

## Columbia County District Attorney

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### NEWS FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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#### **Columbia County District Attorney's Office Open; Dodge County DA Serving as Special Prosecutor in Charge**

PORTAGE, Wis. – Governor Tony Evers today announced that he is seeking applications for appointment as Columbia County District Attorney.

Until this vacancy is filled, Dodge County District Attorney Kurt Klomberg will serve as special prosecutor in charge of the Columbia County District Attorney's Office. The Wisconsin Department of Justice will also provide resources and assistance.

"The district attorney's office is open, court cases are moving, and the criminal justice system in Columbia County is fully operating," said Presiding Judge W. Andrew Voigt.

Klomberg will oversee the office's operations, including three full time assistant district attorneys.

"I am honored to assist my neighboring county by guiding their District Attorney's Office through this transition. The District Attorney program is filled with professionals, and we have an obligation to assist other counties represent the interests of the State and to protect the public. The Assistant District Attorney's and office staff in Columbia County only wish to do their jobs and serve the citizens of the county. As Special Prosecutor in Charge I can provide the leadership needed to continue their mission until the Governor can appoint a full-time District Attorney," said Klomberg.

To apply, please email a completed application form and supporting materials to [govDAapp@wisconsin.gov](mailto:govDAapp@wisconsin.gov). Applications must be submitted by April 26, 2019.

The District Attorney application form is available on the "Apply to Serve" page of the Governor's website: [www.evers.wi.gov](http://www.evers.wi.gov).

For questions about the appointments process, please contact the Governor's Office of Legal Counsel at (608) 266-1212.