NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO SUBMIT APPLICATIONS FOR THE

POSITION OF DISTRICT JUDGE OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that the Judicial Council is now accepting applications for the position of District Judge of the Second Judicial District residing and chambered in Latah County. The Idaho Judicial Council is starting the process of selecting nominees to fill the vacancy created by the retirement of the Honorable John C. Judge, effective January 17, 2025. The salary of a district judge is \$155,508.00. (Comprehensive information about the benefits afforded district judges is available by clicking <u>here</u>.) The judge shall hear cases in Latah County as well as when necessary in other counties within the Second Judicial District to which he or she may be assigned.

Under Idaho Code § 34-616 (5), to be appointed to the office of district judge, a person must, at the time of appointment meet all the following qualifications:

- (a) Be at least thirty (30) years of age;
- (b) Be a citizen of the United States and an elector in the state of Idaho;
- (c) Have been a legal resident of the state of Idaho for at least two (2) continuous years immediately preceding such appointment;
- (d) Have been in good standing as an active or judicial member of the Idaho state bar for at least two (2) continuous years immediately preceding such appointment; and
- (e) Have held a license to practice law or held a judicial office in one (1) or more jurisdictions for at least ten (10) continuous years immediately preceding such appointment.

In addition, as described in Idaho Code 1-809, district judges shall actually reside at the place designated as resident chambers.

available Judicial Council website Application forms are on the at www.judicialcouncil.idaho.gov. You must use the revised 1/15/2024 application form. COMPLETED APPLICATIONS MUST BE <u>RECEIVED</u> IN THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL OFFICE NO LATER THAN 3:00 P.M., DECEMBER 3, 2024. Applications should be submitted to:

> Idaho Judicial Council P.O. Box 1397 Boise, Idaho 83701 Telephone: (208) 334-5213

For hand delivery or via Federal Express please contact the Judicial Council Office at the phone number above for directions.

Immediately following receipt of the applications, the Judicial Council will circulate a questionnaire to the Bar via e-mail and to the general public concerning the qualifications of the applicants and will notify each applicant of the time and date for personal interviews. The Council is currently planning to meet on January 30, 2025, in Moscow, Idaho for interviews and selection of the nominees.

NOTICE OF JUDICIAL RECRUITMENT WORKSHOP

A Judicial Recruitment Workshop will be held **Wednesday**, **November 20, 2024 from 12:00 Noon – 1:00 p.m. PST** via Zoom. This workshop will provide information to attorneys about what it is like to be on the bench, the selection process, the opportunities available, and benefits of judicial service. If you are interested in attending, please RSVP to <u>IDCourts@idcourts.net</u> and you will be e-mailed a link to the workshop.