

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

February 23, 2023

**Administrative Director Declares Two Illinois Associate Judges
Appointed in the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit**

Marcia M. Meis, Director of the Administrative Office of the Illinois Courts, announced today that the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit judges voted to select Scott R. Paccagnini and Amy K. Peterman as associate judges of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit.

Mr. Paccagnini received his undergraduate degree in 1998 from Truman State University in Kirksville, Missouri and his Juris Doctor in 2002 from Chicago-Kent College of Law in Chicago, Illinois. Mr. Paccagnini is currently affiliated with the United States Attorney's Office for the Northern District of Illinois in Rockford, Illinois.

Ms. Peterman received her undergraduate degree in 2003 from The George Washington University in Washington, D.C. and her Juris Doctor in 2009 from Northern Illinois University in DeKalb, Illinois. Ms. Peterman is currently affiliated with the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services in Rockford, Illinois.