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Chief Judge Amy Harth

Amy Harth reappointed chief judge of 6th Judicial District

TOPEKA — Chief Justice Lawton R. Nuss announced today the Supreme Court has reappointed Judge Amy Harth to a two-year term as chief judge of the 6th Judicial District, effective January 1, 2018, to December 31, 2019.

Harth has served as district judge in the 6th Judicial District since 2004 and chief judge since 2015. The 6th Judicial District includes Bourbon, Linn, and Miami counties.

"We are glad that Judge Harth agreed to serve another two years as chief judge, providing continuity in capable leadership in the 6th Judicial District," said Nuss.

"I am honored by the Supreme Court's faith in me, and I look forward to continuing to work with the judges and court staff of our judicial district to serve our communities," Harth said.

Before becoming a judge, Harth worked as a prosecutor in Miami County and as a public defender. She is a 1994 graduate of Washburn University School of Law.

Each of Kansas' 31 judicial districts has a chief judge who, in addition to his or her judicial responsibilities, has general control over case assignments within the district, as well as general supervisory authority over the administrative and clerical functions of the court.

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