

**THE NINETEENTH CIRCUIT JUDICIAL NOMINATING COMMISSION
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The Judicial Nominating Commission for the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit interviewed eight applicants to fill the vacancy due to the resignation of Circuit Judge Brett Waronicki. Following deliberations and thoughtful consideration of each applicant, the Commission nominates the following individuals (without any preference) to Governor Ron DeSantis to replace Circuit Judge Brett Waronicki:

1. Robert Stone, Jr.
2. Jeffrey P. Battista
3. Kate Bradford
4. Steven R. Wilson
5. Jonathan Libby
6. Katherine Mish

The Commission sincerely thanks the members, the bench, bar, and public who took time to provide feedback about the applicants.

Respectfully submitted,
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