



**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA**

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF REAPPOINTMENT OF INCUMBENT MAGISTRATE JUDGE

The current term of office for United States Magistrate Judge Frank H. McCarthy at Tulsa, Oklahoma, is due to expire on April 9, 2019. The United States District Court is required by law to establish a panel of citizens to consider the reappointment of the magistrate judge to a new eight-year term.

The duties of a magistrate judge in this court include the following: (1) conduct of most preliminary proceedings in criminal cases; (2) trial and disposition of misdemeanor cases; (3) conduct of various pretrial and evidentiary proceedings as delegated by the district judges of this court; (4) disposition of social security proceedings upon consent of the litigants; and (5) trial and disposition of civil cases upon consent of the litigants.

Comments from members of the bar and the public are invited as to whether the incumbent magistrate judge should be recommended by the panel for reappointment by the court and should be directed to:

Merit Selection Panel
c/o US District Court Clerk
Page Belcher Federal Courthouse
333 West 4th Street, Room 411
Tulsa, Oklahoma 74103

Comments must be received by September 30, 2018.