

ILLINOIS STATE BAR ASSOCIATION JUDICIAL ADVISORY POLLS

2015 Reappointment of Associate Judges

Associate Judge Reappointment

Associate judges are subject to reappointment every four years. The reappointment is accomplished through the casting of secret ballots by circuit court judges in their circuit. Successful candidates receive votes that tally three-fifths (60%) or greater in favor of their reappointment. Voting will be concluded prior to the beginning of the new associate judge terms. The new term of office for each reappointed associate judge will begin on July 1, 2015 and terminate on June 30, 2019.

Illinois State Bar Association Judicial Advisory Polls

This poll of lawyers is conducted by the Illinois State Bar Association (ISBA). ISBA attorneys in each judicial circuit (except Cook County) are mailed a ballot containing the names of every associate judge seeking reappointment in their circuit. Licensed attorneys who are not members of ISBA may request a ballot. Attorneys are asked to respond only if they have sufficient knowledge about the associate judge's qualifications for judicial office to give a fair, informed opinion. Associate judges are rated "recommended" or "not recommended" based on whether respondents agree that the associate judge "meets acceptable requirements for the office." Associate judges receiving 65 percent or more "yes" responses to that question are rated "recommended" and associate judges receiving less than 65 percent are rated "not recommended." Opinions expressed in the poll are of those attorneys who chose to respond and do not reflect the opinion of the Illinois State Bar Association or the opinion of all attorneys.

Although the decision on associate judge reappointment is made by circuit judges, the Illinois State Bar Association is releasing these poll results to the public, because all judges are public officials and the opinions of their professional colleagues about their performance is of public interest.

How Judicial Advisory Polls Work

For additional information on how Judicial Advisory Polls work, please refer to page 17.

To find associate judges in your circuit

To locate associate judges in your circuit, please refer to the county conversion chart on page 18. This chart will convert your county to a circuit.

First Judicial Circuit*Alexander, Jackson, Johnson, Massac, Pope, Pulaski, Saline, Union and Williamson counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Ralph R. Bloodworth, III	R	94.81	96.10	93.51	93.51	98.70	97.40	98.70	98.70
Charles Cavaness	R	96.39	93.98	92.86	95.18	100	92.77	100	95.18
Kimberly L. Dahlen	R	93.81	98.21	91.15	97.37	90.35	95.61	99.12	91.23
Todd D. Lambert	R	96.77	98.96	95.88	96.91	97.92	94.85	100	97.94
Brian D. Lewis	R	95.83	97.96	92.78	96.94	89.80	92.86	100	93.88
Christy W. Solverson	R	96.15	95.28	89.52	94.39	98.13	92.52	98.11	96.26
John A. Speroni	R	100	100	100	100	96.59	100	98.86	100

Second Judicial Circuit*Crawford, Edwards, Franklin, Gallatin, Hamilton, Hardin, Jefferson, Lawrence, Richland, Wabash, Wayne and White counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Jerry Crisel	R	95.35	95.40	95.40	96.55	97.70	97.70	98.85	96.55
Thomas J. Dinn, III	R	96.10	100	96.15	94.74	93.51	93.59	98.72	97.44
Kimbara Graham-Harrell	R	89.86	100	95.71	84.29	97.14	98.57	100	97.14
Timothy R. Neubauer	R	98.89	97.78	95.51	98.89	97.78	96.67	100	98.89
Mark L. Shaner	R	98.63	98.67	97.33	98.67	98.67	98.67	98.67	98.67
Mark R. Stanley	R	93.18	95.56	92.31	95.60	95.60	97.80	98.90	95.60

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Third Judicial Circuit									
<i>Bond and Madison counties</i>									
	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Philip B. Alfeld	R	97.89	99.30	99.30	97.90	97.89	100	99.30	98.60
Duane L. Bailey	R	71.93	94.86	85.06	68.79	88.57	72.41	90.17	93.02
Ben L. Beyers, II	R	65.36	81.70	72.73	69.87	54.78	80.77	98.08	78.57
Thomas W. Chapman	R	85.00	94.61	84.39	92.65	82.44	86.63	98.52	93.00
Donald M. Flack	R	79.64	88.95	80.12	80.81	74.57	85.47	98.84	84.30
David K. Grounds	R	81.76	90.85	82.35	91.45	91.50	72.37	96.73	90.85
Clarence W. Harrison II	R	93.69	97.65	94.74	95.73	97.16	94.81	99.06	98.11
Janet R. Heflin	R	91.24	94.96	88.49	90.65	89.93	82.73	97.83	97.10
Elizabeth R. Levy	R	76.28	92.45	81.01	86.16	82.91	65.19	96.86	90.51
Martin J. Mengarelli	R	96.97	98.52	96.30	92.59	97.04	97.78	99.26	99.26
Neil T. Schroeder	R	93.81	98.26	93.91	93.91	93.91	97.39	99.13	97.39
Ronald R. Slemmer	R	90.84	96.99	92.54	91.73	91.04	98.50	99.25	94.03
Stephen A. Stobbs	R	94.38	97.22	91.67	92.18	96.65	96.61	100	96.07

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Fourth Judicial Circuit*Christian, Clay, Clinton, Effingham, Fayette, Jasper, Marion, Montgomery and Shelby counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
William J. Becker	R	98.70	98.70	94.81	98.70	98.70	98.70	100	98.68
James J. Eder	R	85.14	96.05	85.71	85.71	80.52	94.81	98.70	92.11
Jeffrey Marc Kelly	R	98.68	100	98.68	96.05	98.68	98.67	100	100
Allan F. Lolie, Jr.	R	92.31	94.87	91.14	92.41	97.44	97.44	97.47	96.10
Bradley T. Paisley	R	98.18	100	94.55	98.18	98.18	100	98.18	98.15
Kevin Parker	R	88.52	87.30	88.89	87.30	93.65	85.71	92.06	92.06
Ericka Sanders	R	98.81	98.85	98.85	98.85	96.55	98.84	98.85	98.82

Fifth Judicial Circuit*Clark, Coles, Cumberland, Edgar and Vermilion counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Mark E. Bovard	R	100	100	100	97.67	100	100	100	100
Derek J. Girton	R	100	100	100	96.36	98.18	100	100	98.18
Mark S. Goodwin	R	100	100	100	100	100	98.21	100	100
David W. Lewis	R	100	100	92.86	97.62	85.71	100	100	95.24
Karen E. Wall	R	83.33	85.25	82.26	82.26	90.32	93.55	93.44	91.94

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Sixth Judicial Circuit*Champaign, DeWitt, Douglas, Macon, Moultrie and Piatt counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Phoebe S. Bowers	R	91.67	96.67	95.00	88.33	95.00	94.92	98.33	98.31
Holly F. Clemons	R	71.43	90.08	79.34	69.75	76.86	80.67	98.32	84.03
James R. Coryell	R	93.10	93.10	93.10	96.55	90.70	95.40	97.65	89.41
Scott B. Diamond	R	90.70	94.38	93.26	94.32	85.06	94.38	94.19	96.51
Jeffrey S. Geisler	R	98.39	98.36	98.36	98.36	98.36	98.36	98.33	98.33
John R. Kennedy	R	76.64	89.62	79.25	85.05	61.32	96.19	91.26	87.62
Richard P. Klaus	NR	58.12	77.31	55.08	83.05	46.61	90.68	91.38	74.56
Thomas E. Little	R	95.24	95.29	91.76	95.29	92.86	96.43	97.59	97.56
Brian L. McPheters	R	85.22	96.58	94.87	76.92	94.87	83.62	92.11	95.65
Roger B. Webber	R	97.12	99.05	99.04	99.05	99.05	95.28	99.03	99.03

Seventh Judicial Circuit*Greene, Jersey, Macoupin, Morgan, Sangamon and Scott counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Rudolph M. Braud, Jr.	R	89.93	92.70	91.18	82.48	96.27	90.37	99.26	98.53
Jack D. Davis II	R	93.81	96.88	91.49	92.71	94.68	96.81	98.94	96.84
Matthew J. Mauer	R	93.58	98.15	93.52	96.33	96.26	95.33	78.50	97.17
Joshua A. Meyer	R	98.39	100	95.08	98.36	95.08	98.33	100	100
Steven H. Nardulli	R	88.11	90.34	81.12	95.83	77.93	97.22	100	88.19
Brian T. Otwell	R	91.11	95.52	92.37	89.39	98.48	81.68	98.46	97.71
Christopher G. Perrin	R	90.37	90.30	92.48	87.41	95.56	92.54	97.74	96.97
Esteban F. Sanchez	R	88.49	96.38	89.78	89.05	84.67	94.16	98.54	91.18
Jeffrey E. Tobin	R	85.90	92.31	87.01	87.01	90.91	92.21	100	93.51

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Eighth Judicial Circuit*Adams, Brown, Calhoun, Cass, Mason, Menard, Pike and Schuyler counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Thomas J. Brannan	R	95.74	100	89.58	95.83	100	93.75	97.92	100
Jerry J. Hooker	R	100	100	100	95.74	100	97.87	100	100
Chet W. Vahle	R	88.14	94.92	91.67	95.00	76.67	86.44	95.00	89.83
Debra L. Wellborn	R	91.43	100	97.30	83.78	100	97.22	100	100
John C. Wooleyhan	R	89.29	96.49	92.86	92.98	89.47	98.21	100	92.98

Ninth Judicial Circuit*Fulton, Hancock, Henderson, Knox, McDonough and Warren counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Heidi A. Benson	R	97.96	100	96.97	98.99	97.96	98.99	100	100
Raymond A. Cavanaugh	R	97.89	100	98.96	98.96	100	98.96	100	100
Richard H. Gambrell	R	82.89	95.95	85.53	85.53	90.67	89.47	100	96.05
Dwayne I. Morrison	R	98.92	100	100	100	100	98.94	98.94	100
Patricia A. VanderMeulen-Walton	R	79.76	84.52	75.29	82.14	81.93	91.76	97.65	90.59

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Tenth Judicial Circuit*Marshall, Peoria, Putnam, Stark and Tazewell counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
David A. Brown	R	97.89	98.94	95.74	100	100	100	100	100
Timothy J. Cusack	R	98.08	99.04	100	97.09	99.04	99.04	100	99.03
David J. Dubicki	R	85.71	96.39	87.18	88.21	88.54	84.54	96.89	91.71
Mark E. Gilles	R	96.69	98.35	96.67	95.83	96.67	99.17	100	100
Kim L. Kelley	R	98.47	100	98.48	100	100	100	100	100
Jerelyn D. Maher	R	97.28	97.81	97.27	98.37	97.25	98.91	100	99.45
Richard D. McCoy	R	95.32	98.25	94.15	95.91	94.67	96.47	98.80	97.63
Albert L. Purham, Jr.	R	77.95	92.91	88.19	72.44	88.19	90.40	97.54	91.20
Kirk D. Schoenbein	R	75.95	91.03	71.60	90.00	75.95	85.00	96.20	83.54
Lisa Y. Wilson	R	98.21	99.40	98.21	97.02	98.80	100	100	100

Eleventh Judicial Circuit*Ford, Livingston, Logan, McLean and Woodford counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
David W. Butler	R	79.82	100	90.91	88.99	87.27	65.14	98.15	95.41
Pablo A. Eves	R	83.61	90.32	87.10	83.33	86.89	91.07	96.61	91.53
Mark A. Fellheimer	R	100	98.73	100	97.47	98.73	100	100	98.73
Thomas W. Funk	R	84.09	97.83	86.96	72.73	90.91	80.00	95.56	86.67
John B. Goldrick	R	97.40	98.70	96.15	93.51	96.15	98.72	98.70	96.10
Lee Ann S. Hill	R	86.92	94.50	86.11	85.32	80.56	96.26	98.15	91.74
Michael L. Stroh	R	91.01	96.67	86.81	93.33	84.09	94.38	100	92.22
Robert M. Travers	R	92.55	96.84	94.74	96.84	85.26	91.49	96.84	94.74
William G. Workman	R	93.33	96.72	90.16	88.33	95.00	91.80	96.72	95.08
William A. Yoder	R	93.40	95.33	94.44	93.40	92.52	95.28	99.07	95.37

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Twelfth Judicial Circuit Joint Poll with the Will County Bar Association									
<i>Will County</i>									
	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Dinah J. Archambeault	R	95.63	97.80	95.63	95.60	97.27	92.35	98.89	97.27
Brian E. Barrett	R	94.77	98.25	96.49	94.12	95.91	97.06	99.42	97.08
Matthew G. Bertani	R	94.48	93.89	93.37	96.11	93.33	97.79	99.44	94.48
Bennett J. Braun	R	95.54	98.06	96.79	98.06	93.59	85.16	99.35	97.40
Robert P. Brumund	R	82.58	89.08	82.95	86.78	68.75	91.43	96.00	85.80
Edward A. Burmila, Jr.	R	92.37	92.31	89.74	96.58	89.74	95.73	98.28	91.38
M. Thomas Carney	R	74.17	83.66	81.70	69.28	83.66	83.01	95.42	86.84
Jessica Colon-Sayre	R	79.31	88.51	86.21	71.26	91.95	88.51	96.55	89.66
David Garcia	R	79.25	92.36	84.71	70.89	90.51	86.71	93.67	88.61
Chrystal L. Gavlin	R	97.37	97.39	98.69	93.46	98.04	98.04	98.68	96.71
Theodore J. Jarz	R	96.40	98.56	98.56	90.65	97.84	94.24	100	97.84
Victoria M. Kennison	R	78.71	87.74	82.47	76.92	79.22	86.36	98.05	85.71
Cory D. Lund	R	81.68	93.89	87.02	79.39	74.81	85.50	98.46	88.55
Rick A. Mason	R	97.28	97.28	97.96	96.60	97.95	94.56	97.95	97.28
Raymond A. Nash	R	92.99	98.08	95.54	94.27	96.18	81.53	99.36	97.45
Domenica A. Osterberger	R	72.50	83.90	73.95	84.17	69.49	79.49	94.12	87.50
Roger D. Rickmon	R	97.92	98.63	97.26	96.60	97.30	98.63	97.26	97.30
Arkadiusz Z. Smigielski	R	94.12	98.00	96.08	88.00	96.08	96.00	98.04	98.04

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Thirteenth Judicial Circuit*Bureau, Grundy and LaSalle counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Daniel J. Bute	R	94.29	94.44	93.46	94.44	95.33	97.20	96.30	97.22
Karen C. Eiten	R	95.45	96.40	96.40	94.59	96.40	96.36	98.20	95.50
Cornelius J. Hollerich	R	89.61	94.87	89.74	92.31	84.62	87.18	97.44	92.31
Michael C. Jansz	R	98.15	99.08	100	98.17	98.17	98.15	99.07	98.17
Sheldon R. Sobol	R	92.98	93.33	88.33	91.67	94.92	96.67	98.33	95.00

Fourteenth Judicial Circuit*Henry, Mercer, Rock Island and Whiteside counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Michael R. Albert	R	78.26	84.78	75.56	89.13	77.78	89.13	97.78	89.13
Thomas C. Berglund	R	96.47	98.80	96.43	96.43	100	98.81	98.81	98.81
Gregory G. Chickris	R	90.22	96.70	87.91	92.39	83.70	94.57	96.67	92.31
Peter W. Church	R	100	100	100	98.55	100	98.55	100	98.55
Norma Kauzlarich	R	88.24	88.24	86.15	83.82	86.76	92.65	97.06	97.06
Theodore Kutsunis	R	98.78	100	98.77	95.06	97.50	97.53	97.53	97.53
William S. McNeal	R	94.74	97.33	90.54	92.11	92.11	92.11	97.37	94.74
Dana R. McReynolds	R	96.30	100	93.75	97.50	95.00	100	100	98.75
Carol M. Pentuic	R	75.00	90.82	73.20	88.78	61.22	91.84	91.75	81.44
Richard A. Zimmer	R	80.85	92.55	79.79	87.23	78.95	84.21	94.68	91.49

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Fifteenth Judicial Circuit*Carroll, Jo Daviess, Lee, Ogle and Stephenson counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Jacquelyn D. Ackert	R	93.18	95.45	88.64	95.45	95.45	95.45	100	90.91
Charles T. Beckman	R	97.62	97.73	95.45	100	97.73	97.73	100	97.73
James M. Hauser	R	95.56	93.48	91.30	93.48	93.48	93.48	100	97.83
John F. Joyce	R	90.91	98.25	94.64	87.50	100	91.23	98.25	96.49
Kathleen O. Kauffmann	R	91.84	96.00	88.00	93.75	94.00	96.00	98.00	98.00
John C. Redington	R	97.73	100	97.78	97.73	88.64	100	100	100
Glenn R. Schorsh	R	95.35	93.02	90.70	90.48	95.35	93.022	95.35	95.35
Kevin J. Ward	R	91.18	94.29	88.57	96.97	94.12	94.29	97.14	97.14

Sixteenth Judicial Circuit Joint Poll with the Kane County Bar Association*Kane County*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Linda Abrahamson Baurle	R	94.86	97.18	93.79	95.48	96.61	96.61	97.73	97.18
Rene' Cruz	R	94.65	99.47	95.16	92.02	100	99.47	100	98.94
Christine A. Downs	R	92.45	96.84	92.41	93.04	92.45	97.47	99.37	96.84
Elizabeth K. Flood	R	91.34	98.41	93.70	87.40	97.64	95.20	100	97.64
Thomas Clint Hull, III	R	93.79	98.31	89.89	98.31	96.07	98.31	98.88	96.65
Kathryn Karayannis	R	96.13	99.45	95.03	94.51	97.25	98.90	100	97.22
David P. Kliment	R	95.77	97.92	93.78	95.85	94.79	98.44	98.96	98.45
Marmarie J. Kostelny	R	94.06	96.10	92.68	94.12	96.60	97.56	96.10	97.56
Mary Katherine Moran	R	75.00	98.36	87.43	67.96	83.06	69.95	94.54	95.03
Robert J. Morrow	R	78.64	91.94	79.43	82.78	77.99	91.79	89.37	79.90
William J. Parkhurst	R	98.38	99.47	97.85	94.65	98.92	97.31	99.47	97.87
Mark A. Pheanis	R	98.99	100	99.50	99.01	99.50	98.01	99.50	99.50

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	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Edward C. Schreiber	R	95.65	100	96.28	94.15	96.81	95.74	98.94	97.88
Thomas J. Stanfa	R	87.56	95.02	90.10	91.09	85.57	86.57	97.01	92.46
Alice C. Tracy	R	77.78	93.57	79.71	82.48	79.56	88.24	97.10	84.78
Robert K. Villa	R	89.77	96.59	95.35	91.86	88.51	92.05	98.85	96.51

Seventeenth Judicial Circuit Joint Poll with the Winnebago and Boone County Bar Associations*Boone and Winnebago counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Joseph J. Bruce	R	91.08	98.73	92.36	92.99	83.44	84.52	98.73	97.45
Fernando L. Engelsma	R	95.45	99.09	98.17	94.59	99.10	97.25	99.07	99.09
Mary Linn Green	R	86.67	94.17	83.33	87.50	86.67	79.66	89.66	92.44
Patrick L. Heaslip	R	73.51	77.12	75.82	90.85	62.75	88.08	92.72	82.89
John S. Lowry	R	94.49	96.03	93.75	93.70	93.75	96.80	98.47	98.31
Francis M. Martinez	R	94.62	98.45	93.85	94.66	98.45	96.85	97.67	96.90
Philip J. Nicolosi	R	93.80	95.35	90.70	91.41	94.57	96.03	97.64	96.90
Steven L. Nordquist	R	90.78	92.91	95.00	90.78	96.45	88.24	96.38	97.14
R. Craig Sahlstrom	R	86.93	94.74	90.85	85.71	89.61	85.62	98.01	96.73
Brian Dean Shore	R	94.15	96.49	89.53	93.02	86.47	95.32	98.25	93.02
John R. Truitt	R	95.20	98.39	96.77	97.54	89.52	97.56	99.18	98.37
Robert "Randy" Wilt	R	91.82	94.69	90.27	96.46	83.04	93.64	96.40	94.64
K. Patrick Yarbrough	R	76.14	93.26	82.76	74.16	80.68	85.06	94.25	90.91
John H. Young	R	96.67	97.33	96.67	95.33	97.33	97.32	98.65	96.67

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Eighteenth Judicial Circuit Joint Poll with the DuPage County Bar Association
DuPage County

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Joseph T. Bugos	***								
Neal W. Cerne	R	87.02	94.19	88.37	87.68	90.99	91.20	97.34	90.64
Anthony V. Coco	R	98.61	99.31	98.61	95.83	95.83	97.22	100	99.31
Linda E. Davenport	R	89.04	94.21	85.11	96.78	80.83	98.70	99.34	92.86
John W. Demling	R	94.00	94.19	90.97	96.13	92.90	96.12	98.37	95.44
Brian J. Diamond	R	95.21	98.97	93.26	96.37	92.27	95.31	99.48	97.91
Robert E. Douglas	R	94.38	97.80	96.69	91.71	93.92	95.56	98.90	95.58
Thomas A. Else	R	83.04	83.48	84.65	85.09	84.65	91.19	94.59	89.33
William I. Ferguson	R	82.37	92.61	85.77	85.87	70.57	89.17	95.59	84.73
Robert G. Gibson	R	97.98	99.22	98.02	96.85	98.42	98.42	100	98.41
Anne T. Hayes	**								
Bruce R. Kelsey	R	96.56	97.00	94.76	94.76	95.86	97.37	98.48	97.37
James J. Konetski	R	95.49	96.79	94.40	95.16	94.38	95.98	98.79	96.36
Jeffrey S. MacKay	**								
Paul A. Marchese	R	94.57	97.37	91.59	93.78	95.56	95.52	98.66	97.32
Alex F. McGimpsey, III	**								
Timothy J. McJoynt	R	98.26	98.31	97.31	98.32	96.96	98.30	99.66	97.95
Brian R. McKillip	R	98.25	99.15	97.75	98.59	90.37	97.44	99.14	98.85
Robert A. Miller	R	89.00	93.63	89.22	90.20	83.74	93.14	99.01	89.00
Jane H. Mitton	R	80.62	90.52	83.33	82.83	71.30	78.85	90.67	82.89
Mary E. O'Connor	R	85.79	95.72	91.44	77.42	93.01	87.17	97.84	95.58

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James D. Orel	R	94.55	97.75	96.86	95.96	92.00	98.21	99.55	95.45
Peter W. Ostling	R	98.19	98.80	98.21	97.60	98.20	99.39	100	99.39
Robert W. Rohm	**								
Richard D. Russo	R	90.08	94.33	89.88	88.52	88.16	93.42	98.77	92.65
Elizabeth W. Sexton	R	86.25	97.07	90.77	85.61	93.77	88.93	98.52	96.32
Terence M. Sheen	R	80.14	91.10	81.91	84.64	73.84	93.12	91.97	90.55
Ann Celine O. Walsh	**								
Karen M. Wilson	R	80.75	88.42	81.28	77.89	82.54	87.43	94.68	89.89
Michael A. Wolfe	R	88.04	94.31	90.91	88.15	88.10	93.33	95.17	92.31

Nineteenth Judicial Circuit*Lake County*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Luis A. Berrones	R	98.47	99.24	97.71	97.69	95.42	99.24	100	100
Michael B. Betar	R	91.98	96.93	93.25	88.20	93.87	94.48	98.15	97.53
Christen L. Bishop	R	95.40	97.73	93.18	91.95	96.59	92.05	98.85	97.70
David P. Brodsky	R	93.28	99.15	94.07	92.31	95.76	92.37	100	98.29
Raymond D. Collins	R	96.67	96.70	96.70	94.44	95.60	95.60	100	98.89
Michael J. Fusz	R	94.12	96.10	96.13	94.16	96.10	92.90	100	98.69
Brian P. Hughes	R	95.65	97.83	93.55	93.48	95.70	95.70	100	97.83

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	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Daniel L. Jasica	R	97.50	98.77	98.77	98.75	98.77	97.53	100	100
Charles D. Johnson	R	85.16	89.76	86.72	89.06	88.37	92.19	97.66	89.84
Sarah P. Lessman	R	95.41	98.13	97.25	92.59	93.58	88.99	99.07	98.17
David C. Lombardo	R	98.81	97.59	96.47	97.62	97.65	97.65	100	100
Margaret A. Marcouiller	R	95.93	99.19	95.20	94.31	97.60	96.80	100	99.19
Christopher B. Morozin	R	95.28	96.19	95.24	96.15	95.24	98.10	100	99.04
Veronica M. O'Malley	R	92.00	97.60	89.60	91.94	91.13	95.97	99.19	98.36
Theodore S. Potkonjak	R	75.65	80.70	71.05	82.30	72.81	86.84	91.07	75.89
Elizabeth M. Rochford	R	94.62	97.69	96.92	93.08	96.15	95.38	99.22	97.67
Helen S. Rozenberg	R	78.95	92.55	80.85	81.91	74.47	89.36	90.22	89.13
Joseph V. Salvi	R	88.57	98.08	92.31	90.29	88.46	91.35	99.03	96.12
John J. Scully	R	87.39	98.18	94.55	83.49	92.73	89.09	99.07	97.25
James K. Simonian	R	76.07	94.83	90.52	71.30	84.48	88.70	95.65	91.30
George D. Strickland	R	91.74	94.26	90.08	95.00	85.83	96.69	99.17	94.12
Christopher R. Stride	R	94.51	97.83	94.57	93.48	93.48	96.70	98.90	97.80
Donna-Jo Vorderstrasse	R	96.55	98.26	96.55	96.52	98.26	94.78	99.12	99.14
Nancy S. Waites	R	91.38	96.00	91.43	89.66	89.14	95.43	98.28	95.40

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Twentieth Judicial Circuit*Monroe, Perry, Randolph, St. Clair and Washington counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Richard Aguirre	R	84.91	91.00	83.73	94.34	71.90	92.38	95.26	91.94
Walter C. Brandon, Jr.	R	86.82	94.66	88.64	78.46	92.42	87.79	99.23	93.13
Thomas B. Cannady	R	96.71	96.77	97.44	96.15	99.36	98.71	99.36	98.72
Laninya A. Cason	NR	45.83	61.40	63.31	49.12	70.59	56.80	78.24	73.81
Ellen A. Dauber	R	90.63	96.88	90.67	93.33	87.11	90.16	98.45	94.82
Julia R. Gomric	R	97.42	98.73	96.82	96.84	98.74	98.10	99.37	98.11
Eugene E. Gross	R	99.15	99.15	96.61	99.15	99.15	99.15	99.15	99.15
Julie K. Katz	R	98.92	98.93	97.87	99.47	97.86	99.47	99.47	98.93
Randall W. Kelley	R	92.47	92.55	91.05	97.35	85.71	95.74	96.84	95.26
Patricia H. Kievlan	R	91.60	92.54	85.82	90.98	84.09	95.45	96.27	96.97
Christopher T. Kolker	R	98.92	99.47	97.34	99.47	99.47	100	100	99.47
Stephen R. Rice	R	97.25	98.42	96.83	99.47	97.89	90.96	98.94	98.41
Heinz M. Rudolf	R	95.91	96.46	94.25	98.21	98.23	99.56	100	99.55

Twenty-First Judicial Circuit*Iroquois and Kankakee counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Thomas W. Cunnington	R	100	100	94.12	97.06	100	100	100	97.06
Ronald J. Gerts	R	82.05	92.86	82.93	80.95	85.71	95.24	100	95.12
James B. Kinzer	R	100	100	94.87	100	97.44	100	100	92.11
Michael D. Kramer	R	100	100	97.44	100	97.44	100	100	97.30
Kenneth A. Leshen	R	89.47	90.24	85.37	95.00	92.50	95.12	100	89.74

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Twenty-Second Judicial Circuit Joint Poll with the McHenry County Bar Association*McHenry County*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
Robert K. Beaderstadt	NR	61.40	87.72	60.87	71.30	69.30	81.58	94.69	77.19
Joel D. Berg	R	93.02	96.62	95.42	94.66	93.08	97.69	97.71	96.12
John D. Bolger	R	78.83	96.43	79.29	85.71	79.14	86.96	82.73	90.51
Kevin G. Costello	R	99.19	100	99.20	100	99.20	99.20	100	100
James S. Cowlin	R	90.44	96.38	87.68	90.58	76.09	94.93	97.81	91.85
Mark R. Gerhardt	R	68.55	87.90	72.58	79.20	57.85	90.40	93.60	78.05
Christopher M. Harmon	R	99.12	99.14	99.14	96.55	98.25	97.41	99.14	99.13
Suzanne C. Mangiamele	R	76.56	96.12	90.00	75.78	91.47	71.88	97.66	96.88
Thomas A. Meyer	R	95.38	97.69	96.18	96.15	98.45	96.95	98.47	97.67
Mary H. Nader	R	84.13	91.41	80.62	93.02	90.63	95.35	98.43	89.68
Robert A. Wilbrandt, Jr.	R	80.00	91.06	80.65	89.52	74.59	92.74	95.97	83.87

Twenty-Third Judicial Circuit*DeKalb and Kendall counties*

	Recommended/ Not Recommended	Meets Requirements Of Office	Integrity	Impartiality	Legal Ability	Temperament	Court Management	Health	Sensitivity
William P. Brady	R	96.36	100	92.73	98.21	90.74	63.64	100	89.29
Marcy L. Buick	R	81.25	96.00	82.00	72.00	82.00	93.88	100	94.00
John F. McAdams	R	91.30	89.36	91.49	89.36	91.49	97.87	100	100
Philip G. Montgomery	**								
Joseph R. Voiland	**								

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Associate Judge Reappointment

Associate judges are subject to reappointment every four years. The reappointment is accomplished through the casting of secret ballots by circuit court judges in their circuit. Successful candidates receive votes that tally three-fifths (60%) or greater in favor of their reappointment. Voting will be concluded prior to the beginning of the new associate judge terms. The new term of office for each reappointed associate judge will begin on July 1, 2015 and terminate on June 30, 2019.

Although the decision on associate judge reappointment is made by circuit judges, the Illinois State Bar Association (ISBA) is releasing these poll results to the public, because all judges are public officials and the opinions of their professional colleagues about their performance is of public interest.

How Judicial Advisory Polls Work

This poll of lawyers is conducted by the ISBA. ISBA attorneys in each judicial circuit (except Cook County) are mailed a ballot containing the names of every associate judge seeking reappointment in their circuit. Licensed attorneys who are not members of ISBA may request a ballot. Attorneys are asked to respond only if they have sufficient knowledge about the associate judge's qualifications for judicial office to give a fair, informed opinion. Associate judges are rated "recommended" or "not recommended" based on whether respondents agree that the associate judge "meets acceptable requirements for the office." Associate judges receiving 65 percent or more "yes" responses to that question are rated "recommended" and associate judges receiving less than 65 percent are rated "not recommended." Opinions expressed in the poll are of those attorneys who chose to respond and do not reflect the opinion of the Illinois State Bar Association or the opinion of all attorneys.

The following questions are asked.

In your opinion, with respect to this judicial office and in off-the-bench conduct affecting the judicial office, will the candidate:

Meets Requirements of Office:

(Recommendation) Considering the qualifications of the candidate, do you believe this candidate meets acceptable requirements for the office?

Integrity

Adhere to the high standards of integrity and ethical conduct required of the office?

Impartiality

Act and rule impartially and free of any predisposition or improper influence?

Legal Ability

Have adequate legal experience, knowledge, and ability?

Temperament

Exercise the judicial temperament to serve with appropriate courtesy, consideration, firmness, fairness, patience and dignity?

Court Management

Diligently and promptly attend to the duties of the office and assure the steady progress of court business.

Health

Have the physical, mental and emotional health, stamina and stability needed to perform judicial duties?

Sensitivity to Diversity and Bias

Conducts self and deals with others appropriately to reduce or eliminate conduct or words which manifest bias based on race, gender, national origin, religion, disability, age, sexual orientation or socio-economic status against parties, witnesses, counsel or others?

<u>COUNTY NAME</u>	<u>CIRCUIT</u>	<u>COUNTY NAME</u>	<u>CIRCUIT</u>
Adams (Quincy)	8	Lee (Dixon)	15
Alexander (Cairo)	1	Livingston (Pontiac)	11
Bond (Greenville)	3	Logan (Lincoln)	11
Boone (Belvidere)	17	McDonough (Macomb)	9
Brown (Mt. Sterling)	8	McHenry (Woodstock)	22
Bureau (Princeton)	13	McLean (Bloomington)	11
Calhoun (Hardin)	8	Macon (Decatur)	6
Carroll (Mt. Carroll)	15	Macoupin (Carlinville)	7
Cass (Virginia)	8	Madison (Edwardsville)	3
Champaign (Urbana)	6	Marion (Salem)	4
Christian (Taylorville)	4	Marshall (Lacon)	10
Clark (Marshall)	5	Mason (Havana)	8
Clay (Louisville)	4	Massac (Metropolis)	1
Clinton (Carlyle)	4	Menard (Petersburg)	8
Coles (Charleston)	5	Mercer (Aledo)	14
Cook (Chicago)	CO	Monroe (Waterloo)	20
Crawford (Robinson)	2	Montgomery (Hillsboro)	4
Cumberland (Toledo)	5	Morgan (Jacksonville)	7
DeKalb (Sycamore)	23	Moultrie (Sullivan)	6
DeWitt (Clinton)	6	Ogle (Oregon)	15
Douglas (Tuscola)	6	Peoria (Peoria)	10
DuPage (Wheaton)	18	Perry (Pickneyville)	20
Edgar (Paris)	5	Piatt (Monticello)	6
Edwards (Albion)	2	Pike (Pittsfield)	8
Effingham (Effingham)	4	Pope (Golconda)	1
Fayette (Vandalia)	4	Pulaski (Mound City)	1
Ford (Paxton)	11	Putnam (Hennepin)	10
Franklin (Benton)	2	Randolph (Chester)	20
Fulton (Lewistown)	9	Richland (Olney)	2
Gallatin (Shawneetown)	2	Rock Island (Rock Island)	14
Greene (Carrollton)	7	St. Clair (Belleville)	20
Grundy (Morris)	13	Saline (Harrisburg)	1
Hamilton (McLeansboro)	2	Sangamon (Springfield)	7
Hancock (Carthage)	9	Schuyler (Rushville)	8
Hardin (Elizabethtown)	2	Scott (Winchester)	7
Henderson (Oquawka)	9	Shelby (Shelbyville)	4
Henry (Cambridge)	14	Stark (Toulon)	10
Iroquois (Watseka)	21	Stephenson (Freeport)	15
Jackson (Murphysboro)	1	Tazewell (Pekin)	10
Jasper (Newton)	4	Union (Jonesboro)	1
Jefferson (Mount Vernon)	2	Vermilion (Danville)	5
Jersey (Jerseyville)	7	Wabash (Mount Carmel)	2
JoDaviess (Galena)	15	Warren (Monmouth)	9
Johnson (Vienna)	1	Washington (Nashville)	20
Kane (Geneva)	16	Wayne (Fairfield)	2
Kankakee (Kankakee)	21	White (Carmi)	2
Kendall (Yorkville)	23	Whiteside (Morrison)	14
Knox (Galesburg)	9	Will (Joliet)	12
Lake (Waukegan)	19	Williamson (Marion)	1
LaSalle (Ottawa)	13	Winnebago (Rockford)	17
Lawrence (Lawrenceville)	2	Woodford (Eureka)	11