Members of the State Bar of Michigan are hereby notified that the following elections will be held in June 2012:

- A statewide election for a judicial member of the Judicial Tenure Commission
- Elections for members of the Representative Assembly in 34 judicial circuits
- Elections for members of the Board of Commissioners in five commissioner districts
- Elections for members of the Young Lawyers Section Executive Council in three districts

Nominating petitions may be filed no earlier than April 1, 2012, nor later than April 30, 2012. Ballots will be distributed no later than June 1, 2012, and must be received postmarked or completed online no later than June 15, 2012.

Nominating petitions for all elections are on pages 58 through 62.

Judicial Tenure Commission

Active members will elect one judicial member of the Judicial Tenure Commission for a term of three years, beginning January 1, 2013, and expiring December 31, 2015.

Article 6, Section 30 of the Michigan Constitution provides that three of the Commission's nine members shall be State Bar members elected by the members of the State Bar. One of these shall be a judge and two shall not be judges.

The seat to be filled by election in 2012 is to be held by a member who is a judge. It is now held by:

Hon. Jeanne Stempien, Detroit

Any active member of the State Bar who is a judge may be nominated by petitions bearing the signatures of not fewer than 50 active members of the State Bar.

No member may sign a nominating petition for more than one Judicial Tenure Commission candidate. All signatures in violation of this rule will be deemed invalid. It is suggested to persons circulating petitions that at least 75 signatures be obtained to ensure that at least 50 valid signatures remain should any be ruled invalid or be found illegible and therefore unverifiable.

Representative Assembly

Active members in certain judicial circuits will elect members of the Representative Assembly for their circuits as follows:

- 1. The terms of certain elected members of the Assembly from judicial circuits as indicated below will expire at the close of the 2012 Annual Meeting of the State Bar. These seats are to be filled by election in June 2012 for terms of three years.
- 2. Vacancies in certain judicial circuits as indicated below are to be filled by election for the balance of the respective unexpired terms. The candidates elected will assume their office immediately upon the certification of their election in June 2012.
- 3. Terms of Assembly members in certain judicial circuits as indicated below, who serve by virtue of interim appointment by the Representative Assembly to fill seats for which there were no candidates for election in 2011, expire immediately upon certification of the election of their successors in June 2012 for the balance of the respective unexpired terms.

Following are the judicial circuits in which elections are to be held, the number of seats to be filled, and the names of incumbents.

NOTE:

*Cannot run for re-election, having served two consecutive three-year terms.

+Assembly interim appointee eligible to run for election.

The Annual Meeting of the Representative Assembly is held in the month of September.

1st Circuit—Hillsdale

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. Barry Franklin Poulson, Hillsdale

2nd Circuit—Berrien County

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. Donna B. Howard, St. Joseph

3rd Circuit—Wayne County

Elect 6 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. Elect 4 for the balance of a two-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2014. Elect 1 for the balance of a

one-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2013.

- *Matthew R. Abel, Detroit
- *William M. DeBiasi, Dearborn Fred K. Herrmann, Detroit John P. Mayer, Wyandotte Patrick M. McLain, Detroit Eric S. Rosenthal, Detroit 5 Vacancies

4th Circuit—Jackson County

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015.

*Susan G. Murphy, Jackson

5th Circuit—Barry County

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. David E. Gilbert, Hastings

6th Circuit—Oakland County

Elect 8 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. Elect 2 for the balance of a two-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2014. Elect 2 for the balance of a one-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2013.

Michael J. Blau, Farmington Hills *Gordon S. Gold, Southfield Kenneth B. Morgan, Birmingham Daniel D. Quick, Troy Lauren A. Rousseau, Auburn Hills Elizabeth A. Sadowski, Rochester Matthew B. Woodworth, Royal Oak 5 Vacancies

7th Circuit—Genesee County

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. Richard Morley Barron, Flushing

9th Circuit—Kalamazoo County

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. Elect 1 for the balance of a two-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting

Pamela Chapman Enslen, Kalamazoo 1 Vacancy

12th Circuit—Keweenaw, Baraga, and Houghton Counties

Elect 1 for the balance of a one-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2013.

1 Vacancy

14th Circuit—Muskegon County

Elect 2 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015.

+David B. Kortering, Muskegon Michael G. Walsh, Muskegon

15th Circuit—Branch County

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015.

*J. Richard Colbeck, Coldwater

16th Circuit—Macomb County

Elect 2 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. Elect 1 for the balance of a two-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2014.

Nathan J. Edmonds, Mt. Clemens Peter W. Peacock, Mt. Clemens 1 Vacancy

17th Circuit—Kent County

Elect 3 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015.

Kevin Michael Lesperance, Grand Rapids Matthew P. Smith, Grand Rapids

*1 Vacancy

(*Kathleen M. Allen is an incumbent, but as clerk, she becomes vice chair for 2012–2013. Under the applicable rules, her tenure is extended without election so she can serve as vice chair. The authorized number of circuit members is increased by one. The seat allocated to Circuit 17 is filled by election.)

19th Circuit—Manistee and Benzie Counties

Elect 1 for the balance of a two-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2014.

1 Vacancy

20th Circuit—Ottawa County

Elect 1 for the balance of a two-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2014.

1 Vacancy

22nd Circuit—Washtenaw County

Elect 1 for the balance of a two-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2014. Elect 1 for the balance of a one-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2013.

2 Vacancies

23rd Circuit—losco, Oscoda, Arenac, and Alcona Counties

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. *Duane L. Hadley, Standish

24th Circuit—Sanilac County

Elect 1 for the balance of a two-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2014.

1 Vacancy

26th Circuit—Alpena and Montmorency Counties

Elect 1 for the balance of a two-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2014.

1 Vacancy

27th Circuit—Newaygo and Oceana Counties

Elect 1 for the balance of a two-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2014.

1 Vacancy

29th Circuit—Clinton and Gratiot Counties

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. Elect 1 for the balance of a one-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2013.

Rhonda M. Clark-Kreuer, St. Louis +Pamela Sue Munderloh, St. Louis

30th Circuit—Ingham County

Elect 3 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. Michael J. Marutiak, Lansing Joshua Sean Smith, Lansing 1 Vacancy

32nd Circuit—Gogebic and Ontonagon Counties

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. Rudolph F. Perhalla, Ironwood

33rd Circuit—Charlevoix County

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. John A. Jarema, Charlevoix

34th Circuit—Roscommon and Ogemaw Counties

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. Dawn M. LaCasse, Prudenville

35th Circuit—Shiawassee County

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. Susan L. Thorman, Corunna

36th Circuit—Van Buren County

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. *Lynda M. Pioch, Paw Paw

38th Circuit—Monroe County

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015.
*Christian J. Horkey, Monroe

44th Circuit—Livingston County

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015.

Dennis L. Brewer, Brighton

47th Circuit—Delta County

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. Anne B. McNamara, Escanaba

52nd Circuit—Huron County

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. Tami Woodworth Salens, Bad Axe

53rd Circuit—Cheboygan and Presque Isle Counties

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. Michael J. Ekdahl, Cheboygan

54th Circuit—Tuscola County

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. +John Bishop, Vassar

55th Circuit—Gladwin and Clare Counties

Elect 1 for a three-year term expiring at the close of the Annual Meeting in 2015. Hon. Roy G. Mienk, Gladwin

Board of Commissioners

Active members in certain commissioner election districts will elect members of the Board of Commissioners for their districts as follows:

The terms of the following commissioners of the State Bar will expire at the close of the 2012 Annual Meeting of the State Bar. The seats are to be filled by election in June

2012 for terms of three years, commencing at the close of the 2012 Annual Meeting.

Following are the districts in which elections are to be held, the number of seats to be filled, and the names of the incumbents.

District D—Judicial Circuits 16 and 31

One seat—One Incumbent Thomas C. Rombach, New Baltimore

District E—Judicial Circuits 5, 8, 29, 30, 35, 44, and 56

One seat—One Incumbent Lawrence Patrick Nolan, Eaton Rapids

District G—Judicial Circuits 4 and 22

One seat—One Incumbent Lori A. Buiteweg, Ann Arbor

District H—Judicial Circuits 3, 38, and 39

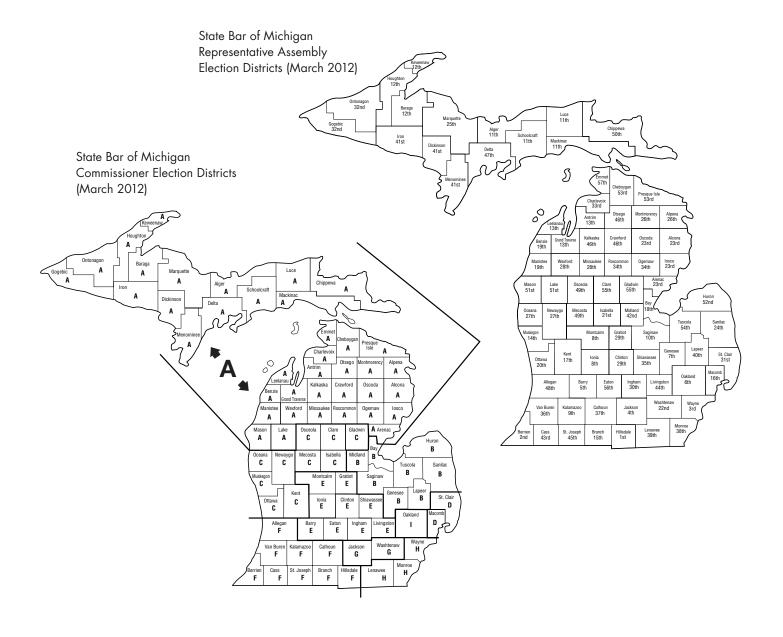
One seat—One Incumbent Michael J. Riordan, Detroit

District I—Judicial Circuit 6

Two seats—One Incumbent. One Vacancy Donald E. McGinnis Jr., Troy One seat—Vacancy

Commissioners are nominated from among the active members of the State Bar having their principal offices within the commissioner election district. Any active member may circulate petitions for a candidate for district commissioner in his or her district. Five valid signatures of members entitled to vote in that district are required to nominate.

No member may sign nominating petitions for more district commissioner candidates than there are seats to be filled in the district. All signatures in violation of this rule will be deemed invalid. It is suggested to persons circulating petitions that at least seven signatures be obtained to ensure that at least five valid signatures remain should any be ruled invalid or found illegible and therefore unverifiable.



YOUNG LAWYERS SECTION

The members of the Young Lawyers Section will elect members of the Executive Council for their districts as follows:

The terms of 9 Executive Council members expire at the close of the 2012 Annual Meeting of the State Bar. These seats are to be filled by election in June 2012 for terms of two years.

Following are the districts in which elections are to be held, the number of seats to be filled, and the names of the incumbents.

District 1—Wayne and Macomb Counties

Two seats—Two Incumbents Andrea Irons, Clinton Township Mwanaisha Atieno Sims, Detroit

District 2—Oakland County

Three seats—Two Incumbents, One Vacancy Derek Glen Russaw, Troy Marisa Erin Wiener, Birmingham Vacancy

District 3—All Michigan Counties except Wayne, Oakland, and Macomb

Four seats—Four Incumbents Erika Anderson Hayes, St. Johns Shenique A. Moss, Lansing Alexandra Nassar, Flint Bonnie R. Shaw, Ann Arbor

Executive Council members shall be elected from the active membership of the Young Lawyers Section in the three districts

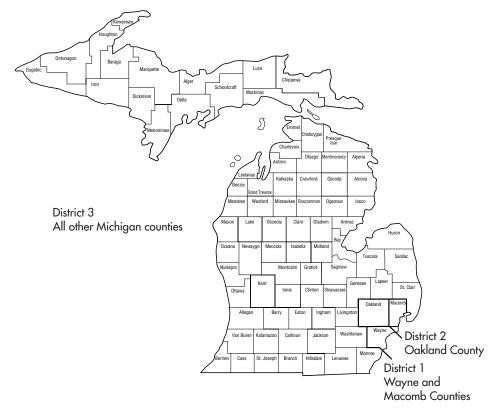
by the active members having their address of record on file with the State Bar therein. Any active member may circulate petitions for a candidate for Council member in his or her district. Five valid signatures of members entitled to vote for the nominee are required to nominate.

No member may sign nominating petitions for more Executive Council candidates than there are seats to be filled in the district. No member may sign nominating petitions for candidates outside of their district. All signatures in violation of these rules will be deemed invalid. It is suggested to persons circulating petitions that at least seven signatures be obtained to ensure that at least five valid signatures remain should any be ruled invalid or found illegible and therefore unverifiable.

The nominating petitions on the following pages may be removed from the Bar Journal or downloaded from the web at http://www.michbar.org/journal/, or a petition in substantially the same form may be used. Petitions must be filed no earlier than April 1, 2012, nor later than April 30, 2012, with the Secretary of the State Bar, Michael Franck Building, 306 Townsend Street, Lansing, Michigan 48933-2012.

Please note: The candidate named on each nominating petition form must consent to the nomination by signature on each form.

Candidates are requested to submit, along with their nominating petitions, a statement of biographical information, to be published and distributed to voting members along with their ballots. Statements must be written in the third person, typed doublespaced on letter-size paper, contain no more than 200 words, and must not contain statements other than biographical information. The State Bar reserves the right to edit materials that do not conform to these requirements. Because the time for preparation is limited, this information must be received by April 30. The State Bar cannot guarantee that information received after that date will be distributed to voting members.



STATE BAR OF MICHIGAN NOMINATING PETITION FOR

Executive Council Member, Young Lawyers Section

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We, the und	lersigned active members of the	State Bar of Michigan, having our address	ss of record with the St	ate Bar within the above district,
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STATE BAR OF MICHIGAN NOMINATING PETITION FOR

Judicial Member, Judicial Tenure Commission

We, the undersigned active members of the State Bar of Michigan, having our principal offices for the practice of law as indicated below, hereby

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STATE BAR OF MICHIGAN NOMINATING PETITION FOR

Member, Representative Assembly

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STATE BAR OF MICHIGAN NOMINATING PETITION FOR

Member, Board of Commissioners

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