

ALLIANCE OF BAR ASSOCIATIONS FOR JUDICIAL SCREENING

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Appellate Court – 1 st Judicial District (all ballots) (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Joseph Gordon)	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	C	
Shelly A. Harris	R	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	NE	R
Susan Kennedy Sullivan	NE	R	Q		NR	NR	Q	NQ	NR		R
Freddrenna M. Lyle	NE	R	NQ	HR	R	R	Q	NQ	R	R	NR

Appellate Court – 1 st Judicial District (all ballots) (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Michael J. Murphy)	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	C	
David Ellis	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	HQ	Q	R	HR	R

Appellate Court – 1 st Judicial District (all ballots) (To fill vacancy of the Hon. John O. Steele)	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	C	
Sharon Oden Johnson	NE		NQ	R	R	NR	NR	NQ	NR	NR	NR
John B. Simon		R	WQ	R	HR	R	HQ	HQ	HR	HR	R

Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots) (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Nancy J. Arnold)	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	C	
Bridget Anne Mitchell	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
Alfred M. Swanson, Jr.	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	HR	R	R

Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots) (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Dennis J. Burke)	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	C	
Maritza Martinez	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R

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Kristal Rivers	NE	R	NQ	R	NR	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
Peter J. Vilkelis	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R

Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots) (To fill vacancy of the Hon. James D. Egan)	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
Daniel J. Kubasiak	Q	R	Q	R	HR	R	HQ	HQ	R	R	R

Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots) (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Donna Phelps Felton)	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
Patricia O'Brien Sheahan	NE		Q	R	R	R		NQ	R	R	R

Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots) (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Nathaniel R. Howse, Jr.)	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
Caroline Kate Moreland	Q	R	Q	R	HR	R	Q	Q	R	R	R

Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots) (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Michele F. Lowrance)	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
Thomas J. Carroll	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R

Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots) (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Barbara A. McDonald)	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
Cynthia Y. Cobbs	R	R	Q	HR	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
Linda L. Mastandrea	NE	R	NQ		NR	NR		NQ	NR		NR

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	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		
									A		
									A		
Carolyn Joan Gallagher	Q		Q		R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
William B. Raines	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
Patricia S. Spratt	Q	R	WQ	R	R	R	NE	Q	R	R	R
Mary Alice Melchor	NQ	R	NQ	R	R	R	NR	NQ	R	R	R

Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots) (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Jesse G. Reyes)	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		
									A		
									A		
Stephen J. Feldman	Q		NQ	R	NR	R	NE	Q	NR	NR	R
Diana Rosario	NE	R	NQ		NR	R	HQ	NQ	R	HR	NR

Circuit Court – Cook County (all ballots) (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Pamela E. Hill-Veal)	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		
									A		
									A		
Andrea Michele Buford	Q	R	Q	HR	HR	NE	Q	Q	R	R	R
James Patrick Crawley	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
Kelly Maloney Kachmarik	NQ	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NQ	NQ	NR	NR	NR

Circuit Court – Cook County (Subcircuit contested elections) Second Subcircuit (to fill vacancy of the Hon. William D. O’Neal)	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		
									A		
									A		
Nyshana K. Sumner	NQ	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NQ	NQ	NR	NR	NR
Steven G. Watkins	Q	NE	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	NE	NE	NR

Circuit Court – Cook County (Subcircuit contested elections) Third Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Christopher J. Donnelly)	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		
									A		
									A		
Lauren Brougham Glennon	NQ	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NQ	NQ	NR	NR	NR
Terrence J. McGuire	Q		NQ	R	R	R		Q	R		NR

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Circuit Court – Cook County (Subcircuit contested elections) Fourth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Richard J. Billik, Jr.)	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
Brian Joseph Stephenson	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
John J. Mahoney	Q		WQ		HR	R	HQ	HQ	R	HR	R
James J. Ryan	NQ	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NQ	NQ	NR	NR	NR
Daniel Lawrence Peters	Q	R	Q	R	HR	R	HR	Q	R	HR	R
Maureen Masterson Pulia	NE		NQ		R	R	NE	NQ	R	NR	NR

Circuit Court – Cook County (Subcircuit contested elections) Fourth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Mary A. Mulhern)	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
Martin D. Reggi	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
John Michael Allegretti	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R

Circuit Court – Cook County (Subcircuit contested elections) Seventh Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. LaQuietta Hardy-Campbell)	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
Robert D. Kuzas	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	HQ	Q	HR	R	R

Circuit Court – Cook County (Subcircuit contested elections) Seventh Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. W. Taylor)	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
Judy Rice	NQ	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	NR	R
Owens J. Shelby	NQ	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NQ	NQ	NR	NR	NR
Marianne Jackson	R		Q	HR	HR	R	HQ	HQ	HR	HR	R

Circuit Court – Cook County (Subcircuit contested elections) Ninth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Allen S. Goldberg)	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
Jerry A. Esrig	Q	R	WQ	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
Megan Elizabeth Goldish	Q	NE	Q	R	R	R	HQ	Q	HR	R	R
Nathan Benjamin Myers	NE		NQ		NR	NR	NE	NQ	NR	NR	

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Circuit Court – Cook County (Subcircuit contested elections) Ninth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Barbara M. Meyer)	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
Anjana Hansen	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
Thomas Peter Kougias	NQ	NE	NQ	R	NR	R	NR	NQ	NR	NE	NR
Monica A. Forte	Q	R	Q	R	NR	R	Q	Q	NE	R	R

Circuit Court – Cook County (Subcircuit contested elections) Ninth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Lee Preston)	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
Michael Francis Otto	Q	R	Q	Q	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
Abbey Fishman Romanek	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
Michael Alan Strom	Q	R	WQ	R	HR	R	HQ	Q	HR	HR	R
Brian Alexander	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
Thomas M. Cushing	Q	R	WQ	R	HR	R	Q	Q	R	HR	R

Circuit Court – Cook County (Subcircuit contested elections) Tenth Subcircuit (to fill additional Judgeship A)	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
Anthony C. “Tony” Kyriakopoulos	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
Katherine A. O’Dell			NQ		NR	NR	NR	Q	NR		NR

Circuit Court – Cook County (Subcircuit contested elections) Eleventh Subcircuit (to fill additional Judgeship A)	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
Gina A. Crumble	Q		Q	R	NR	R	NE	Q	R	R	R
Joanne F. Rosado	NE	R	Q	R	R	R	HQ	Q	R	HR	R
Scott Michael Kozicki	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	NE	R	R
Pamela McLean Meyerson	Q	R	Q	R	HR	R	Q	Q	HR	R	R

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Circuit Court – Cook County (Subcircuit contested elections) Twelfth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Edward R. Jordan)	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		
									C		
James Paul Pieczonka	NQ	NR	NQ	NR	NR	NR	Q	NQ	NR	NR	NR
Samuel Bae	Q	NE	NQ		R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
Ralph Eugene Meczyk	Q	R	NQ	R	R	R	HQ	Q	NE	HR	R
James Edward Hanlon, Jr.	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
James L. Kaplan	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R

Circuit Court – Cook County (Subcircuit contested elections) Thirteenth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. Anthony A. Iosco)	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		
									C		
John Curry	Q	R	Q		HR	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
Gary W. Seyring	Q	R	Q	R	R	R		Q	NR	R	R

Circuit Court – Cook County (Subcircuit contested elections) Fifteenth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. John T. Doody, Jr.)	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		
									C		
Patrick Kevin Coughlin	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
John S. Fotopoulos	NE	R	NQ		NR	R	Q	NQ	NR	R	R
Diana Embil	Q	R	Q	R	R	NR	NQ	Q	R	R	R

Circuit Court – Cook County (Subcircuit contested elections) Fifteenth Subcircuit (To fill vacancy of the Hon. David Sterba)	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		
									C		
Michael B. Barrett	Q	R	Q	R	R	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
Sondra Denmark	NQ	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NQ	NQ	NR	NR	NR
Chris Lawler	Q	R	Q	R	HR	R	Q	Q	R	R	R
Mary Beth Duffy	Q	R	Q	NE	R	R	Q	Q	HR	R	R
Robbin Perkins	NQ	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NQ	NQ	NR	NR	NR

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Judicial candidates are rated by the Alliance of Bar Associations for Judicial Screening based on detailed information supplied by candidates, a background check by trained lawyers/investigators, and interviews of each candidate.

Ratings reflect the Alliance’s opinion of whether candidates have the necessary qualifications for judicial service and are not a reflection of the candidates’ abilities as lawyers or as trial judges.

Candidates who do not participate in the process are found either “not qualified” or “not recommended”.

Key:

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

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