

LORAIN COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

2026 ELECTED JUDGES

CHIEF JUSTICE OHIO SUPREME COURT SHARON L. KENNEDY	Elected 2022	Term Expires 12/31/2028 6-year term	Party Rep	
JUSTICE OHIO SUPREME COURT PAT FISCHER	2022	12/31/2028 6-year term	Rep	
JUSTICE OHIO SUPREME COURT PAT DEWINE	2022	1/1/2029 6-year term	Rep	
JUSTICE OHIO SUPREME COURT MEGAN E. SHANAHAN	2024	12/31/2030 6-year term	Rep	
JUSTICE OHIO SUPREME COURT JOSEPH T. DETERS	2024	1/1/2031 6-year term	Rep	
JUSTICE OHIO SUPREME COURT DANIEL R. HAWKINS	2020	12/31/2026 6-year term	Rep	Elected 11/05/2024 Serves Out Term
JUSTICE OHIO SUPREME COURT JENNIFER BRUNNER	2020	1/1/2027 6-year term	Dem	
JUDGE COURT OF APPEALS 9TH DISTRICT SCOT STEVENSON	2022	2/8/2029 6-year term	Rep	
JUDGE COURT OF APPEALS 9TH DISTRICT DONNA J. CARR	2022	2/9/2029 6-year term	Rep	
JUDGE COURT OF APPEALS 9TH DISTRICT JILL FLAGG LANZINGER	2022	2/10/2029 6-year term	Rep	
JUDGE COURT OF APPEALS 9TH DISTRICT JENNIFER HENSAL	2024	2/8/2031 6-year term	Rep	
JUDGE COURT OF APPEALS 9TH DISTRICT BETTY SUTTON	2020	2/8/2027 6-year term	Dem	

JUDGE OF PROBATE COURT				
JAMES T. WALTHER	2020	2/8/2027 6-year term	Dem	
JUDGE OF THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS				
MELISSA KOBASHER	2022	1/2/2029 6-year term	Dem	
D. CHRIS COOK	2024	1/4/2031 6-year term	Dem	
RAYMOND J. EWERS	2024	12/31/2030 6-year term	Dem	
CHRISTOPHER R. ROTHGERY	2022	12/31/2028 6-year term	Dem	
GIOVANNA SCALETTA-BREMKE	2024	1/5/2031 6-year term	Rep	
DONNA FREEMAN	2024	1/1/2031 6-year term	Dem	
FRANK J. JANIK (Dom. Relations Div.)	2024	1/3/2031 6-year term	Dem	
SHERRY GLASS STROHSACK (Dom. Relations Div.)	2022	1/1/2029 6-year term	Dem	
LISA I. SWENSKI (Dom. Relations Div.)	2024	1/2/2031 6-year term	Dem	
JUDGE OF AVON LAKE MUNICIPAL COURT				
ALLISON L. MANNING	2023	12/31/2029 6-year term	Rep	
JUDGE OF ELYRIA MUNICIPAL COURT				
GARY C. BENNETT	2021	12/31/2027 6-year term	Rep	
JUDGE OF ELYRIA MUNICIPAL COURT				
ROBERT C. WHITE	2021	1/1/2028 6-year term	Rep	

CLERK of ELYRIA MUNICIPAL COURT ERIK A. BREUNIG	2023	12/31/2029 6-year term	Dem	Appt 12/25 Unexpired Term On Ballot in '27
JUDGE OF LORAIN MUNICIPAL COURT LINDA A. WEBBER	2025	12/31/2031 6-year term	Dem	
JUDGE OF LORAIN MUNICIPAL COURT THOMAS J. ELWELL JR.	2021	12/31/2027 6-year term	Dem	
CLERK of LORAIN MUNICIPAL COURT TED KALO	2025	12/31/2031 6-year term	Dem	
JUDGE OF OBERLIN MUNICIPAL COURT FARAH LILLIAN EMEKA	2025	12/31/2031 6-year term	Dem	
JUDGE OF VERMILION MUNICIPAL COURT KENNETH M. LIEUX	2025	12/31/2031 6-year term		