



## Information Regarding 2012-2013 Nomination and Election to the Arkansas Bar Association Board of Governors

### Terms

Governors are elected for a three-year term.

### Governor Responsibilities

The Board of Governors holds three regular meetings each bar year at which all Governors are expected to attend. The meetings are held in April, August, and December and rotate throughout the state with regard to location. Newly elected Governors must plan to attend an orientation that will be scheduled prior to their taking office.

### Election Cycle Timeline

**April 2<sup>nd</sup>**

Deadline for submission of completed nomination forms to the Arkansas Bar Association's Secretary

**April 17<sup>th</sup>**

Deadline for mailing of ballots in contested races

**May 18<sup>th</sup>**

Deadline for receipt of signed ballots

### Vacancies

*One Governor to be Elected from each District*

District	Counties
2-BG	Cleburne, Independence, Jackson, Jefferson, Lonoke, White, Woodruff
4-BG*	Bradley, Calhoun, Columbia, Drew, Hempstead, Lafayette, Little River, Miller, Nevada, Ouachita <i>*PER THE REORGANIZATION PLAN OF 2009, ELECT ONE SEAT IN 2012 FOR A THREE YEAR TERM ENDING 2015</i>
9-BG	Baxter, Boone, Carroll, Faulkner, Fulton, IZard, Lawrence, Madison, Marion, Newton, Randolph, Searcy, Sharp, Stone, Van Buren
11-BG	Clark, Conway, Crawford, Franklin, Howard, Johnson, Logan, Montgomery, Perry, Pike, Polk, Pope, Scott, Sevier, Yell
13-BG	Pulaski
14-BG	Pulaski

**To be eligible for nomination the member must reside in the geographical area for the Governor's position they are seeking and must have served one year in the House of Delegates or have been an Association member for seven years by the time of joining the Board of Governors in June.**

The undersigned members of the Arkansas Bar Association residing in Governor District \_\_\_\_\_ do hereby nominate \_\_\_\_\_, an Association member residing\* in our district, for the Association's Board of Governors. Nomination requires signatures of three Association members in the petitioner's district.

SIGNATURE

PRINTED NAME

COUNTY

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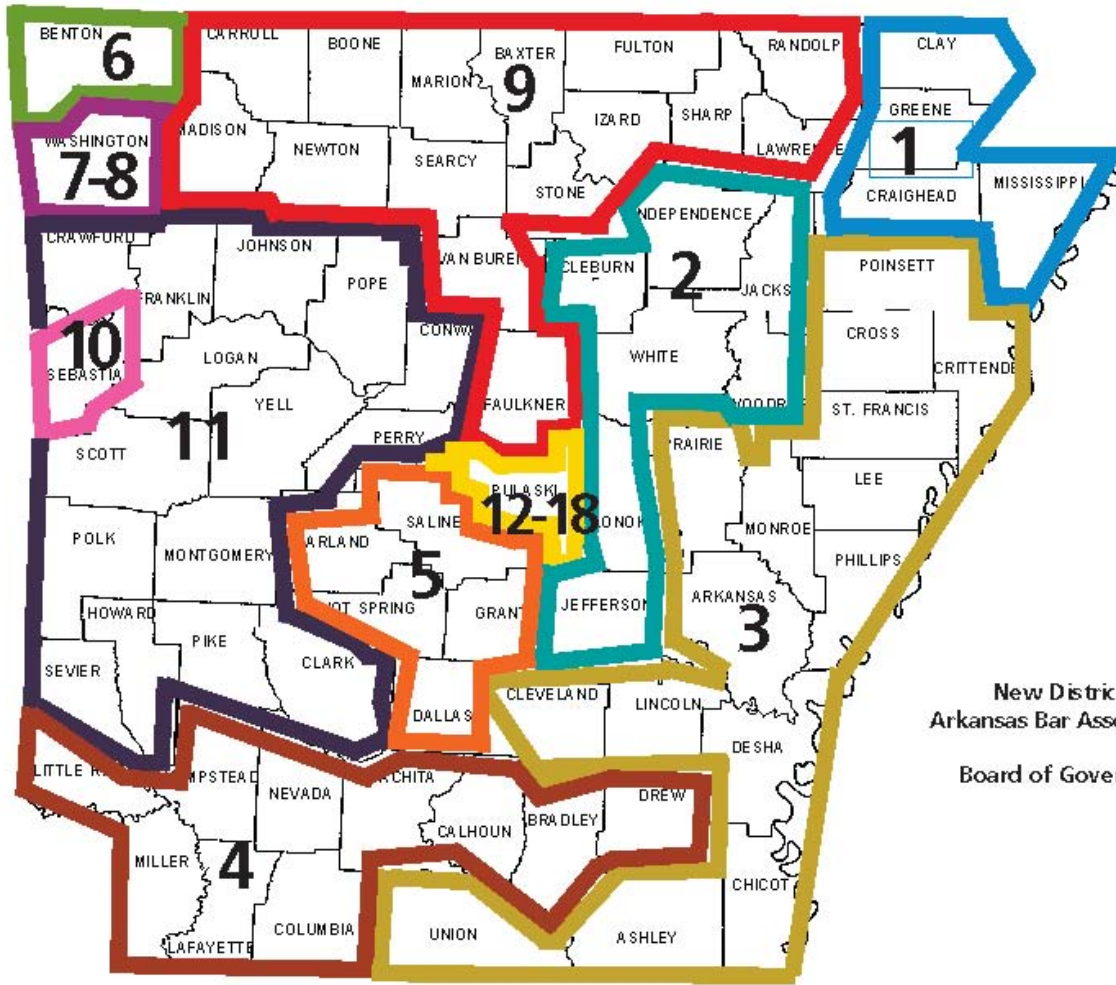
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\*The term "residing" refers to the member's principal place of business, provided that, (a) if the member has no principal place of business or has a principal place of business outside Arkansas, residing shall mean the member's place of abode in Arkansas, or (b) if the member has a place of abode in or has his or her principal place of business in Texarkana, Texas, and the member pays Arkansas in-state membership dues, then the member shall be regarded as having a place of residence in Texarkana, Arkansas.

**Return form to:**  
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**Board of Governors**