

MEMORANDUM

To: Representative Assembly Members

From: Nicole A. Evans, Chair

Date: March 24, 2026

Rule 6, Section 6 of the Supreme Court Rules Concerning the State Bar of Michigan provides that any vacancy in the membership of the Assembly shall be filled by appointment of the Assembly's membership upon nomination of the remaining representatives from the judicial circuit or, if there are none, the State Bar recognized local bar association in the judicial circuit. The Assembly's Nominating & Awards Committee is responsible for soliciting and presenting nominations to the Assembly.

There are vacancies in the following judicial circuits for the current Bar year, for which the lawyers listed below are nominated.

3rd Judicial Circuit (Wayne County)

This interim appointment is for a term lasting through the September 2027 meeting. The individual filling it is authorized to attend the following meeting as a voting member: April 25, 2026. The individual will need to run for election in the 2026 State Bar of Michigan election to continue filling the seat through the September 2027 meeting. The person who wins the 2026 election will take the seat immediately at the September 2026 meeting.

Jacquelyn A. McClinton

This interim appointment is for a term lasting through the September 2026 meeting. The individual filling it is authorized to attend the following meetings as a voting member: April 25, 2026 and September 18, 2026. The individual is eligible to run for a full three-year term in the 2026 State Bar of Michigan election.

Asia L. Lewis

6th Judicial Circuit (Oakland County)

This interim appointment is for a term lasting through the September 2028 meeting. The individual filling it is authorized to attend the following meeting as a voting member: April 25, 2026. The individual will need to run for election in the 2026 State Bar of Michigan election to continue filling the seat through the September 2028 meeting. The person who wins the 2026 election will take the seat immediately at the September 2028 meeting.

Leen Nachawati

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Kayla M. Toma

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John Mucha, III

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**7th Judicial Circuit
(Genesee County)**

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Marc D. Morse

**12th Judicial Circuit
(Baraga, Houghton,
and Keweenaw
Counties)**

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**13th Judicial Circuit
(Antrim, Grand
Traverse, and
Leelanau Counties)**

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Lawrence R. LaSusa

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**15th Judicial Circuit
(Branch County)**

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a voting member: April 25, 2026. The individual will need to run for election in the 2026 State Bar of Michigan election to continue filling the seat through the September 2027 meeting. The person who wins the 2026 election will take the seat immediately at the September 2026 meeting.

Zachary W. Stempien

**16th Judicial Circuit
(Macomb County)**

This interim appointment is for a term lasting through the September 2026 meeting. The individual filling it is authorized to attend the following meetings as a voting member: April 25, 2026 and September 18, 2026. The individual is eligible to run for a full three-year term in the 2026 State Bar of Michigan election.

Thomas H. Barnard

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Sean A. Blume

**17th Judicial Circuit
(Kent County)**

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Thomas V. Hubbard

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**18th Judicial Circuit
(Bay County)**

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J. Edmund Frost

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19th Judicial Circuit (Benzie & Manistee Counties)

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Jordan Miller

20th Judicial Circuit (Ottawa County)

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Brandon Barthelemy

22nd Judicial Circuit (Washtenaw County)

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Robyn L. McCoy

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24th Judicial Circuit (Sanilac County)

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25th Judicial Circuit (Marquette County)

This interim appointment is for a term lasting through the September 2028 meeting. The individual filling it is authorized to attend the following meeting as

a voting member: April 25, 2026. The individual will need to run for election in the 2026 State Bar of Michigan election to continue filling the seat through the September 2028 meeting. The person who wins the 2026 election will take the seat immediately at the September 2028 meeting.

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**26th Judicial Circuit
(Alpena and
Montmorency
Counties)**

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**27th Judicial Circuit
(Lake and Newaygo
Counties)**

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**30th Judicial Circuit
(Ingham County)**

This interim appointment is for a term lasting through the September 2028 meeting. The individual filling it is authorized to attend the following meeting as a voting member: April 25, 2026. The individual will need to run for election in the 2026 State Bar of Michigan election to continue filling the seat through the September 2028 meeting. The person who wins the 2026 election will take the seat immediately at the September 2028 meeting.

Judge Daniel S. Korobkin

**31st Judicial Circuit
(St. Clair County)**

This interim appointment is for a term lasting through the September 2028 meeting. The individual filling it is authorized to attend the following meeting as a voting member: April 25, 2026. The individual will need to run for election in the 2026 State Bar of Michigan election to continue filling the seat through the September 2028 meeting. The person who wins the 2026 election will take the seat immediately at the September 2028 meeting.

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**35th Judicial Circuit
(Shiawassee County)**

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36th Judicial Circuit (Van Buren County)

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Christopher N. Moraitis

37th Judicial Circuit (Calhoun County)

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Kellie E. Podolsky

38th Judicial Circuit (Monroe County)

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39th Judicial Circuit (Lenawee County)

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Katarina L. DuMont

41st Judicial Circuit (Dickinson, Iron, and Menominee Counties)

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42nd Judicial Circuit (Midland County)

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Andrew C. Thompson

**44th Judicial Circuit
(Livingston County)**

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Andrea M. Banfield

**50th Judicial Circuit
(Chippewa County)**

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**56th Judicial Circuit
(Eaton County)**

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