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The North Carolina Association of Women Attorneys Judicial Endorsements Committee announced its 2022 judicial candidate endorsements today. The Committee makes non-partisan endorsements in judicial races only. The Committee endorses a candidate for judicial office based on his or her legal skills and ability, professional competence, legal experience, temperament, and demeanor as befits a judicial position. Other factors considered include the candidate's demonstrated support for the participation of women in the legal profession and for the rights of women under the law.

"We have carefully researched the judicial candidates we have endorsed, and we are confident each of them will make excellent judges;" said Rachel Blunk, a Greensboro attorney who is the Committee's chair. The Judicial Endorsements Committee endorses the following judicial candidates for the upcoming general election.

Please note that any judicial candidates who are running unopposed, without the possibility of an opponent, were not considered for endorsement by the NCAWA JEC this election cycle.

NORTH CAROLINA SUPREME COURT

Associate Justice, Seat 03 Court of Appeals Judge Lucy Inman

Associate Justice, Seat 05 Associate Justice Sam J. Ervin. IV

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NORTH CAROLINA COURT OF APPEALS

Seat 08 Judge Carolyn Thompson (Former District and

Superior Court)

Seat 09 Court of Appeals Judge Donna Stroud

Seat 10 Superior Court Judge Gale Adams

Seat 11 Court of Appeals Judge Darren Jackson

NORTH CAROLINA SUPERIOR COURT

District 1, Seat 01 Superior Court Judge Eula Reid

District 12C, Seat 02 Superior Court Judge Mark Sternlicht

District 26B, Seat 01 Superior Court Judge Kimberly Best

District 27A, Seat 02 Superior Court Judge Jesse Caldwell

District 26A, Seat 01 District Court Judge Donald Cureton

NORTH CAROLINA DISTRICT COURT

District 10F, Seat 01 District Court Judge Jennifer Bedford

District 12, Seat 06 Mr. Jonathan Strange

District 13, Seat 02 District Court Judge Quintin McGee

District 26, Seat 14 Ms. Alyssa Levine