

District Court Judicial Appointment Interview Process – Northeast District Court Position #4

November 5 through 7, 2019

Interview Agenda

- 1) Two minute opening statement
- 2) Questions by Councilmembers
 - a. What do you see as the top crucial challenge currently facing district court and how do you think it ought to be addressed?
 - b. If an attorney clearly displays bias in the courtroom—such as calling a female witness by her first name and her male counterpart by his surname—what, if anything, should a judge do?
 - c. How do you approach judicial matters you are unfamiliar with? What resources do you seek out?
 - d. Please describe your efforts to implement equity and social justice practices in the criminal justice system.
- 3) Questions from Candidate and Closing Remarks

COW Subcommittee Councilmembers

- Joe McDermott
- Rod Dembowski
- Kathy Lambert

Interview Schedule

Rania Rampersad	Tuesday, November 5 at 4:00 pm
Joshua Schaer	Tuesday, November 5 at 4:30 pm
Kevin Peck	Wednesday, November 6 at 1:30 pm
Jessica Giner	Wednesday, November 6 at 2:00 pm
Mychal Schwartz	Wednesday, November 6 at 2:30 pm
George Bianchi	Thursday, November 7 at 8:30 am

**Decision conversation to follow Bianchi interview*