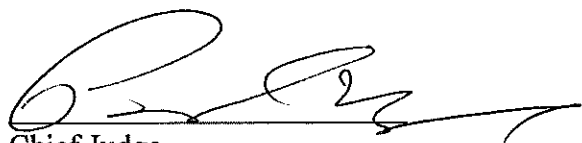


Dated this 8th day of July, 2026.



Chief Judge
3rd Judicial District

STATE OF WISCONSIN

CIRCUIT COURT

26-SO-01(3)A
DISTRICT 3

**AMENDED ORDER REGARDING APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL DUTY JUDGES
FOR ELECTION RELATED MATTERS**

Pursuant to the authority in Supreme Court Rules 70.19, 70.20, 70.21 and 70.32, Chief Judge Paul Bugenhagen Jr. hereby appoints the following judges as Special Duty Judges for the purposes of hearing election related matters for all elections from this day forward throughout 2026:

- Judge J. Arthur Melvin III for Waukesha County
- Judge Robert Dehring for Jefferson County
- Judge Sandra Giernoth for Washington County
- Judge Martin Devries for Dodge County
- Judge Steven Cain for Ozaukee County.

It is further ordered that the above designated judges are hereby authorized to hold special sessions of their respective Circuit Court outside normal working hours in order to conduct such election related matters as are brought to their attention and which they deem appropriate for hearing in extraordinary session. The above designated judges shall further authorize and direct parties and litigants regarding accommodation to operational procedures.