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**CAMPBELL, ALLARD SUBMIT JUDICIAL LIST TO WHITE HOUSE**  
**Senators Seek New Federal District Court Judge for Colorado**

WASHINGTON, D.C. – Colorado U.S. Senators Ben Nighthorse Campbell and Wayne Allard today announced they have forwarded five names to President George W. Bush to replace Judge Richard Matsch on the Colorado District of the United States District Court.

“I am convinced that any of these fine candidates will honorably serve Colorado as a federal district judge,” Campbell said.

“These individuals are all highly qualified and have diverse experiences in the legal community,” Allard said.

The five Colorado lawyers submitted to the White House are:

Kathleen Tafoya, a resident of Golden who currently serves as an Assistant U.S. Attorney for the Organized Crime and Enforcement Task Force.

James Scarboro, a resident of Boulder who is a partner with the law firm of Arnold & Porter and a former law clerk for the late U.S. Supreme Court Justice Byron White.

Raymond Gifford, a resident of Denver who directs the Progress and Freedom Foundation in Washington, D.C. and who served as chairman of the Colorado Public Utilities Commission.

Phillip Figa, a resident of Greenwood Village who is in private practice with his own law firm and is former president of the Colorado Bar Association.

Allison Eid, a resident of Golden who is an associate professor at the University of Colorado School of Law and is a former law clerk for U.S. Supreme Court Justice Clarence Thomas.