

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
ROANOKE DIVISION

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AT ROANOKE, VA
FILED

April 22, 2021

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IN THE MATTER OF:

THE APPOINTMENT OF AN ADVISORY PANEL
OF CITIZENS TO ASSIST THE COURT IN ITS
DETERMINATION AS TO THE REAPPOINTMENT
OF A MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Standing Order No. 2021-9

The current term of office of United States Magistrate Pamela Meade Sargent at Abingdon is due to expire on December 14, 2021. The United States District Court, in accordance with the Federal Magistrates Act and the regulations of the Judicial Conference, is required by law to establish a panel of citizens to consider the reappointment of the magistrate judge to a new eight year term.

The court hereby appoints the following advisory panel of citizens to assist the judges in their determination as to the reappointment of Judge Sargent:

Thomas R. Scott, Esq. – Attorney, Grundy (Chairman)

Zachary Lee, Esq. – Assistant U.S. Attorney, Abingdon

Donald Pender, Esq. - Assistant Federal Public Defender, Charlottesville

Cameron S. Bell, Esq. – Attorney, Abingdon

Charles L. Bledsoe, Esq. – Attorney, Big Stone Gap

Gregory M. Stewart, Esq. – Attorney, Norton

Dennis Jones, Esq. – Attorney, Abingdon

Donna Fowlkes – Educator, Retired, Bristol

Dr. Teresa Keller - Professor, Emory & Henry College, Emory

Chairman of the panel shall be Thomas R. Scott, Esq., who shall perform such duties as the court may assign:

ENTER this 22nd day of April, 2021



Michael F. Urbanski
Chief U.S. District Judge
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Chief United States District Judge