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## **Two State Public Defender Managers Elected to State Bar Leadership Positions**

(Madison) - Two managers with the State Public Defender's Office (SPD), Catherine Dorl and Kelly Mattingly, were elected to the State Bar's Board of Governors. Dorl and Mattingly were chosen by a vote of their peers to serve two-year terms starting July 1, 2014. The Board of Governors manages and directs the affairs and activities of the State Bar of Wisconsin.

Catherine Dorl, the SPD's Trial Division Director, has served the agency's clients for 19 years. She will be one of seven Governors representing attorneys in District 9, which covers Dane County. Kelly Mattingly, Attorney Manager of the SPD's Janesville Office, has served with the SPD almost 30 years. He will be the sole Governor representing attorneys in District 12, which covers Grant, Green, Iowa, Lafayette, and Rock Counties.

State Public Defender Kelli Thompson stated, "I congratulate both Catherine and Kelly on their respective elections, which continue and enhance our agency's track record of providing leadership to the legal profession. Catherine and Kelly will be very active and effective members of the Board of Governors."

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