

February 26, 2016

Judge Joe Hardy, Jr.  
C/o Committee to Elect Joe Hardy Jr.

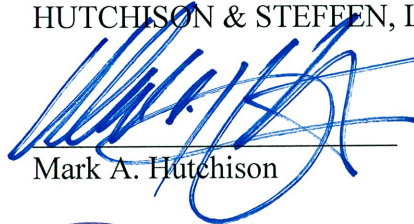
**Re: Joe Hardy Jr. for Judge**

Dear Judge Hardy -

It is our pleasure as a Firm to endorse you again in your election campaign. The partners met and decided, unanimously, to support your decision to run for the bench. We know it is a challenge to perform your judicial duties while also running for the bench, so we wish you the best in balancing those responsibilities. From all of us, thank you for your civil service to our community.

Sincere regards,

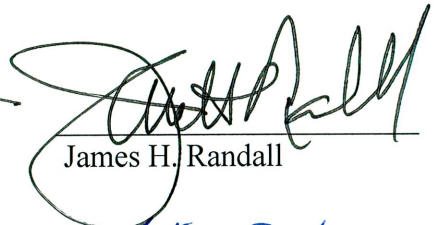
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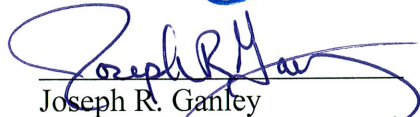
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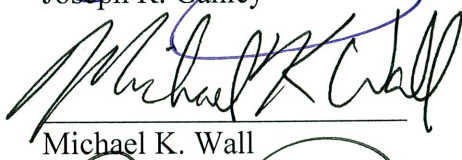
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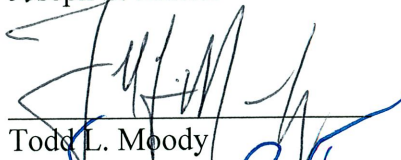
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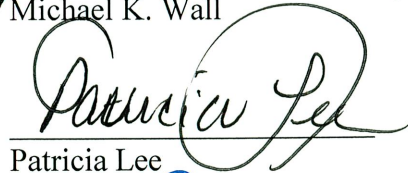
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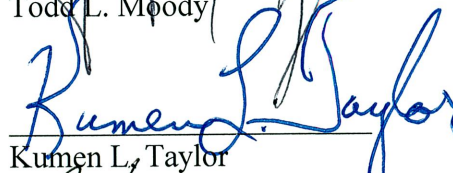
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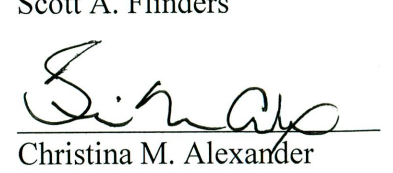
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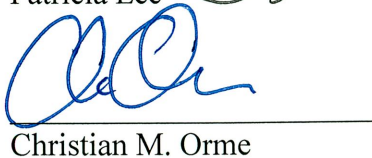
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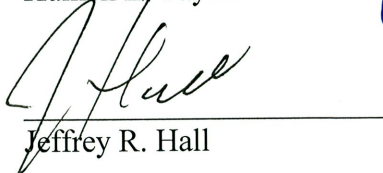
Kumen L. Taylor



Christina M. Alexander



Christian M. Orme



Jeffrey R. Hall