



# News Release

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### **13th Judicial District Court judge finalists selected**

#### ***Governor to appoint new district court judge***

The 13th Judicial District Nominating Commission has nominated three candidates for a district court judgeship created pursuant to SB25-024, effective July 1, 2026.

Nominees Matthew Wayne Eugene Bradley of Fort Morgan, Katherine Grier of Parker, and Julia Jane Jensen of Sterling were selected by the commission on May 22, 2026.

Under the Colorado Constitution, the governor has 15 days from today, within which to appoint one of the nominees as district court judge for the 13th Judicial District (Kit Carson, Logan, Morgan, Phillips, Sedgwick, Washington, and Yuma counties).

Comments regarding any of the nominees may be sent via e-mail to the governor at [gov\\_judicialappointments@state.co.us](mailto:gov_judicialappointments@state.co.us)

**Editor's Note:** Contact information for the three nominees:

- Matthew Wayne Eugene Bradley. 400 Warner Street, Fort Morgan, CO 80701. 970-522-6565.
- Katherine Grier. 4000 Judicial Way, Castle Rock, CO 80109. 720-437-6273.

- Julia Jane Jensen. 124 North 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Sterling, CO 80751. 970-522-5032 ext. 1982.

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