NOTICE OF JUDICIAL VACANCY

Circuit Court 22nd Judicial District Maury, Giles, Lawrence and Wayne Counties

Pursuant to Tenn. Code Annotated § 17-4-308(d), notice is hereby given that the Trial Court Vacancy Commission will meet in the 22nd Judicial District to initiate the process of filling the vacancy in the Circuit Court, occurring on August 4, 2024, following the retirement of Judge David Allen on August 3, 2024. The Commission will meet Monday, May 20th in the Columbia Central High School located at 921 Lion Parkway, Columbia, TN 38401, at 9:00 a.m. CDT.

Applicants must be an attorney licensed in Tennessee who is at least 30 years of age, a resident of the state for five years, and must reside in the Judicial District. The Commission is committed to encouraging a diverse judiciary and welcomes all qualified attorneys to apply.

For an applicant to be considered for the judicial vacancy, the Administrative Office of the Courts must receive a completed application **by Wednesday, April 17, 2024 at 12:00 p.m. CDT**. The application and instructions are available at <u>http://www.tncourts.gov/administration/judicial-resources</u>. A completed application includes: (1) the original signed (unbound) application; **and** (2) a digital copy of the application. The Commission encourages applicants to submit applications as soon as possible and communicate with the Administrative Office of the Courts to schedule hand-delivery or provide delivery tracking information for the original application to help ensure timely receipt by the deadline.

Any member of the public may attend the public hearing to express, orally or in writing, objections concerning applicant(s) for the judicial vacancy.

If you require an accommodation and/or have special needs because of a qualified disability, have questions about the Commission, or need to schedule handdelivery or provide delivery tracking information for an application, please contact John Jefferson at the Administrative Office of the Courts at <u>John.Jefferson@tncourts.gov</u> or 615-741-2687.

This the 27th day of March, 2024.