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**FOURTH CIRCUIT JUDICIAL NOMINATING COMMISSION ANNOUNCES
CERTIFIED LIST OF NOMINEES FOR FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT VACANCY**

Earlier today, the Judicial Nominating Commission for the Fourth Judicial Circuit interviewed thirteen applicants to fill the vacancy on the Fourth Judicial Circuit Court Bench created by the elevation of the Honorable Adrian Soud to the Fifth District Court of Appeal. 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 Soud:

1. Galen Bauer
2. Brooke Brady
3. Matthew Lufrano
4. Jonathan Sacks

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