The judges of the United States District Court for the Western District of Tennessee reappointed two incumbent Magistrate Judges:

United States Magistrate Judge Edward G. Bryant has been <u>reappointed to a second term</u> of eight years effective December 15, 2016. Magistrate Judge Bryant has served the Western District of Tennessee in the Eastern Divisional Office in Jackson, TN since 2008.

United States Magistrate Judge Charmiane G. Claxton has been <u>reappointed to a second term</u> of eight years effective June 1, 2017. Magistrate Judge Claxton has served the Western District of Tennessee in the Western Divisional Office in Memphis, TN since 2009.

Merit Selection Panels were appointed to solicit public comments relative to the reappointment of both <u>Magistrate Judge Bryant</u> and <u>Magistrate Judge Claxton</u>. The United States District Judges for the Western District of Tennessee unanimously accepted the favorable recommendations returned by both Panels.