

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

IN RE: APPOINTMENT OF A MERIT )  
SELECTION PANEL TO CONSIDER THE ) General Order No. 22-16  
APPOINTMENT OF A FULL-TIME UNITED )  
STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE FOR )  
THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA )

The Judicial Conference of the United States has authorized this Court to seek applicants for the position of United States Magistrate Judge. This position will be vacant due to the upcoming retirement of United States Magistrate Judge Kimberly E. West. The District Judges of this Court, by unanimous vote, have appointed a Merit Selection Panel to consider applicants for the position and make recommendations to the Court.


IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that a Merit Selection Panel is established for the purpose of reviewing applicants and making recommendations to this Court regarding the applicants who are best qualified to fill the position.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Merit Selection Panel shall consist of:

Mr. Steven A. Broussard - Attorney (Chairperson)  
Ms. Jennifer Annis - Attorney  
Dr. Marlon Joseph Coleman - Community Member/Non-Attorney  
Ms. Kathy Hewitt - Community Member/Non-Attorney  
Mr. Kris Ledford - Attorney  
Mr. John Rule - Attorney  
Mr. T. Lane Wilson - Attorney  
Mr. Alex Wilson - Attorney

The panel's appointment shall be effective upon the filing of this Order. Each member of the panel has received written notice of the restriction set forth in the Guide to Judiciary Policy, Volume 3, § 420.20(d).

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 13th day of October 2022.

  
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Ronald A. White  
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE