

APPLICATION (Revised December 2008)
TWENTY-FIRST CIRCUIT JUDICIAL COMMISSION
CIRCUIT JUDGE

**RESPONSE TO THESE QUESTIONS WILL BE MADE PUBLIC IF THE APPLICANT IS
SELECTED AS A NOMINEE.**

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NAME: Bonnie Joyce Kelley

1. State your present principal occupation: Associate County Counselor
2. Are you at least 30 years of age? Yes
3. (a) How long have you been a citizen of the United States? 53 years
(b) Have you been a resident of St. Louis County for at least one year immediately prior to the date of this application? Yes
(c) How long have you been a qualified voter of Missouri? 35 years
4. Are you licensed to practice law in Missouri? Yes

List any other states, courts, or agencies in which you are licensed as an attorney: U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Missouri

5. State the date you were admitted to the Bar in Missouri? December 13, 1990

Missouri Bar Number: 35254

(In completing items 6 and 7, please account for all time periods between post-high school education and the date of this application.)

6. State the name and address of all colleges and universities you have attended, together with the dates and degrees received:

1. University of Missouri at Columbia; Columbia, MO; August 1974 to May 1977 and

June 1979 to May 1980; (Education and Special Education); B.S. in Education-1980, Magna Cum Laude.

2. University of Missouri at St. Louis; St. Louis, MO; June 1978 to August 1978; (education classes).

3. St. Louis Community College at Meramec; June 1981 to August 1981 and June 1982 to July 1982 (chemistry and physics classes).

4. St. Louis University; August 1982 to May 1985; Juris Doctorate.

7. State, in chronological order, your entire working career, including non-legal employment, if any. Include the name and address of each firm, corporation, partnership, or governmental body with which you have been associated, and the dates thereof. (Start with earliest date, conclude with present.)

- 1972-1977 SIX FLAGS OVER MID-AMERICA; Eureka, MO;
summer work
- 1974 AMBER RIDGE STATE SCHOOL; Ridge Road, Ellisville, MO;
care and supervision of mentally, physically and emotionally
disabled children, teens and adults
- 1978 JANSEN'S IGA; Clayton Road, Ballwin, MO;
cashier; delicatessen work
- 1979 KORVETTE'S DEPARTMENT STORE; Alexandria, VA;
salesperson/cashier
- 1980 RUSSELL BOULEVARD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL; Columbia,
MO;
6th grade teacher/student teacher
- 1980 FRANCIS HOWELL SCHOOL DISTRICT; St. Charles, MO;
teaching assistant, gifted student program committee
- 1980 ROCKWOOD SCHOOL DISTRICT; Eureka, MO;
full time substitute teacher, taught in all grade levels kindergarten
through 12th grade
- 1980-82 ROCKWOOD SCHOOL DISTRICT; Eureka, MO;
teacher/developer/coordinator of Alternative Education Program
for Rockwood District, Selvidge Junior High (specialized program
for 7th and 8th graders in history, science, math, English and life
skills);

Cheerleading Coach

- 1984-85 ST. LOUIS UNIVERSITY CIVIL LAW CLINIC
law intern
- 1985 ST. LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM
taught law class twice a week at Academy of Math and Science
- 1985-87 and 1989-90 LIBRACH AND ROTHMAN, P.C.; Clayton, MO
- 1987-89 HBD CONTRACTING INC.; St. Louis, MO
legal research and consulting
- 1989-90 GUNDAKER REAL ESTATE; Chesterfield, MO
realtor
- 1990 to present OFFICE OF THE ST. LOUIS COUNTY COUNSELOR
Associate County Counselor; Chief Prosecuting Attorney and
Chief Warrant Officer of St. Louis County Municipal Court
System;
Attorney IV- Supervising Attorney

8. If you are presently an associate circuit judge and have served for two years or longer, attach a list of ten significant cases over which you presided to completion. Set forth the style, cause number, date and name and current address of the primary attorneys participating in each case, identifying the party each attorney represented. Indicate whether bench or jury tried and give a one to three sentence description of each case and its outcome. N/A
- (b) In addition, you may attach a list of cases you tried as an attorney in the last five years before becoming a judge. Set forth the style, cause number, date and jurisdiction and identify who you represented, whether you were first or second chair and the name and address of opposing counsel. State for each case whether bench or jury tried and give a one to three sentence description of each case and its outcome.
9. Are you able, with or without a reasonable accommodation, to perform the essential functions of a judge including the ability to preside over trials, perform legal research, attend court anywhere in the state, communicate clearly and effectively both orally and in writing, and expeditiously decide issues coming before the court? Yes
10. If you have never served as an associate circuit judge or have served for fewer than two years, attach a list of cases you have tried in the last five years. Set forth the style, cause number, date, and court, and identify who you represented, whether you were first or second chair, and the name and address of opposing counsel. Indicate for each case whether bench or jury tried and provide a one to three sentence description of each case and its outcome. If,

during any of the last five years, you served as a commissioner or in any other judicial capacity, set forth the dates of same and a description of the duties performed.

A. Jost Associates, L.P., vs. St. Louis County, 03CC-3236, St. Louis County Circuit Court, Division 13, Judge Wallace. I represented St. Louis County in this three-day bench trial. I was first chair. Opposing counsel was Jeffrey Hunt and Thomas Wehrle, 101 S. Hanley Road, Suite 1700, Clayton, MO 63105. This was a zoning case in which Jost filed suit against St. Louis County after Jost's request for rezoning was denied. The Court found in favor of Plaintiff Jost on Count I to the extent of permanently enjoining Defendant St. Louis County from enforcement of the non-urban zoning classification of the property. The Court entered judgment in favor of St. Louis County on Count II, finding no taking had occurred.

Jost appealed the judgment on Count II to the Court of Appeals. The Court of Appeals handed down a decision affirming the trial court's judgment. Jost applied for transfer to the Missouri Supreme Court which was denied. A formal opinion was not issued by the Court of Appeals on this cause.

B. Dianna Reagan, et al. v. St. Louis County, 01CC-2685, St. Louis County Circuit Court, Division 10, Judge Romines. I represented St. Louis County in this two-day bench trial. I was the first and only chair. Opposing counsel was Kevin Fritz, 714 Locust Street, St. Louis, MO 63101. This was a zoning case in which Reagan filed suit against St. Louis County after her property was rezoned. The Court found that a taking occurred and awarded damages and attorneys fees to Reagan.

St. Louis County appealed the judgment to the Court of Appeals and Reagan filed a cross appeal. The Court of Appeals handed down an opinion affirming in part and reversing in part the judgment of the St. Louis County Circuit Court. The Missouri Supreme Court granted Respondents/Cross-Appellants' application for transfer to the Supreme Court. The Supreme Court then ordered the cause retransferred whereupon the Missouri Court of Appeals readopted its opinion originally issued June 30, 2006 as the decision of the Court. The citation is Reagan v. County of St. Louis, 211 S.W. 3d 104.

C. St. Louis County vs. William Federer, 00SM-9967C(K), St. Louis County Municipal Court, Judge Ullom. I represented St. Louis County, as second chair, in this 4-day jury trial. Opposing counsel was Brad Dede, 222 S. Meramec Avenue, Clayton, MO. Federer was charged with assaulting a person on a parade route. Federer was promoting his political campaign during the parade. He was found not guilty.

D. Lawless Properties, Inc. and Lawless Homes, Inc., et al. vs. St. Louis County, 01CC-2209, St. Louis County Circuit Court, Division 41, Judge Burton. I represented St. Louis County in this 2-day bench trial. I was first and only chair. Opposing counsel was Steve Koslovsky, 168 N. Meramec, 4th Floor, Clayton, MO. This was a zoning case in which Lawless sought a declaratory judgment and damages pursuant to 42 USC §1983. Lawless asked the court to find the R-2 zoning on its property unreasonable. Lawless desired a

change in zoning to accommodate an apartment complex it intended to build. The Court found for St. Louis County on both counts.

E. St. Louis County vs. Delfin Nieva, 01SM-7011C, et al., St. Louis County Municipal Court, Judge Adler. I represented St. Louis County as second chair in this probation revocation case. Opposing counsel was James Martin, 1067 Olive Street, 5th Floor, St. Louis, MO 63101. Dr. Nieva was charged with numerous housing code violations for an apartment building he owned and rented out. The County requested that Dr. Nieva's probation be revoked because of continued and severe non-compliance with the housing code. Dr. Nieva's probation was revoked and he was sentenced to 6 months in jail.

F. Jill Thompson vs. Pond Athletic Association and St. Louis County; Cause No. 682427; 10-10-97; St. Louis County Circuit Court, Division 39, Judge Clifford. I represented defendant, St. Louis County. I was the first and only chair. Opposing Counsel was Bradley Bakula, 8011 Clayton Road, Clayton, MO 63117. Counsel for co-defendant Pond Athletic Association was Jess Ullom, 16476 Chesterfield Airport Road, Suite 200, Chesterfield, MO 63017. This was a six-day bench trial. Jill Thompson owned property near Pond Ball Park. Pond Ball Park erected lights on its ball fields. Plaintiff Thompson brought an action against Pond Athletic Association, St. Louis County, and the City of Wildwood (Wildwood was subsequently dismissed from the suit) asking for an order enjoining operation of the lights. The trial court found for defendants. Thompson appealed and lost that appeal.

G. State of Missouri ex rel. Rosemary Bloemer, et al., vs. Janet Hermann and the Board of Zoning Adjustment of St. Louis County, et al.; Cause No. 97CC-589; 6/23/97; St. Louis County Circuit Court, Division 39, Judge Clifford. I represented the Board of Zoning Adjustment of St. Louis County. I was the first and only chair. It was a bench trial. Opposing counsel was David Bohm, 150 N. Meramec, 4th Floor, St. Louis, MO 63105. The St. Louis County Board of Zoning Adjustment granted a variance to the Meyer Co. A neighbor, Rosemary Bloemer filed a petition for writ of certiorari with the Circuit Court asking for a review of the actions of the BZA and reversal of the grant of variances. The court found in favor of Relator Bloemer.

H. Jerry Patton vs. County of St. Louis; Cause No. 99CC-2501; 3-5-01; St. Louis County Circuit Court, Division 10, Judge Romines. I represented defendant St. Louis County. It was a bench trial. I was first and only chair. Opposing counsel was Vince Keady, Jr., 168 N. Meramec, Suite 400, St. Louis, MO 63105. Plaintiff Patton filed a petition with the St. Louis County Planning Department to change the zoning on a piece of property from R-2 to C-1. Despite the fact that the Planning Department and the Planning Commission recommended approval to the St. Louis County Council, the rezoning was never introduced as legislation and therefore was effectively denied. Patton filed suit in Circuit Court asking that his property be rezoned. The court found in favor of Patton.

I. There are numerous cases I have tried in administrative settings, particularly in front of the Division of Employment Security and the St. Louis County Board of Police

Commissioners. I have also tried and argued many other cases on behalf of St. Louis County including small claims cases, property damage cases, condemnation hearings, expungements, and injunctive actions.

J. I have tried hundreds of cases, motions and probation revocations over the years in the St. Louis County Municipal Court System. There were over 80,000 cases filed in the St. Louis County Municipal Court System last year. As Chief Prosecuting Attorney of that court system and in training new prosecutors in our courts I often have occasion to try cases both on my own and by serving as second chair. I have not kept the information on all those cases but can list a few. Most have been bench trials but there have been several jury trials. Additionally, my job entails me assessing cases and giving advice on how to best prosecute and try cases on an almost daily basis. I enjoy doing this and have become very skilled at this.

- a. St. Louis County v. Jason Bardt, 03SM-16268C; 6-15-04; South Division. Defendant was charged with malicious destruction of property. Defendant was found not guilty.
- b. St. Louis County vs. Keith Kitchen 02NM-6492C; 10-16-02; North Division. Defendant was charged with peace disturbance. He was the alleged person in control of a loud musical and skating event at Midwest Recreation Center. He was found not guilty.
- c. St. Louis County vs. Jerome Locke; 99NM-11412C; 11-10-99; North Division. Defendant was charged with adult abuse. He was found guilty and given a suspended imposition of sentence with a 2-year probation.
- d. St. Louis County vs. Marvalene Roberts; 98SM-52569; 5-12-99; North Division. Defendant was charged with trespassing at a hospital. She was found guilty.
- e. St. Louis County vs. George Wadlington; 98SM-47086; 11-10-99; North Division. Defendant was charged with driving while intoxicated. He was found not guilty.
- f. St. Louis County vs. Jerome Smith; 99NM—5702C; North Division. Defendant was charged with assault. He was found not guilty.
- g. St. Louis County vs. Anthony Guavda; 99NM-8810C; North Division. Defendant was charged with trespass and interference with a police officer. He was found guilty on both counts and given a suspended imposition of sentence.
- h. St. Louis County vs. Wardell Daniels; 96SM-13226, 96SM-13227, 96SM-13228; 10-15-96, South Division. Defendant was charged with driving while intoxicated, speeding, and failure to drive in a single lane. He was found not guilty of the dwi and speeding but was found guilty of the failure to drive in a single lane and was given an SIS with a 2-year probation and special conditions.

11. Have you briefed or argued any case in an appellate court? Yes
If yes, attach a list showing the citation for each case and describe the extent of your

participation in briefing and arguing the case.

A. Jost Associates, L.P. vs. St. Louis County. I researched, briefed and argued the case.

B. Reagan vs. St. Louis County, 211 S.W. 3d 104. I researched and briefed this case.

C. Jill Thompson, et al., vs. St. Louis County and Pond Athletic Association, ED73455; 2-16-99. The Missouri Court of Appeals affirmed the judgment of the trial court, judgment in favor of defendants St. Louis County and Pond Athletic Association. The Court stated that no jurisprudential purpose would be served by a formal written opinion. It furnished the parties with a memorandum opinion. I represented St. Louis County. I did all the research, wrote the brief and also argued the case.

D. State of Missouri, ex rel., Michael Frank, Attorney at Law, P.C., Relator vs. The Honorable Ellis Gregory, Judge of the Associate Circuit Court of St. Louis County, State of Missouri, Division 43; Cause No. ED66076. Relator filed a Petition for Writ of Prohibition asking the Court to prevent Judge Gregory from enforcing an order to deduct fines and costs from defendant's cash bond refund assigned to defendant's attorney. I represented the respondent Judge Gregory. I did all the research and wrote the Answer in Response to Relator's Petition, along with the Suggestions in Opposition to Issuance of Writ of Prohibition. Judgment in favor of Respondent Judge Gregory.

E. Anne Rothschild vs. Labor and Industrial Relations Commission, Division of Employment Security, State of MO et al., ED51643. Rothschild exhausted her administrative remedies in seeking unemployment benefits and appealed to the Circuit Court, which affirmed the denial of benefits. Rothschild appealed that decision and the Court of Appeals held for respondent, affirming the Circuit Court's denial of benefits. I did all the research for and wrote the appellate brief.

Additionally, in my capacity as a supervising attorney in the County Counselor's Office and as Chief Prosecutor of the St. Louis County Municipal Courts, I have had many occasions to assist and advise other attorneys in the office on appellate work.

12. Set forth any additional information that demonstrates the quality of your legal work as an attorney.

A. I have been at the County Counselor's Office for 19 years. I became an Attorney IV within 11 years. I have been acting as the Chief Prosecuting Attorney and Chief Warrant Officer of the St. Louis County Municipal Court System for the last 15 years. There are over 80,000 cases filed in that court system annually. In my position, I have overseen the review, issuance and prosecution of charges on all of the cases in these courts, including approximately 1500 domestic violence cases/year, approximately 3,000 housing cases/year, and approximately 1,000 dwi cases/year.

B. Additionally, I have been one of the main forces behind the creation, development and

continuing progress of the St. Louis County Mental Health Court and Jail Diversion Program. On the Jail Diversion Committee, I helped to develop and redevelop guidelines and procedures for the program pursuant to the federal grant we were awarded. I took a leading role on this committee and was invited to travel out of state to discuss our Jail Diversion Program. I originated the idea to provide these services to all the municipalities of St. Louis County and have worked hard over the last couple of years to bring this idea to fruition. On 06-03-05 the Post Dispatch wrote a front-page article about the Mental Health Court and the fact that the St. Louis County Council voted to allow us to offer the services of the Mental Health Court/Jail Diversion Program to the municipalities of St. Louis County. I have been interviewed by Art Holiday about mental health services, CIT and Mental Health Courts. In the last few years I have been in contact with approximately 50 municipalities and their officials regarding their participation in the Mental Health Court. To date I have personally worked with over 2 dozen municipalities on contracts for use of the Mental Health Court.

C. I have also worked closely with the St. Louis County Police Department on the creation of the Crisis Intervention Team Coordinating Council (CIT), the development of Crisis Intervention Teams, the training of the CIT officers, the implementation of the CIT program and its connection to the Mental Health Court, and the development of Crisis Intervention Teams in municipal police departments throughout St. Louis County and in the City of St. Louis. I sit on the Council for the Crisis Intervention Team of Greater St. Louis and have served on several subcommittees: Practice and Procedure, Municipal Contract and Resource Board Committees. I am now sitting on and working with the Missouri State CIT Council in an effort to spread CIT and Mental Health Courts throughout the state of Missouri. I am also on the steering committee of Missouri Partners in Crisis which is a statewide leadership coalition made up of law enforcement, public defenders, judges, prosecutors, social workers, psychiatrists, ER nurses, Mental Health service providers and individuals and family members affected by mental illness/substance abuse, who want to improve access to mental health and substance abuse services in Missouri.

D. I currently do the interviewing of any intern applicants. I supervise all interns who work at the office. I have also taken part in the interview process of new applicants for attorneys in the office. I supervise approximately half of the staff in the office. Over the years I've personally trained approximately 40 new attorneys at the County Counselor's Office.

E. In addition to my work with the County Municipal Courts, I supervise the prosecution of involuntary commitments in the Probate Court. I have also handled quite a bit of zoning litigation in the office. In the past, I have also handled numerous other civil matters in the office including: unemployment hearings, expungement cases, small claims cases, property damage cases, internal affairs hearings for the County Police Department, injunctive actions, and condemnation actions.

F. I have spoken at many functions, particularly in the areas of municipal court practice,

domestic violence prosecution, and mental health courts. I also instruct at the Police Academy. I have trained over 1,200 area police officers in aspects of CIT and Mental Health Court in dealing with persons with mental illness. In May 2005 I gave a presentation at the Missouri Municipal and Associate Circuit Judges Association's Conference on the Model Domestic and Family Violence Code I drafted and the subsequent Domestic Violence Ordinance which St. Louis County adopted. In the past couple of years, I have presented at the Gains National Conference in Boston at the second and third National CIT Conferences in Orlando and Memphis, and at the Missouri Association of Drug Court Professionals Annual Conference in St. Louis and at Lake of the Ozarks.

G. I have sat on and been very active on many committees:

- St. Louis County Criminal Justice Committee
- Reduction of Jail Population Subcommittee
- St. Louis County Domestic and Family Violence Council
- Greenbook Initiative Batterer Intervention Subcommittee
- Access to Domestic Violence Courts Subcommittee
- Domestic Violence Council's Information Access Subcommittee
- St. Louis County Mental Health Court Task Force Commission and Executive Committee
- The Crisis Intervention Team of Greater St. Louis Council and Executive Committee
- The Jail Diversion Program Governance Committee and general committee
- Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis – Disabilities Committee
- Missouri State CIT Council
- Missouri Mental Health Transformation Working Group
- Missouri Partners in Crisis Steering Committee

H. Implementing a case management system, CCPA, for our office's processing of warrant applications and issuance of charges. The old system had been in place for over twenty years and was badly in need of modernization.

I. Drafting and instituting trial docket reports for completion by the municipal court prosecutors.

J. Rewrote Prosecutorial Guidelines and Procedures for use with the Confined Docket. Instituted additional support staff assistance to attorneys relating to preparation for Confined Dockets.

K. Worked with the Washington University Police Department on forms and procedures for prosecution of charges in our municipal court system for ordinance violations occurring on the Washington University Campus. Also worked with the University on public safety and police protection issues regarding political events.

L. Interviewed attorneys and gave advice on appointment of public defenders for the St. Louis County Municipal Court System. Developed and drafted the terms of appointment, duties to be performed and process to be followed.

M. Developed a new system for processing and charging housing violations which has greatly impacted the processing of a large volume of cases, therefore speeding up the prosecution of the housing docket.

N. Developed a new system for processing and charging false alarm violations which allows for much faster prosecution of these violations.

O. I have increased the number of involuntary commitments we prosecute and obtain.

P. Developed and implemented daily time sheets for completion by the support staff.

Q. I successfully settled a case, S&P Properties vs. St. Louis County, where St. Louis County helped to demolish a structure based upon a property owner's consent to demolish.

R. I instigated the settlement of the Fenton v. St. Louis County cases (two separate cases which involved the erection of two trash transfer stations in Valley Park).

S. Am active on the Domestic and Family Violence Council and drafted a Model Domestic and Family Violence Code, which the Council adopted. I have worked on persuading other municipalities to adopt it. I have also been successful in helping to bring federal grant money to our St. Louis County Domestic Violence Programs and for the prosecution of domestic violence cases.

T. I supervise the review of all the potential charges coming from all CIT officers in St. Louis County, for possible placement in the Mental Health Court.

U. I have resolved several difficult housing court cases.

V. I have attended several conferences in Jefferson City, hosted by the State Courts Administrators Office, on Mental Health Courts across the state of Missouri.

W. I have attended and spoken at several mental health court/jail diversion functions and meetings sponsored by NAMI (National Alliance for the Mentally Ill), etc.

X. Continuing to hold regular meetings and communicate through email updates with the municipal court attorneys and our support staff.

Y. Initiating regular meetings between Domestic Violence Advocates and Domestic Violence Docket Prosecutors and between Housing Inspectors and Housing Court Prosecutors.

Z. Developing and performing in-service training for the County Park Rangers, Department of Public Works Inspectors, Department of Health, Department of Highways and Traffic, State Park Rangers, State Water Patrol Officers and Lambert International Airport Police.

13. Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor or felony? No

If yes, provide details, including the style of the case, cause number, name of the jurisdiction, and date of conviction:

14. Have you ever been sued by a client or been a party to any other litigation, other than as guardian ad litem, plaintiff ad litem or defendant ad litem? Yes

If yes, provide details, including the style of the case, cause number, name of the jurisdiction and the approximate year in which such litigation was commenced and in which it was terminated:

Bonnie Joyce Kelley vs. The Cincinnati Insurance Co.; 01AC-25527Z, Division 33, St. Louis County Court; suit to recover insurance money due as a result of a fire at my house (caused by lightning) which put my family out of our home for approximately 1 year. Commenced approximately November 2001. Case was settled in 2003.

15. Have you ever been disciplined or cited for breach of ethics or professional conduct by a court or by any bar association or committee thereof? No

If yes, provide details:

16. Have you ever been held in contempt of court? No

If yes, provide details:

17. If you are or were a member of the Judiciary of the State of Missouri, please state: N/A

- (a) Whether an order of reprimand, removal, retirement, suspension or other disciplinary action has ever been entered against you by the Supreme Court of Missouri for breach of the Code of Judicial Conduct or the Canons of Judicial Conduct?

If yes, state the nature of such breach, the date discipline was imposed and the exact nature and duration of the discipline imposed:

- (b) Whether a reprimand or admonishment has ever been entered against you by the Commission on Retirement, Removal and Discipline for any of the causes specified in Rule 12.07 of the Supreme Court Rules Governing the Judiciary.

If yes, provide details including date the order was entered, the date of your consent, and a description of the conduct you were ordered to cease and desist:

- (c) Whether, to your knowledge, you have been a subject of a complaint and investigation by the Commission on Retirement, Removal and Discipline, which did not result in any action by the Commission? If yes, provide details:
18. To your knowledge, have you been investigated by a court or by any bar association or committee thereof for breach of ethics or professional conduct? No
- If yes, provide details:
19. List all bar associations and other professional societies, of which you are a member, with any offices held and dates:
- MO Bar, St. Louis County Bar Association, U.S. District Court - Eastern District of MO, Women's Law Association.
20. Describe your community activities, including any organizations, not listed above, with which you are affiliated:
- Lifetime Fitness Club, Forest Hills Country Club, Forest Hills Swim Team and Tennis Team, Cheer Legendz, St. Clare of Assisi Church, Marquette High School Cheerleaders Booster Club President, Lafayette High School Alumni Association, Mizzou Alumni Association, KU Parent Association.
21. Do you now hold or have you ever held any elective or appointive public office or position? Yes
- If yes, provide details: My initial employment in the County Counselor's Office was an appointment by the County Counselor, John Ross. A couple of years later, I became a civil service employee.
22. Provide the branches and dates of (a) military service, or (b) other public service, not otherwise covered in this application. If discharged from the military, was the discharge other than honorable? If military service continues, so state: N/A
23. List any professional articles or books which have been published or any special recognition or award of a professional nature which you have received:
- August 2007 - "Court Official of the Year" - was awarded by the National Crisis Intervention Team at its Third Annual Conference in Memphis, Tennessee.
 - 2007 - named to the Missouri Mental Health Transformation Work Group established by Governor Blunt.
 - November 2006 - "Outstanding Law Enforcement Professional" - awarded by the Board of Directors, National Alliance for the Mentally Ill, NAMI, St. Louis.

- 2006 - named to the Missouri State CIT (Crisis Intervention Teams) Council.
- 2006 - named to the Steering Committee of Missouri PIC (Partners in Crisis).
- 2006 - "Hero in the Heroes in the Fight" - awarded by National Alliance on Mental Illness, NAMI, - Missouri.
- December 1998 - Certificate of Recognition - Castle Point Neighborhood Preservation Project.
- Multiple Certificates of Appreciation - from the St. Louis County and Municipal Police Academy.
- St. Louis County Domestic and Family Violence Council's Model code on Domestic and Family Violence - principal drafter.

24. Furnish the names and addresses, including zip codes and telephone numbers of not more than five persons, who are not judges, as references with respect to your judicial qualifications:

1. Tim Fitch
Chief of Police
St. Louis County Police Department
7900 Forsyth
Clayton, MO 63105
314-615-7025
2. Renee Hines-Tyce
St. Louis County Municipal Court
Court Administrator
7900 Carondelet, Street Level
Clayton, MO 63105
314-615-8761
3. Timothy Devereux
Attorney at Law
201 S. Central Avenue
Clayton, MO 63105
314-726-6500
4. Paul Dobberstein
5909 Hampton Avenue
St. Louis, MO 63109
314-776-8400

5. Cate Hall
16404 Woodlodge Court
Chesterfield, MO 63005
636-230-9929

25. State any additional data you deem relevant:

I hold a Life Teaching Certificate in the State of Missouri, earned in May 1980. In 1989 I earned a real estate license for the State of Missouri. Outside of work, much of my time is involved in the raising of (and numerous activities of) my five children.

By my signature to this application, I authorize: (1) the Commission by its chairperson to obtain relevant information, including but not limited to documents, records and files with respect to my medical, police or disciplinary records, and (2) the Commission and its members to obtain additional relevant information regarding my qualifications as well as the accuracy of my responses to the questions on this application, with the understanding that the information described in (1) and (2) above is available only to the members of the Twenty-First Circuit Judicial Commission. Notwithstanding the above, in accordance with Supreme Court Rule 10, as amended effective February 29, 2008, if I am one of the three nominees listed on the certificate of nomination sent to the Governor, I authorize the Commission to send a complete copy of this application to the Governor and publicly release a copy of the application with personal and confidential information redacted as identified on the cover page of this application.

I hereby certify that all my statements as made above are correct and that if I am appointed to the office of Circuit Judge of the Circuit Court of St. Louis County, I will accept the appointment, qualify, and promptly enter upon the performance of the duties of that office.

DATE: 2-22-2010

SIGNED: Bonnie Joyce Kelley