## **MEMORANDUM**

SUBJECT: Public Defender Vacancy
TO: Members of the Local Bar

FROM: William C. Hudson, Resident Circuit Judge

DATE: October 26, 2023

## Dear Members of the Local Bar:

There is an immediate vacancy in the position of Public Defender for Wabash County. If you are interested, please submit a résumé and cover letter. Submitted résumés and cover letters will be reviewed immediately, and will continue until a hire is made.

<u>Salary</u>: Current starting salary for the Public Defender will be approximately \$148,488.48, which will be fixed at 90% (ninety-percent) of the Wabash County State's Attorney's salary. The Public Defender will be provided health insurance benefits, as well as contributions to IMRF.

<u>Hours</u>: Regular work hours will be Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. with court typically on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays. The Public Defender will not be required to work on Wabash County court holidays.

<u>Duties</u>: The Public Defender will be a full time position in accordance with 55 ILCS 5/3-4006 and will not be allowed to maintain a private practice.

<u>Licensure</u>: The Public Defender must be authorized to practice law in the State of Illinois.

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