

## **TWENTY-FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT NOMINATING COMMISSION**

### **NOTICE OF DISTRICT JUDGE VACANCY IN RILEY COUNTY**

The Twenty-First Judicial District Nominating Commission will convene at 8:30 a.m. on Wednesday, July 24, 2019, at the Riley County Courthouse, Manhattan, Kansas, to interview and select nominees whose names will be submitted to the Governor for appointment to the position of District Judge, Twenty-First Judicial District.


Statutes require a district judge filling this position: (1) be regularly admitted to practice law in the State of Kansas; (2) be a resident of the Twenty-First Judicial District at the time of taking the oath of office and maintain residency in the Twenty-First Judicial District while holding such office; (3) have been engaged in the active practice of law for at least 5 years as either a lawyer, judge, or full-time teacher at an accredited law school. K.S.A. 20-334. Nonresidents of the Twenty-First Judicial District should be aware of K.S.A. 20-2909(b). ("If there are not at least three attorneys deemed qualified by the district judicial nominating commission who reside in the judicial district and who are willing to accept the nomination to fill a vacancy in a district judge position, the nominating commission need not limit its consideration of nominees to attorneys residing in the judicial district.")

The Commission will welcome recommendations of nominees to fill the position. Recommendations must be accompanied by a nomination form which is available from the Clerk of the Riley County District Court (Manhattan); Clerk of the Clay County District Court (Clay Center); Clerk of the Appellate Courts; and at [www.kscourts.org](http://www.kscourts.org) under "What's New". The nomination form must be completed and signed by the nominee.

An original and nine copies of the nomination form, together with a like number of any supporting letters, should be submitted to:

**WILLIAM J. BAHR, Commission Secretary**  
**801 Poyntz Avenue**  
**Manhattan, KS 66502**

promptly and no later than noon, on June 28, 2019.



Marla J. Luckert, Chair  
21st Judicial District Nominating Commission