

## JUDICIAL JUSTICE OF THE PEACE: WINNIPEG (3 Positions)

The Justice of the Peace Nominating Committee welcomes the interest of qualified persons wishing to be considered for appointment as a Judicial Justice of the Peace of The Provincial Court of Manitoba in Winnipeg. There are currently three positions available in Winnipeg.

It is the responsibility of the Justice of the Peace Nominating Committee to recommend to the Attorney General a list of not fewer than three and not more than six names of individuals for each vacant position of Judicial Justice of the Peace. If another position of judicial justice of the peace becomes vacant within six months after the nominating committee provides a list of qualified candidates to the minister, that list may be used in making an appointment to fill the new vacancy.

The mandate of the Justice of the Peace Nominating Committee is to assess the experience, knowledge, community awareness and personal suitability of candidates, and to take into account the diversity of Manitoba society (c. 275, *The Provincial Court Act*).

Applicants must be willing to reside in Winnipeg, and be capable of and willing to travel by automobile and small aircraft or any other form of transportation necessary to exercise the duties and responsibilities of a Judicial Justice of the Peace in the province.

Applicants must have extensive knowledge of federal and provincial statutes, regulations and municipal by-laws relevant to matters that are within the jurisdiction of the Provincial Court. Knowledge and comprehension of the jurisdiction and work processes of the Provincial Court is also a requirement.

Applicants must have demonstrated knowledge and understanding of judicial independence and a demonstrated ability to effectively deal with people in a fair, courteous and diplomatic way. Applicants must possess effective communication and listening skills.

Applicants must possess strong analytical skills and the ability to make decisions using sound judgment and in accordance with specific legislation, case law and the general legal principles that apply in each case. A law degree or equivalent experience in the legal system is an asset.

The successful applicant will join a team of Judicial Justices of the Peace, and in that regard must possess proven interpersonal skills.

The successful applicant will be required to work various day and evening shifts, including weekends and statutory holidays and will be required to be available on an 'on call' basis. The successful applicant will be subject to security checks including a criminal records check.

A position description and a Judicial Justice of the Peace Candidate Information Form may be obtained by contacting:

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