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**4TH CIRCUIT JUDICIAL NOMINATING COMMISSION  
ANNOUNCES CERTIFIED LIST OF NOMINEES FOR DUVAL COUNTY COURT VACANCY**

Earlier today, the Judicial Nominating Commission for the Fourth Judicial Circuit interviewed fifteen (15) applicants to fill the vacancy on the Duval County Court Bench created by the appointment of The Honorable Meredith Charbula. Following deliberations and thoughtful consideration of each applicant, the Commission nominates the following individuals (in alphabetical order and without any preference) to Governor Ron DeSantis to replace Judge Charbula:

1. Michael T. Fackler
2. Rhonda D. Peoples-Waters
3. W. Bradley Russell, Jr.
4. R. Anthony Salem
5. Julie K. Taylor
6. David G. Tucker

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