

# Dutchess County Bar Association



## Press Release

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### BAR ASSOCIATION SCREENS JUDICIAL CANDIDATES

Poughkeepsie, NY - The Dutchess County Bar Association recently screened five judicial candidates to evaluate their qualifications for election to the office they are seeking.

Rachel Saunders, Esq., candidate for Judge of the Family Court, was found to be qualified.  
Hon. Denise Watson, candidate for Judge of the Family Court, was found to be highly qualified.

Thomas Davis, Esq., candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court, was found to be well qualified.

Hon. Christie D'Alessio, candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court, was found to be well qualified.

James Hyer, Esq., candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court, was found to be well qualified.

Please contact the Dutchess County Bar Association at (845) 473-2488 or email [janna@dutchesscountybar.org](mailto:janna@dutchesscountybar.org) with any questions about the screening process.

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