

INSTRUCTIONS

Send one copy of the application and/or letter to each member of the Twenty-First Circuit Judicial Commission. The application must be received no later than 5 p.m. October 13, 2016.

For imaging purposes, applications should be bound by paper clips or binder clips only. The commission members are as follows:

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Applicants should be aware that interviews will be conducted publicly on November 3, 2016, at the St. Louis County Court Building, Room S15, 105 S. Central, Clayton, Missouri.

Applicants should ask the persons listed as references to write a letter to the Chief Judge, with a copy to each Commissioner, stating their opinion of your judicial qualifications. Do not use judges as references. The Commissioners suggest that applicants encourage no more than ten (10) letters of recommendation in addition to the letters from persons listed as references.

Applicants should attach a brief biographical sketch to their application for publication in the event the applicant is selected as one of the three nominees. A copy of the applications of the three nominees submitted to the Governor will be made public within 72 hours of submitting the certificate of nomination; personal or confidential information will be redacted. **If any applicant lists or attaches information concerning any confidential matters or cases on the application, the applicant shall utilize initials rather than party names for these confidential cases or matters.**

Individual commissioners may be willing to meet informally with applicants prior to the public interviews. Applicants should contact commissioners directly to inquire.