



To: **Active Members, 3rd Judicial District**

From: Deborah O'Regan, Executive Director

Date: October 28, 2019

Subject: **Nominations for a Seat on the Alaska Judicial Council**

The Board of Governors of the Alaska Bar Association is soliciting nominations for the seat on the Alaska Judicial Council currently held by James Torgerson. This is for a six year term ending February 2026.

Any active member of the Alaska Bar who resides in the 3rd Judicial District is eligible to fill this vacancy, which is one of Council's three attorney positions. Council members serve staggered six year terms. The Board of Governors makes the appointment after conducting an advisory poll. Polling will occur only in the 3rd Judicial District.

The description of the attorney member Council position prepared by the Alaska Judicial Council is posted on the [Judicial Council's website](#). It outlines the duties and responsibilities of Council members, and is provided as information to prospective attorney candidates.

PLEASE NOTE: Attorneys receiving a salary from the State of Alaska or from the U.S. Government are ineligible for appointment (Alaska Constitution, Article 4, Section 8). The person appointed to the Council is subject to the disclosure requirements of AS 39.50, the Conflict of Interest Law. An attorney may not serve on the Council and the Commission on Judicial Conduct simultaneously.

If you wish to be nominated to the Judicial Council, subject to an advisory poll and selection by the Board of Governors:

1. complete the nominating petition found on the Bar's website;
2. submit a resume or a letter with a statement of your background, which will be posted on the Bar's website.

Deadline: November 15, 2019

NOMINATING PETITION -- ALASKA BAR ASSOCIATION
ALASKA JUDICIAL COUNCIL

We, the undersigned, nominate _____
(please print)

to serve on the Alaska Judicial Council, from the _____ Judicial District.
We reside in the same judicial district as the nominee.

(Signature of Nominator)

(Print Name Here)

(Signature of Nominator)

(Print Name Here)

(Signature of Nominator)

(Print Name Here)

I consent to the nomination and am aware of the need to file a Conflict of Interest Statement with the Alaska Public Office Commission if appointed by the Board.

Candidates should submit a letter or statement of candidacy that will be posted on the Bar's website. The statement must be received by November 15, 2019

(Signature of Nominee)

(Print Name Here)

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Anchorage, AK 99501

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Faxed and emailed petitions will be accepted, but must be followed up with an original.

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