



## Supreme Court of Illinois

May 25, 2022

### **ILLINOIS SUPREME COURT APPOINTS MARLOW JONES AS RESIDENT CIRCUIT JUDGE IN TWENTY-FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT**

Justice Robert L. Carter and the Illinois Supreme Court have announced the appointment of Marlow A. Jones as a Resident Circuit Judge of Kankakee County in the Twenty-First Judicial Circuit.

Mr. Jones is being appointed to fill the vacancy created by the retirement of Kankakee County Resident Circuit Judge Adrienne W. Albrecht effective July 5, 2022. The appointment is effective July 6, 2022, and will conclude December 2, 2024.

“I am truly humbled and grateful by this appointment,” Mr. Jones said. “I would like to thank Justice Carter and the members of the Supreme Court for trusting me with the privilege of serving the citizens of Kankakee County and I look forward to working to serve them in this assignment.”

Mr. Jones has served as an Assistant State’s Attorney and Chief of the Criminal Division in the Kankakee County State’s Attorney’s Office since 2016. From 2011 to 2016 he served as Assistant State’s Attorney in the Cook County State’s Attorney’s Office in both the civil and criminal divisions.

Mr. Jones had previously worked at United Airlines for 11 years before earning his *Juris Doctor* at The John Marshall Law School in 2010 and an LLM in Privacy and Technology Law in 2011. Mr. Jones served in the United States Air Force from 1988 to 1995 and served two tours of duty in the Gulf War in Adana, Turkey.

Mr. Jones has mentored at-risk youth for both the Lincoln's Challenge Academy in Rantoul and Circle Urban Ministries in Chicago. He also coaches a team in the ACBA Champions League, a non-competitive baseball league for boys and girls with special abilities and is a board member and volunteer for Camp Shaw-Waw-Nas-See in Manteno.

The 21<sup>st</sup> Judicial Circuit presides over the counties of Iroquois and Kankakee.

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