

MONTANA 13th JUDICIAL DISTRICT (Yellowstone County)
Departments 9 and 10
APPLICATION, NOMINATION AND APPOINTMENT SCHEDULE

Event	Date
Receipt of notice of vacancy from Chief Justice	Friday, July 18, 2025
Public notice of vacancy and solicitation of applications – (Within 10 days of receipt of notice of vacancy – 3-1-901(2), MCA)	Monday, July 28, 2025
Deadline for receipt of applications (Application period must end within 40 days of receipt of notice of vacancy – 3-1-903, MCA)	5:00 p.m., Tuesday, August 26, 2025
Notice to public and start of 30-day public comment period (3-1-904, MCA)	Thursday, August 28, 2025
30-day public comment period ends (3-1-904, MCA)	5:00 p.m., Monday, September 29, 2025
Deadline for appointment by Governor (Within 30 days from the end of the public comment period – 3-1-904(3) & 3-1-905(1), MCA)	Sunday, October 26, 2025