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## **17<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Court judge finalists selected** *Governor to appoint three new district court judges*

The Seventeenth Judicial District Nominating Commission has nominated eight candidates for three District Court judgeships. The vacancies will be created by the retirements of the Hon. F. Michael Goodbee, effective July 1, 2019, and the Hon. Patrick T. Murphy, effective July 16, 2019; and the appointment of the Hon. Jaclyn Brown to the Colorado Court of Appeals, effective June 2, 2019.

Nominees David Blackett of Denver; Leroy Kirby of Brighton; Rayna McIntyre of Aurora; Patrick Pugh and Bradley Varmo, both of Thornton; and Kyle Seedorf, Jeffrey Smith and Teri Vasquez, all of Broomfield, were selected by the commission on May 15, 2019.

Under the Colorado Constitution, the governor has 15 days from May 16, 2019, within which to appoint three of the nominees as District Court judges for the Seventeenth Judicial District (Adams and Broomfield 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)

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