X...BIND HERE...X **DEMOCRATIC PARTY CANDIDATE PETITION**

We, the undersigned, members of, affiliated with and qualified primary electors of the DEMOCRATIC PARTY, in the Third Judicial District of the State of Illinois, do hereby petition that the following named person shall be a candidate of the DEMOCRATIC PARTY for the nomination for the office hereinafter specified, to be voted for at the general primary election to be held on March 17, 2026:

MARGARET "PEGGY" O'CONNELL

FOR APPELLATE COURT JUDGE

for the Third Judicial District, State of Illinois, to fill the vacancy of the Honorable Judge Mary M. McDade (Full Term). The candidate resides at 4264 Fiona Lane, Lisle, IL 60532.

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| in my presence not more than 90 days persons so signing were at the time of s | , County of, County of, and qualified to vote in Illinois), that I an preceding the last day for the filing of the igning the petition registered voters and qualified division in which the candidate is set | e petition, and are genuine, and that to t qualified primary electors of the Democra | the signatures on this sh he best of my knowledg ratic Party residing in the | eet were signed e and belief the e Third Judicia |
| Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) by the above-named Circulator, before | | (SIGNATURE OF CIRCULATOR) | | |
| me in the County of | , State of Illinois, on this | | | |
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