITION

## A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Members,

Fall is here, law students are back in classes, and we are in full swing! We had a packed summer with many successful events and programs. In fact, this year's Lawyers for Diversity, at which we heard from Supreme Court Justice Mary Jane Theis, was one of the most successful yet. The proceeds of LFD will help to continue the funding of our student scholarships and other educational events. Our retooled Market Days booth was a huge success, at which Rep. Sara Feigenholtz and Ald. James Cappleman performed "faux marriages" to raise awareness about marriage equality. And, as always, our Judge's Pride Reception at Yoshi's Restaurant was a favorite for our friends on the judiciary.

This fall and winter, LAGBAC has some big plans, including a number of new CLE events, the Second Annual Legal and Medical Professionals Holiday Mixer, and additional scholarship opportunities for students. Additionally, we have heard from members that much of our programming has historically been geared towards students rather than practitioners. While we plan to continue our strong student programming, one of our newly stated goals is to improve and build upon our successes for practitioners. If you have an idea, or something you'd like to see LAGBAC take on, please do not hesitate to get in touch with me or any board member.

It's also election season, and LAGBAC's Judicial Evaluation Committee has spent hundreds of collective hours interviewing and evaluating this season's judicial candidates. We are proud of our efforts to educate the electorate about qualified judges. Enclosed in this newsletter are our committee's evaluations, which you can (and should!) take with you to the polling place.

Finally, for all the latest on LAGBAC, please visit our newly redesigned website at [www.lagbac.org](http://www.lagbac.org). You can renew your membership, buy tickets to our events, and view a full schedule of upcoming events.

Enjoy the fall, and we hope to see you at some of our upcoming events!

Best,  
*John*

## LAGBAC RELAUNCHES WEBSITE

[www.lagbac.org](http://www.lagbac.org)

- Since the launch of LAGBAC's new website, daily visits to the site have increased by over 60%!
- On the new site, you can become a member and pay your dues!
- Your membership is now watched over by the e-gods of WishList, allowing LAGBAC to track membership automatically and with divine algorithmic intervention!
- We blog, averaging 1-2 postings per week!
- We regularly post pictures - like the web documentary video from LAGBAC's faux wedding ceremonies during Market Days!
- You can read all about LAGBAC's fascinating board members!
- You can download nifty flyers about upcoming events!
- You can access legal resources that may be of interest, including upcoming CLE programs!
- You can read all about LAGBAC's programs!

## COME BE A PART OF LAGBAC!

### A MESSAGE FROM OUR NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE

The Nominations Committee of the LAGBAC welcomes applicants for consideration of appointment to fill possible vacancies of the Board of Directors. Appointments to fill the unexpired term of vacant Director seats are made on an as needed basis. Responsibilities include mandatory attendance at monthly meetings, serving on Committees, and organizing and participating in LAGBAC events and programs. Board membership presents incomparable opportunities to make a difference in the local LGBT community.

At this time, the Nominations Committee is accepting statements of interest from LAGBAC members for consideration of appointment. Interested members who wish to serve on the Board of Directors should submit a statement of interest to the LAGBAC Nominations Committee at [whall@lagbac.org](mailto:whall@lagbac.org) by November 14 at 5:00 p.m. The statement of interest should include a brief personal and legal bio, past involvement in LAGBAC and other LGBT activities, and your reasons for seeking an appointment to the Board. All applicants will be considered pursuant to the Nominations Committee's adopted processes, which includes an individual interview. For more information, please contact William Hall at [whall@lagbac.org](mailto:whall@lagbac.org).

# LOOK FOR LAGBAC'S RECOMMENDATIONS FOR JUDICIAL CANDIDATES FOR THE UPCOMING ELECTION AT THE END OF THIS NEWSLETTER

## Judicial Evaluation Committee Background

LAGBAC's Judicial Evaluation Committee ("JEC") would like to broaden its reach by adding new members. The JEC screens judicial candidates seeking election or appointment, as well as sitting judges. Through investigation, screening and interviewing, the JEC determines whether candidates can be recommended for judicial positions. Although JEC membership does require some time commitment (usually no more than 10 hours over the course of 2-3 months), the committee's work is vital to ensure that the state judiciary is comprised of well-qualified judges and to provide the public with an opportunity to cast an informed vote. Those interested in joining LAGBAC's JEC should email Susana Darwin at [susanadarwin@earthlink.net](mailto:susanadarwin@earthlink.net) or Chuck Little at [clittle@gsgolaw.com](mailto:clittle@gsgolaw.com) or [jec@lagbac.org](mailto:jec@lagbac.org).

**Don't forget - LAGBAC memberships renew January 1, 2013!**

**You can renew by mail using the form here or online at [www.lagbac.org](http://www.lagbac.org)!**

## Women's Committee Event

Unbeknownst to many of the LAGBAC members, the Women's Committee of LAGBAC has more than doubled over the past 5 years. The goals of the Committee are to provide support and resources to female members and to promote and increase female membership in LAGBAC. Having said that, we've been steadily increasing our female membership over the past few years. In addition to providing other resources, we're interested in fun ways that allow the female members of LAGBAC to get together on at least a bi-annual basis outside of the traditional LAGBAC events. Having said that, the LAGBAC Women's Committee has been busy planning events for the upcoming year!

We'd love to see you at the next event: LAGBAC AFTER DARK at the Adler Planetarium!

Join the LAGBAC Women's Committee as we host a visit to Adler After Dark on November 15, 2012.

This is a great way to mingle with fellow LAGBAC members in a relaxed and fun setting. Tickets are \$12 and you must RSVP to [nbashor@lagbac.org](mailto:nbashor@lagbac.org).

## LAGBAC MENTORING UPDATE

The LAGBAC mentoring program is in full swing! LAGBAC has partnered again this year with the Alliance for Illinois Judges, and although we have begun pairing students and young attorneys with judges and experienced attorneys, we are not finished! If you would like to participate in our program as either a mentor or student/young attorney, don't hesitate to let us know.

We can be reached at [mentoring@lagbac.org](mailto:mentoring@lagbac.org). We are on track to have our largest program ever, and will soon be announcing mentoring events!

Don't hesitate to get involved in our program if you're interested!

Check out LAGBAC's  
website  
[www.lagbac.org](http://www.lagbac.org)!

# SUMMER AND EARLY FALL WRAPUP

LAGBAC and the LAGBAC Foundation have been very busy providing social and educational opportunities for its members over the last several months!

**Judge's Pride Parade Reception** – For the past several years, LAGBAC has invited judges to come watch the Pride Parade at Yoshi's Restaurant on Halsted. We had another great crowd this year.

**Market Days** – LAGBAC sponsored “faux” wedding ceremonies at Market Days this year, in the hopes that same-sex couples can marry for real some time really soon in Illinois! We had officials, including State Representative Sara Feigenholtz and Alderman James Cappelman officiating. The event was a spectacular success. There are pictures and a web video on our relaunched website.

**Cubs game** – Several LAGBAC members and guests enjoyed a Cubs game at Murphy's Bleachers. A great time was had by all.

**Lawyers for Diversity BBQ** – Our annual event took place this summer at Sidetrack, and raised a great deal of money for the LAGBAC Foundation.

**“Dinner with...”** - LAGBAC has launched a series of events where we invite a person important to the LGBT community to interact with a small group of students and practitioners over dinner. Our first event was a great success, and we plan to announce more soon.

**Lavender Law** – LAGBAC sponsored a reception at the annual conference. Board members who attended talked about how LAGBAC is much more active and vibrant than a lot of similar bar associations across the country.

Look for more upcoming events on our website and through blast emails. We're also going to be sharpening our information delivery through Facebook and Twitter. Come participate in our next event!

## LAGBAC NOW HAS “HARDSHIP” MEMBERSHIP RATES

### ARE YOU A MEMBER OF LAGBAC?

Join now by going to [www.lagbac.org](http://www.lagbac.org) or mailing your membership dues to:

LAGBAC  
P.O. Box 64933  
Chicago, Illinois 60664-0933

LAGBAC members enjoy the following benefits:

- Meet the Bar nights (nonmembers and guests will be charged \$5);
- Lawyers for Diversity Mid-Summer Barbecue (nonmembers, non-sponsoring firms & guests will be charged to attend);
- Judge's Pride Reception and other receptions and events;
- Continuing Legal Education seminars;
- Networking opportunities;
- Membership on LAGBAC's committees; and
- Much, much more...

All communication from LAGBAC is electronic. You **MUST** provide us with an email address to receive future information and newsletters. Membership runs January 1-December 31.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

#### ANNUAL DUES:

\_\_\_\_\_ Sustaining Member \$100  
\_\_\_\_\_ Sponsoring Member \$75  
\_\_\_\_\_ Regular Member \$50  
\_\_\_\_\_ Student Member \$30 (*valid through December 31 of graduating year*)  
*If applying for Student Membership, please indicate law school/graduation date:* \_\_\_\_\_

LAGBAC is proud to feature scholarly work by its student members. Below, please find an abstract for a paper on cyberbullying written by our own Pete Henry. We're going to put a link to the full paper on our website. If you are a student interested in writing an academic article for our newsletter, please contact [wthomas@lagbac.org](mailto:wthomas@lagbac.org).

## BEYOND THE SCHOOLHOUSE GATE: CYBERBULLYING AND LGBT YOUTH

Young LGBT individuals have always been targeted by bullies, at school and elsewhere, and as technology continues to advance, so do the methods bullies use to victimize their targets. Cyberbullying is unquestionably on the rise, and the news is rife with stories of young people, LGBT and otherwise, who are suffering at the hands of cyberbullies. Unfortunately, the law has not changed at the same pace as technology, and it often leaves LGBT cyberbullying victims out in the cold.

This paper begins by discussing the limited empirical studies that analyze cyberbullying. On the whole, studies indicate that cyberbullying is on the rise, and that LGBT individuals suffer from cyberbullying in disproportionate numbers and with particularly devastating results.

The paper continues by discussing the possible legal solutions, both civil and criminal, other than those enacted in direct response to cyberbullying. Certain traditional tort remedies are, on their face, appealing; however, proving the elements necessary for torts like defamation or public disclosure of private facts presents considerably difficulty. Traditional law presents similar problems in the criminal context, as well. Stalking and harassment statutes tend to require a "credible threat of violence" that is simply absent from many cyberbullying scenarios. Even many states with cyberstalking statutes still require the threat of violence. Attempts to apply these and other traditional criminal statutes tend to fall short of establishing liability.

The paper next analyzes laws created in response to cyberbullying, which generally fit into one of two categories: civil laws targeting schools or school boards, and criminal laws. Laws that target schools tend to suffer from one of various deficiencies, and as a result they either accomplish practically nothing, or they run into first amendment concerns. The law remains unsettled regarding the extent to which schools may constitutionally regulate electronic speech, so many of these laws run the risk of unconstitutionality. Additionally, putting this responsibility in the hands of public schools creates certain holes in who is covered by the laws.

In the case of the few jurisdictions with criminal laws that specifically target cyberbullying, most of these statutes do away with any "credible threat of violence" requirement, lowering the bar for imposition of criminal liability.

The paper discusses in detail the policy rationales behind imposition of criminal liability for cyberbullying, and ultimately advocates that criminal liability should be part of the nation's response to cyberbullying.

Finally, the paper suggests that, in addition to criminal liability, state legislatures should create civil rights of action for cyberbullying victims, or their survivors, against the cyberbully, and the cyberbully's parents or guardians, in the case of minors. The laws should de-emphasize the role of the schools, addressing the constitutional and policy questions previously identified. Ultimately, explicitly creating both civil and criminal liability for cyberbullies is the best way for the law to address the burgeoning issues presented by advancing technology.

- Pete Henry, Kent, 3L

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### MEET THE BAR

The last Friday of most months we have an event at Sidetrack for students and practitioners to meet and unwind. Members get two free drinks. This is always a great time. Upcoming dates: October 26, November 30, January 25, February 22, March 29, April 26, and May 31.

### THE BILLABLE HOUR

People have asked that we provide more social opportunities downtown, so, we're headed back to Downtown! Downtown is a bar at 440 N. State Street. The next event will be on Friday, November 16, from 5:30 to 7:30 PM. Free drinks for members. Come meet fellow LAGBAC members!

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### WANT TO GET MORE INVOLVED? JOIN A LAGBAC COMMITTEE!

LAGBAC is always looking for fresh thoughts and new ideas! If you didn't know, LAGBAC has 12 committees (listed below) on which members are encouraged to serve. Serving on a LAGBAC committee is a great way to network, use your talents and skills, and make new friends. If you're interested in serving on one or more committees, please contact John Litchfield at [jlitchfield@lagbac.org](mailto:jlitchfield@lagbac.org).

LAGBAC Standing Committees include: Judicial Evaluation Committee, Law School Committee, Women's Committee, Programming/Events Committee, Communications/Newsletter Committee, Membership/Development Committee, Community Outreach Committee, Special Programs/Initiatives Committee, and Nominating Committee. Our Ad-Hoc Committees include: Development Committee, Corporate Counsel Committee, and Market Days/Pride Committee.

**SAVE THE DATE: November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2012**

## **Impact of the Presidential Election on LGBT Rights and the Economy CLE**



Michael J. Collins, the CBA and LAGBAC invite you to attend Michael's Second Annual CLE lunch featuring

Michael J. Kasper, Of Counsel at Hinshaw & Culbertson LLP and  
Bruce A. Bittles, Chief Investment Strategist, Robert W. Baird & Co.

The speakers will address the outcome of the previous week's US Presidential election. Michael J. Kasper will discuss his outlook for LGBT Rights and the political landscape. Bruce A. Bittles will discuss his projections for the economy and stock market.

**Thursday, November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2012**

**Noon – 1:30 p.m.**

**Check-in begins at 11:45 a.m. *Lunch will be served promptly at noon.***

**Petterino's**

150 N Dearborn, Chicago

Complimentary garage parking available across the street from Petterino's.

**R.S.V.P. to [mcollins@rwbaird.com](mailto:mcollins@rwbaird.com)**

Space is limited.

*MCLE credit will be applied for.*



**Michael J. Kasper**

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Michael J. Kasper concentrates his litigation practice in trial and appellate litigation in the areas of constitutional law, voting rights, elections and issues related to the legislative process. He has argued cases before the Illinois Supreme Court, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit, the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Illinois and most of the Illinois appellate districts. Mr. Kasper's clients have included President Obama, former President Clinton and Mayor Rahm Emanuel. For more info please click [here](#).





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# ALLIANCE OF BAR ASSOCIATIONS FOR JUDICIAL SCREENING

NOVEMBER 6, 2012 – GENERAL ELECTION

*The Alliance of Bar Associations first presents below our findings for judges seeking retention on the November 6, 2012 ballot. We then present the findings for those judicial candidates who won their judicial race in the March 2012 primary and are on the November 6, 2012 ballot. Please remember that early voting begins October 22, 2012*

The Alliance of Bar Associations for Judicial Screening is comprised of the Asian American Bar Association of the Greater Chicago Area (**AABA**), Black Women’s Lawyers Association of Greater Chicago (**BWLA**), Chicago Council of Lawyers (**CCL**), Cook County Bar Association (**CCBA**), Decalogue Society of Lawyers (**DSL**), Hellenic Bar Association (**HBA**), Hispanic Lawyers Association of Illinois (**HLAI**), Illinois State Bar Association (**ISBA**), Lesbian and Gay Bar Association of Chicago (**LAGBAC**), Puerto Rican Bar Association of Illinois (**PRBA**), and Women’s Bar Association of Illinois (**WBAI**), working collaboratively to improve the process of screening judicial candidates in Cook County, Illinois.

<b>Y</b>	Yes – Recommended or Qualified for Retention
<b>N</b>	No - Not Recommended or Not Qualified for Retention
<b>NE</b>	Not Evaluated Through No Fault of the Candidate

<b>Should This Judge Be Retained?</b>											
<b>APPELLATE COURT – FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT</b>											
	AABA	BWLA	CCL	CCBA	DSL	HBA	HLAI	ISBA	LAGBAC	PRBA	WBAI
<b>James Fitzgerald Smith</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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<b>CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY</b>											
	AABA	BWLA	CCL	CCBA	DSL	HBA	HLAI	ISBA	LAGBAC	PRBA	WBAI
<b>Carole Kamin Bellows</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Kathy M. Flanagan</b>	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Moshe Jacobius</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Stuart F. Lubin</b>	Y	Y	Y	NE	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Marvin P. Luckman</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Raymond Funderburk</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Stuart E. Palmer</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Martin S. Agran</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Patricia Banks</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Ronald F. Bartkowicz</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Robert Lopez Cepero</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Garritt E. Howard</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Joseph G. Kazmierski Jr.</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>E. Kenneth Wright, Jr.</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Cynthia Brim</b>	NE	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N
<b>Rodney Hughes Brooks</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y



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<b>CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY</b>											
	AABA	BWLA	CCL	CCBA	DSL	HBA	HLAI	ISBA	LAGBAC	PRBA	WBAI
<b>Maureen Elizabeth Connors</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Christopher Donnelly</b>	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	N
<b>James D. Egan</b>	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
<b>Catherine Marie Haberkorn</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Lisa Ruble Murphy</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y
<b>Marya Nega</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Lee Preston</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Drella C. Savage</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>James M. Varga</b>	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Richard F. Walsh</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NE	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Camille E. Willis</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Marcia Maras</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Peter Flynn</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Paul A. Karkula</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>P. Scott Neville, Jr.</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Maura Slattery Boyle</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Mary Margaret Brosnahan</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Matthew E. Coghlan</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Loretta Eadie-Daniels</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Joyce Marie Murphy Gorman</b>	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Joan Margaret O'Brien</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Thomas David Roti</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Colleen F. Sheehan</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Pamela E. Hill -Veal</b>	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
<b>Orville E. Hambright</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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<b>CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY</b>											
	AABA	BWLA	CCL	CCBA	DSL	HBA	HLAI	ISBA	LAGBAC	PRBA	WBAI
<b>Michael J. Howlett Jr.</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Carl Anthony Walker</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Daniel Patrick Brennan</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Gloria Chevere</b>	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N
<b>Grace G. Dickler</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Ellen L. Flannigan</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Carol M. Howard</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Jill C. Marisie</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NE	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>James Michael McGing</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Mike McHale</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>James Patrick Murphy</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Thomas W. Murphy</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Patrick W. “Pat” O’Brien</b>	Y	Y	Y	NE	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Ramon Ocasio III</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Mary Colleen Roberts</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
<b>Diane M. Shelley</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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Key:

<b>HQ</b>	Highly Qualified		<b>HR</b>	Highly Recommended
<b>WQ</b>	Well Qualified		<b>R</b>	Recommended
<b>Q</b>	Qualified		<b>NR</b>	Not Recommended
<b>NQ</b>	Not Qualified		<b>NE</b>	Not Evaluated Through No Fault of the Candidate

Supreme Court – 1 <sup>st</sup> District (all ballots)	A	B	C	C	D	H	H	I	L	P	W
	A	W	C	C	S	B	L	S	A	R	B
	B	L	L	B	L	A	A	B	G	B	A
	A	A		A			I	A	B	A	I
									A	A	
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. Thomas R. Fitzgerald)									C		
<b>Mary Jane Theis</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>R</b>
<b>James G. Riley</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Appellate Court – 1 <sup>st</sup> District (all ballots)	A	B	C	C	D	H	H	I	L	P	W
	A	W	C	C	S	B	L	S	A	R	B
	B	L	L	B	L	A	A	B	G	B	A
	A	A		A			I	A	B	A	I
									A		
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. Robert Cahill)									C		
<b>Mathias Delort</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>WQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>

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Appellate Court – 1 <sup>st</sup> District (all ballots)	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. Sharon Johnson Coleman)											
<b>Nathaniel Howse</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>R</b>
Appellate Court – 1 <sup>st</sup> District (all ballots)	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. Michael J. Gallagher)											
<b>P. Scott Neville, Jr.</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>R</b>
Appellate Court – 1 <sup>st</sup> District (all ballots)	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. Sheila M. O'Brien)											
<b>Jesse G. Reyes</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>R</b>
Appellate Court – 1 <sup>st</sup> District (all ballots)	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. Mary Jane Theis)											
<b>Maureen Elizabeth Connors</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>WQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>R</b>
Appellate Court – 1 <sup>st</sup> District (all ballots)	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. John P. Tully)											
<b>Terrence Lavin</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>

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Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots)	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. Claudia G. Conlon)											
<b>Karen Lynn O'Malley</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots)	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. Daniel E. Jordan)											
<b>Jean M. Prendergast Rooney</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>WQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots)	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. Dorothy Kirie Kinnaird)											
<b>Erica Reddick</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots)	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. John J. Moran)											
<b>Russell W. Hartigan</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>NE</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots)	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. Donald J. O'Brien Jr.)											
<b>Cynthia Ramirez</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>R</b>

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Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots)	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. Margaret O’Mara Frossard)											
<b>Diann Karen Marsalek</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots)	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
(to fill vacancy of the Hon. Aurelia Pucinski)											
<b>Lorna Ellen Propes</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>WQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots)	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. Henry R. Simmons, Jr.)											
<b>Jessica A. O’Brien</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots)	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. Victoria A. Stewart)											
<b>Pamela M. Leeming</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots)	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. Paul Stralka)											
<b>Michael Tully Mullen</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>WQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>NE</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>R</b>

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Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots)	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
(To fill vacancy of the Hon. John A. Ward)											
<b>Elizabeth Mary Hayes</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>NR</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Second Subcircuit (to fill vacancy of the Hon. Michael W. Stuttley)											
<b>Carl B. Boyd</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Third Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Patrick E. McGann)											
<b>Maureen Leahy Delehanty</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Third Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Colleen McSweeney Moore)											
<b>Daniel R. Degnan</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>NR</b>



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Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Fourth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon Daniel A. Riley)											
<b>Terry Gallagher</b> <i>D</i>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
<b>Harry J. Fournier</b> <i>R</i>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Fourth Subcircuit (To fill Additional Judgeship “A”)											
<b>Edward M. Maloney</b> <i>D</i>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
<b>Christine Cook</b> <i>R</i>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NE</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Sixth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. David Delgado)											
<b>Beatriz Santiago</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Seventh Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Dorothy F. Jones)											
<b>Aicha Marie MacCarthy</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>

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Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Seventh Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Cheryl A. Starks)											
<b>Tommy Brewer</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>NE</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Seventh Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Lawrence W. Terrell)											
<b>William G. Gamboney</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Seventh Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Amanda Toney)											
<b>Kimberly D. Lewis</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>NR</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Eighth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Thomas R. Chiola)											
<b>Celia Louise Gamrath</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>

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Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Eighth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Melvin J. Cole)											
<b>John H. Ehrlich</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>WQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>NE</b>	<b>NE</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>NE</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Eighth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Maureen Durkin Roy)											
<b>Deborah Jean Gubin</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>WQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Eighth Subcircuit (To fill Additional Judgeship A vacancy)											
<b>Laura Liu</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Ninth Subcircuit (to fill the vacancy of the Hon. Gerald C. Bender)											
<b>Lionel Jean-Baptiste</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>

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Ninth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. James R. Epstein)											
<b>Larry G. Axelrood</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>WQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>NE</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Tenth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Daniel M. Locallo)											
<b>Thomas R. Allen</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Eleventh Subcircuit (to fill vacancy of the Hon. Edward P. O’Brien)											
<b>Michael R. Clancy</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Eleventh Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Joseph J. Urso)											
<b>Lisa Ann Marino</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>

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Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H J A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Twelfth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Mary K. Rochford)											
<b>Andrea M. Schleifer</b> <i>D</i>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>WQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
<b>James Paul Pieczonka</b> <i>R</i>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>NR</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Thirteenth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Edward N. Pietrucha)											
<b>Paul S. Pavlus</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>NE</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Thirteenth Subcircuit (To fill additional Judgeship “A” vacancy)											
<b>Martin C. Kelley</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>NQ</b>	<b>NR</b>
Circuit Court – Cook County	A A B A	B W L A	C C L	C C B A	D S L	H B A	H L A I	I S B A	L A G B A C	P R B A	W B A I
Fourteenth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Lawrence O’Gara)											
<b>Regina Ann Scannicchio</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>WQ</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>HQ</b>	<b>R</b>

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Key:

<b>HQ</b>	Highly Qualified		<b>HR</b>	Highly Recommended
<b>WQ</b>	Well Qualified		<b>R</b>	Recommended
<b>Q</b>	Qualified		<b>NR</b>	Not Recommended
<b>NQ</b>	Not Qualified		<b>NE</b>	Not Evaluated Through No Fault of the Candidate

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