

Chicago Council of Lawyers Summary for Judges Seeking Retention and Election on the November 3, 2020 Ballot (in ballot order)

Question: Shall each of the persons listed be retained in office as a Judge of the Appellate Court, First Judicial District, or of the Cook County Circuit Court?

ILLINOIS APPELLATE COURT, FIRST DISTRICT (RETENTION)	
Aurelia Maria Pucinski	Yes
Mary Katherine Rochford	Yes

COOK COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT (RETENTION)		COOK COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT (RETENTION)	
Michael P. Toomin	Yes	Dominique C. Ross	Yes
James Patrick Flannery, Jr	Yes	Kristyna Colleen Ryan	Yes
Mary Ellen Coghlan	Yes	Debra B. Walker	Yes
Shelley L. Sutker-Dermer	Yes	Ursula Walowski	Yes
Patricia Manila Martin	Judge Martin stated that she will be retiring, but is still on the ballot. Vote NO	Anthony C. Kyriakopoulos	Yes
Kenneth J. Wadas	Yes	Caroline Kate Moreland	Yes
Gregory Joseph Wojkowski	Yes	Thomas J. Carroll	Yes
Robert E. Gordon	Yes	Cynthia Y. Cobbs	Yes
Lewis Nixon	Yes	Daniel J. Kubasiak	Yes
Margaret Ann Brennan	Yes	Andrea Michele Buford	Yes
Janet Adams Brosnahan	Yes	Pamela McLean Meyerson	Yes
Peter A. Felice	Yes	Chris Lawler	Yes
Kerry M. Kennedy	Yes	John Michael Allegretti	Yes
Cassandra Lewis	Yes	Kristal Rivers	Yes
Laura Marie Sullivan	Yes	Steven G. Watkins	Yes
Raul Vega	Yes	Abbey Fishman Romanek	Yes
Michael B. Hyman	Yes	William B. Raines	Yes
Joan E. Powell	Yes	Judith C. Rice	Yes
Patrick J. Sherlock	Yes	Patrick Kevin Coughlin	Yes
Maureen Ward Kirby	Yes	John Curry	Yes
Edward A. Arce	Yes	Megan Elizabeth Goldish	Yes
James N. O'Hara	Yes	Anjana Hansen	Yes
Mauricio Araujo	NO	Robert D. Kuzas	Yes
Thomas J. Byrne	Yes	John J. Mahoney	Yes
Ann Collins-Dole	Yes	Maritza Martinez	Yes
Donna L. Cooper	Yes	Terrence J. McGuire	Yes
Anna Helen Demacopoulos	Yes	Bridget Anne Mitchell	Yes
Diana L. Kenworthy	Yes	James Paul Pieczonka	Yes
Pamela Elizabeth Loza	Yes	Diana Rosario	Yes
Jackie Marie Portman-Brown	Yes	Patricia O'Brien Sheahan	Yes

COOK COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT CONTESTED ELECTIONS TO FILL JUDICIAL VACANCIES		
CANDIDATE/PARTY	VACANCY	
Patricia M. Fallon (Democrat)	12 th Cook County Subcircuit (Hanlon vacancy)	Qualified
Frank R. DiFranco (Republican)	12 th Cook County Subcircuit (Hanlon vacancy)	Qualified
Susanne Michele Groebner (Democrat)	13 th Cook County Subcircuit (Kulys Hoffman vacancy)	Qualified
Gary William Seyring (Republican)	13 th Cook County Subcircuit (Kulys Hoffman vacancy)	Qualified

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