

CIRCUIT COURT								Roberta A. Coates		
	Total Number of Respondents	No Opinion	Strongly Disapprove	Somewhat Disapprove	Neither Approve nor Disapprove	Somewhat Approve	Strongly Approve	Average Scores		
								Judge Coates	Circuit Court	
Knowledge of the law.	72	1	15.3%	23.6%	18.1%	20.8%	22.2%	3.11	3.91	
Open-mindedness and impartiality in judicial matters.	73	0	5.5%	15.1%	16.4%	20.5%	42.5%	3.79	3.88	
Attentiveness to arguments of counsel.	73	0	5.5%	4.1%	16.4%	24.7%	49.3%	4.08	4.10	
Courteousness and politeness.	70	0	4.3%	1.4%	7.1%	25.7%	61.4%	4.39	4.29	
How he/she addresses and answers issues squarely posed.	72	1	9.7%	12.5%	25.0%	23.6%	29.2%	3.50	3.98	
Industriousness/promptness in performing judicial duties.	69	4	4.3%	4.3%	10.1%	29.0%	52.2%	4.20	4.14	
Participation in law-related professional activities.	47	26	2.1%	0.0%	17.0%	29.8%	51.1%	4.28	4.06	
His/her integrity and ethics to carry out the duties of the judicial office.	69	4	1.4%	2.9%	10.1%	18.8%	66.7%	4.46	4.34	
Application of rules of evidence and procedures.	73	0	13.7%	24.7%	13.7%	19.2%	28.8%	3.25	3.86	
How well his/her decisions are reasoned and how clearly are they expressed.	71	2	15.5%	22.5%	14.1%	23.9%	23.9%	3.18	3.76	
Preparedness for court proceedings.	73	0	5.5%	11.0%	19.2%	27.4%	37.0%	3.79	4.11	
Do you <i>Favor</i> or <i>Oppose</i> the retention of this judge for another term?	72						<i>Favor</i>	68.1%	81.6%	
							<i>Oppose</i>	31.9%	18.4%	