

COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: October 21, 2025

ITEM TITLE, PRESENTER: Judicial Nominating Commission for San Juan County

RECOMMENDATION: Decide who you would like on the Commission

SUMMARY

Part of the process to replace Judge Hazleton at the end of the year includes a Nominating Commission who will review the applications for replacement from the State and make a recommendation to the County Commission at a later date.

The County needs two people who can review the applications and meet in the next few weeks for a half-day meeting. Currently, we have Craig Halls representing the Bar Representative, Rebecca Benally who is serving as the Mayor's appointment for Blanding, Mayor Hedglin and Kaeden representing Monticello City.

These two representatives cannot be related to someone who is applying but must have a good understanding about what it takes to be a good judge.