

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY

GENERAL ORDER NO. 2019-06

**IN THE MATTER OF THE REAPPOINTMENT
OF UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE LANNY KING
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY**

During the year preceding the expiration of his term, Magistrate Judge Lanny King expressed a willingness to be reappointed as a United States Magistrate Judge. In response, the District Judges of this Court unanimously voted to consider his reappointment, pursuant to the Regulations of the Judicial Conference of the United States Establishing the Standards and Procedures for the Appointment and Reappointment of United States Magistrate Judges. Among the requirements stated therein are the issuing of a public notice for soliciting public comment on the incumbent's performance and the convening of a merit selection panel to assist the Court in reviewing his performance.

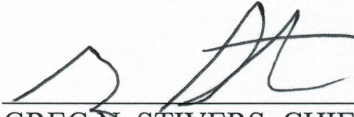
On February 21, 2019, the Court appointed a Merit Selection Panel, chaired by the Honorable Tom Miller of Paducah, Kentucky. The Court provided the requisite public notice through the local newspaper and placement on our internet site. It also sent electronic notice to all lawyers registered with the Court's electronic case filing system, CM/ECF.

After due consideration of public comment and an interview with the incumbent, the Merit Selection Panel recommended reappointment of Magistrate Judge Lanny King. After considering the Merit Selection Panel's recommendation, the District Judges unanimously voted to reappoint him to another eight-year term. Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that United States Magistrate Judge Lanny King is reappointed for a term of eight years, effective November 14, 2019.

The Clerk of Court shall cause a copy of this Order to be sent to the Judicial Services Office of the Administrative Office of the United States Courts along with the duly executed original AO Form 79A.

Date: this 29 day of August, 2019.



GREG N. STIVERS, CHIEF JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

ENTERED

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VANESSA L. ARMSTRONG
BY 
DEPUTY CLERK