

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

July 30, 2013

The President
The White House
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Mr. President:

We are pleased to recommend the following three individuals to fill the open U.S. Federal District Judgeship for the Western District of Wisconsin:

Michael R. Fitzpatrick
James D. Peterson
John W. Vaudreuil

These candidates were among those recommended by a bipartisan commission that we established to screen applicants. We believe that each of these candidate would make an outstanding federal district judge and are pleased to recommend them to you.

Sincerely,



Ron Johnson
United States Senator



Tammy Baldwin
United State Senator