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**CIVIL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK  
ADVISORY COUNCIL TO THE HOUSING PART  
SEEKS APPLICANTS FOR HOUSING COURT JUDGESHIPS**

Hon. Marcia Sikowitz (Ret.), Chairperson of the Advisory Council for the Housing Part of the Civil Court of the City of New York, today announced that the Advisory Council has begun the process of soliciting applications for Housing Court Judge positions.

In order to encourage interest in applying and to provide sufficient time for a full review of candidates, applications will be accepted through September 3, 2024, at 5 p.m.

Housing Court Judges are appointed to five-year terms. They are required to have been admitted to the New York State Bar for at least five years, two of which must have been in an active and relevant practice. In addition, they must be qualified by training, interest, experience and judicial temperament and knowledge of federal, state, and local housing laws and programs. The present salary for Housing Court Judge is \$216,400 per year.

Persons interested in applying to become Housing Court Judges may obtain a questionnaire by emailing the administrator of the Council, Linda Dunlap-Miller at [ldunlapm@nycourts.gov](mailto:ldunlapm@nycourts.gov) beginning June 24, 2024 or by writing, or appearing in person at the Office of the Deputy Chief Administrative Judge, Deborah A. Kaplan, 111 Centre Street, Room 1240, New York, N.Y. 10013. In as much as September 3, 2024, has been established as the deadline date for submission of such applications, Judge Sikowitz encourages all applicants to obtain, complete and submit the original questionnaire, along with one (1) additional copy, as soon as possible.

**Dated: June 24, 2024**