



# *Denver County Court*

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## **DENVER COUNTY COURT JUDICIAL NOMINATION COMMISSION ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS**

DENVER -- The Denver County Court Judicial Nomination Commission is accepting applications from qualified attorneys to fill one vacancy for the Denver County Court Bench. The Commission will meet via videoconference on January 18<sup>th</sup> and/or 19<sup>th</sup>, 2021 to interview and select nominees for appointment by Mayor Michael Hancock.

The vacancy will be created by the retirement of the Honorable Gary M. Jackson. Gary M. Jackson's retirement will be effective the end of business day December 30th, 2020.

Judge Jackson has served on the Denver County Court since January 2013. The Court appreciates his dedicated public service.

Applicants for the position must be qualified electors of the City and County of Denver at the time of application, be licensed as an attorney at law in the State of Colorado and have a minimum of five years' experience as a licensed practicing attorney. Each appointment will be for a provisional term of two years with retention for a regular four-year term determined at the first November General Election after the provisional term.

The original and eight (8) copies of the completed application must be filed with the Denver County Court Presiding Judge's office no later than **Friday, December 18th, 2020 by 4:00 p.m.** Room 108 will be open for drop-off of applications from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM daily. Late applications will not be considered. Applications will be kept confidential except that the Nomination Commission shall publicly disclose the names of those nominees submitted to the Mayor and the nominees' full applications will be forwarded to the Mayor. Persons interested in obtaining additional information or an application may contact the Presiding Judge's Office, 1437 Bannock St. Room 108 or call 720-865-7870.

The application will also be available online at [www.denvercountycourt.org](http://www.denvercountycourt.org).

NOTE: The application form has been modified by approval of the Commission.

**Members of the Judicial Nomination Commission:**

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