Judicial General Election Guide 2019

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ELECTION DAY: November 5, 2019



Judge of the Superior Court (Pick two)

| Below are the five questions that were sent | Party | Name | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q5 |
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| to each judicial candidate. Q1. Which of the following U.S. presidents best represents your political philosophy? • John F. Kennedy • Bill Clinton • Ronald Reagan • George W. Bush • George Bush (former) | D | Amanda Green- Hawkins | - | - | - | - | - |
| Q2. Which one of the recent justices of the U.S. Supreme Court most reflects your judicial philosophy? • Roberts • Kennedy • Kagan • Thomas • Breyer • Scalia • Sotomayor • Alito | D | Daniel D. McCaffery | George Washington* | Roberts | 5 | Pennsylvania/Father Jude Ruby, Self-Help Drug & Alcohol Center, Ancient Order of Hibernians, Free & Accepted Masons - Lodge 400, Archdiocese of Philadelphia | Decline to answer* |
| Q3. Rate your judicial philosophy on a scale of 1-10 with "living document" approach being a "1" and "strict construction" or "originalist" being a "10." 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Q4. Please list the five organizations in which you are most involved as a member, through contributions, and/or through volunteering. Q5. Do you believe that <i>Roe v. Wade</i> , 410 U.S. 113 (1973), insofar as | R | Megan McCarthy King | Ronald Reagan | Scalia | 10 | Chester County Child Advocacy Center - Board President, Crime Victim Center of Chester County, Pa., St. Mary's Church - Wayne, Pa., Republican Committee of Chester County, Tredyffrin-Easttown Youth Soccer Association (TEYSA) | Decline to answer* |
| it recognizes a "right to privacy" that includes abortion under the United States Constitution, was correctly or incorrectly decided? (Circle One) • Correctly Decided • Incorrectly Decided • Decline to answer (describe reason) Key: * Candidate comment (available at www.PAFamilyVoter.com) - Candidate did not respond to questionnaire. | R | Christylee Peck | Ronald Reagan | Scalia | 10* | Pensnylvania State Board for Court Appointed Special Advocates for Children, Samuel School, Cumberland/ Perry Domestic Violence Services, YMCA, Goodwill | Decline to answer* |