

ILLINOIS STATE BAR ASSOCIATION
2018 ELECTION
Notice of ISBA Election

Office of Third Vice-President

6 – Seats on the Board of Governors

22 – Seats on the Assembly (Cook County)

There follows a listing of the offices in the Illinois State Bar Association to be filled by the 2018 annual election. Those elected to the Board of Governors and Assembly take office at the opening of the Annual Meeting on June 14, 2018 and the third vice-president takes office at the close of the Annual Meeting on June 16, 2018.

Third Vice-President - 1 to be elected
no incumbent¹

Board of Governors, 3 year term

Cook – 1 to be elected

Incumbent:

Jessica A. O'Brien – Chicago²

Area 1 (Circuit 18) – 1 to be elected

Incumbent:

Kent A. Gaertner

Area 3 (Circuits 12, 13 16, 21 and 23) – 1 to be elected

Incumbent:

Rory T. Weiler

Area 4 (Circuits 10, 14 and 15) – 1 to be elected

Incumbent:

Sonni C. Williams²

Area 6 (Circuits 7, 8 and 9) – 1 to be elected

Incumbent:

Charles Y. Davis²

Area 8 (Circuits 3 and 20) – 1 to be elected

Incumbent:

Perry Browder

¹ Under the bylaws the third vice-president automatically succeeds to the office of second vice-president; therefore, there is no incumbent for this office.

² Ineligible to succeed due to term limitations.

Assembly, 3 year Term

Cook County –22 to be elected

Incumbents:

Sandra M. Blake, Oak Park³
Dawn E. Bode, Glenview
Kellyn Doyle Coakley, Chicago
Bradley M. Cosgrove, Chicago
Brion Doherty, Chicago
Gregg A. Garofalo, Chicago
Mauro Glorioso, Westchester
Jennifer A. Haase, Chicago³
Kenya A. Jenkins-Wright, Chicago
Sarah King, Chicago
Justin L. Leinenweber, Chicago³

Ellis B. Levin, Chicago
Lori G. Levin, Chicago³
Lisa A. Marino, Chicago
Timothy Moran, Chicago
Eileen M. O'Connor, Chicago
Margaret A. O'Sullivan, Chicago³
Angela Peters, Arlington Heights
Arlette G. Porter, Chicago
Evan Schanerberger
Martin D. Snyder, Chicago
Rebekah L. Williams, Chicago

Nomination

Members who wish to be candidates for office must reside in the proper geographic jurisdiction, must meet other requirements for a particular office, and must be in good standing with the ISBA at the close of the nominating period.

Voting Address: Bylaws Sec. 1.11 reads: For purposes of voting and candidacy for ISBA elected office, a member's voting address shall be their primary legal office as designated by the member. If a member's primary legal office is not within the State of Illinois, such member may designate their Illinois residence as their voting address; if no Illinois voting address is designated, the member shall be considered a nonresident member.

Nominating petitions must be in writing and in the substantial form set forth in Para. 3.2. of the ISBA Policy and Procedures on Association Elections. Nominating petitions are available on the ISBA website under "About>Leadership" or directly at www.isba.org/elections.

Nominating petitions may be filed no earlier than Tuesday, January 2, 2018 and must be filed by 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, January 31, 2018 at either the Illinois Bar Center, 424 South Second Street, Springfield or the ISBA Chicago Office at 20 S. Clark Street, 9th Floor, Chicago. Petitions must be physically submitted with original signatures. Petitions submitted via email or fax will not be accepted. (*Para. 3.4., ISBA Policy and Procedures on Association Elections.*)

The ISBA Bylaws and Policy and Procedures on Association Elections, additional pertinent information and petition forms for each category of candidacy may be found on the ISBA website under "About>Leadership" or directly at www.isba.org/elections.

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Voting

All members of the Association in good standing (except non-lawyer members) are eligible to vote for the office of third vice-president.

Eligible members residing in the areas in which there are contested elections may vote in the appropriate Board of Governors and Assembly race.

The 2018 Election will be conducted by electronic voting. Paper ballots will be utilized in some instances. Full details on the voting process will be provided to the full active membership well in advance of the formal election.

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Robert E. Craghead
Executive Director

By policy, a member's dues must be paid by March 1, 2018 for the period ending June 30, 2018, in order to be eligible to vote in ISBA Elections.