



**CIRCUIT COURT OF ILLINOIS
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT**

CHAMBERS OF
JENNIFER H. BAUKNECHT
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**NOTICE OF VACANCY
LIVINGSTON COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDER**

The 11th Judicial Circuit Judges announce an opening for the position of Livingston County Public Defender. The Public Defender is primarily responsible for handling the felony caseload as well as planning, organizing, and supervising the activities of the office including part-time assistants and contract counsel. Applicants must be licensed to practice law in Illinois, have extensive trial experience, and have demonstrated a reputation for integrity and equal justice under the law. The tentative start date is December 3, 2021. The annual salary is set by statute and anticipated to be approximately \$165,000.00.

Applications are being accepted until November 5, 2021, at 4:00 pm. Candidates must submit a letter of interest, professional resume with complete work history, and names and contact information of several professional references to:

The Honorable Jennifer H. Bauknecht
Resident Circuit Judge
Livingston County Law & Justice Center
110 N. Main Street
Pontiac, IL 61764

Facsimile, email or other electronic transmission methods will not be accepted.

Applicants may be required to appear for an interview. Further information concerning the process will be provided at the close of the application phase. In accordance with statute, this position will be filled by appointment by a majority of the Circuit Judges in the 11th Judicial Circuit.

Dated this 19th day of October, 2021.