



RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ROANOKE BAR ASSOCIATION IN SUPPORT OF FILLING JUDICIAL VACANCIES IN THE TWENTY-THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

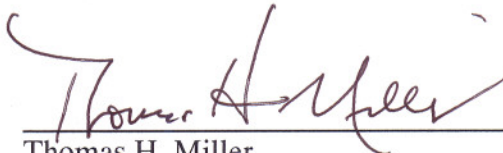
WHEREAS, two of the six Judges of the Twenty-Third Judicial Circuit have announced their plans to retire in the first half of 2013; and

WHEREAS, the Board believes that the loss of two judgeships will have a deleterious effect on the prompt resolution of disputes and the availability of justice for the citizens of the Twenty-Third Circuit;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that it is the unanimous recommendation of the Board of the Roanoke Bar Association that the General Assembly fill at least one of the judicial vacancies as a matter of utmost urgency during its next regular session; and


BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Legislators representing any portion of the Twenty-Third Judicial Circuit

GIVEN under the hands of the President and Secretary of the Roanoke Bar Association and the seal of the Association this 20th day of December, 2012.



Thomas H. Miller
President, Roanoke Bar Association

TESTE:



Richard C. Maxwell
Secretary, Roanoke Bar Association