

U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Texas

Nancy F. Atlas

418 votes

Follows the law

Excellent	69.6%	291
Very Good	16.5%	69
Satisfactory	6.5%	27
Needs Improvement	2.4%	10
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>5.0%</i>	<i>21</i>

Rules decisively and timely

Excellent	67.0%	280
Very Good	17.9%	75
Satisfactory	7.2%	30
Needs Improvement	1.7%	7
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>6.2%</i>	<i>26</i>

Is courteous and attentive toward attorneys and witnesses

Excellent	65.8%	275
Very Good	17.0%	71
Satisfactory	6.2%	26
Needs Improvement	3.1%	13
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>7.9%</i>	<i>33</i>

Demonstrates impartiality

Excellent	64.4%	269
Very Good	16.3%	68
Satisfactory	5.3%	22
Needs Improvement	3.8%	16
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>10.3%</i>	<i>43</i>

Uses attorneys' time efficiently

Excellent	64.1%	268
Very Good	19.1%	80
Satisfactory	4.3%	18
Needs Improvement	2.4%	10
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>10.0%</i>	<i>42</i>

Works hard and is prepared

Excellent	68.7%	287
Very Good	14.6%	61
Satisfactory	4.8%	20
Needs Improvement	1.2%	5
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>10.8%</i>	<i>45</i>

Appropriately uses magistrate judges

Excellent	44.7%	187
Very Good	15.6%	65
Satisfactory	5.5%	23
Needs Improvement	2.2%	9
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>32.1%</i>	<i>134</i>

Overall rating

Excellent	68.2%	285
Very Good	18.2%	76
Satisfactory	6.0%	25
Needs Improvement	2.2%	9
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>5.5%</i>	<i>23</i>

Alfred H. Bennett

313 votes

Follows the law

Excellent	57.2%	179
Very Good	21.1%	66
Satisfactory	8.6%	27
Needs Improvement	5.1%	16
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>8.0%</i>	<i>25</i>

Rules decisively and timely

Excellent	54.0%	169
Very Good	18.8%	59
Satisfactory	8.6%	27
Needs Improvement	10.9%	34
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>7.7%</i>	<i>24</i>

Is courteous and attentive toward attorneys and witnesses

Excellent	62.6%	196
Very Good	16.6%	52
Satisfactory	6.7%	21
Needs Improvement	3.8%	12
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>10.2%</i>	<i>32</i>

Demonstrates impartiality

Excellent	62.9%	197
Very Good	14.7%	46
Satisfactory	8.9%	28
Needs Improvement	3.5%	11
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>9.9%</i>	<i>31</i>

Uses attorneys' time efficiently

Excellent	58.5%	183
Very Good	14.7%	46
Satisfactory	9.9%	31
Needs Improvement	4.5%	14
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>12.5%</i>	<i>39</i>

Works hard and is prepared

Excellent	57.8%	181
Very Good	16.3%	51
Satisfactory	7.3%	23
Needs Improvement	5.4%	17
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>13.1%</i>	<i>41</i>

Appropriately uses magistrate judges

Excellent	39.0%	122
Very Good	12.1%	38
Satisfactory	5.8%	18
Needs Improvement	3.2%	10
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>39.9%</i>	<i>125</i>

Overall rating

Excellent	60.4%	189
Very Good	21.4%	67
Satisfactory	6.7%	21
Needs Improvement	6.1%	19
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>5.4%</i>	<i>17</i>

Keith P. Ellison

384 votes

Follows the law

Excellent	67.2%	258
Very Good	15.9%	61
Satisfactory	7.0%	27
Needs Improvement	4.4%	17
<i>No Opinion</i>	5.5%	21

Rules decisively and timely

Excellent	60.7%	233
Very Good	19.3%	74
Satisfactory	8.9%	34
Needs Improvement	4.7%	18
<i>No Opinion</i>	6.5%	25

Is courteous and attentive toward attorneys and witnesses

Excellent	74.5%	286
Very Good	9.9%	38
Satisfactory	4.2%	16
Needs Improvement	2.6%	10
<i>No Opinion</i>	8.9%	34

Demonstrates impartiality

Excellent	67.2%	258
Very Good	13.5%	52
Satisfactory	5.7%	22
Needs Improvement	4.7%	18
<i>No Opinion</i>	8.9%	34

Uses attorneys' time efficiently

Excellent	65.1%	250
Very Good	16.1%	62
Satisfactory	6.0%	23
Needs Improvement	3.4%	13
<i>No Opinion</i>	9.4%	36

Works hard and is prepared

Excellent	69.3%	266
Very Good	13.3%	51
Satisfactory	3.6%	14
Needs Improvement	2.1%	8
<i>No Opinion</i>	11.7%	45

Appropriately uses magistrate judges

Excellent	43.0%	165
Very Good	10.9%	42
Satisfactory	4.7%	18
Needs Improvement	2.1%	8
<i>No Opinion</i>	39.3%	151

Overall rating

Excellent	69.8%	268
Very Good	15.1%	58
Satisfactory	5.7%	22
Needs Improvement	3.9%	15
<i>No Opinion</i>	5.5%	21

Vanessa Gilmore

352 votes

Follows the law

Excellent	27.0%	95
Very Good	18.8%	66
Satisfactory	22.2%	78
Needs Improvement	23.0%	81
<i>No Opinion</i>	9.1%	32

Rules decisively and timely

Excellent	27.0%	95
Very Good	19.9%	70
Satisfactory	22.7%	80
Needs Improvement	20.2%	71
<i>No Opinion</i>	10.2%	36

Is courteous and attentive toward attorneys and witnesses

Excellent	21.6%	76
Very Good	13.4%	47
Satisfactory	19.9%	70
Needs Improvement	34.7%	122
<i>No Opinion</i>	10.5%	37

Demonstrates impartiality

Excellent	24.7%	87
Very Good	19.0%	67
Satisfactory	19.6%	69
Needs Improvement	24.7%	87
<i>No Opinion</i>	11.9%	42

Uses attorneys' time efficiently

Excellent	24.7%	87
Very Good	15.9%	56
Satisfactory	24.4%	86
Needs Improvement	22.2%	78
<i>No Opinion</i>	12.8%	45

Works hard and is prepared

Excellent	27.6%	97
Very Good	17.0%	60
Satisfactory	21.0%	74
Needs Improvement	20.7%	73
<i>No Opinion</i>	13.6%	48

Appropriately uses magistrate judges

Excellent	20.5%	72
Very Good	11.6%	41
Satisfactory	15.1%	53
Needs Improvement	9.9%	35
<i>No Opinion</i>	42.9%	151

Overall rating

Excellent	23.3%	82
Very Good	19.9%	70
Satisfactory	21.9%	77
Needs Improvement	25.9%	91
<i>No Opinion</i>	9.1%	32

Andrew S. Hanen

234 votes

Follows the law

Excellent	55.6%	130
Very Good	15.0%	35
Satisfactory	6.4%	15
Needs Improvement	12.4%	29
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>10.7%</i>	<i>25</i>

Rules decisively and timely

Excellent	53.4%	125
Very Good	17.1%	40
Satisfactory	7.3%	17
Needs Improvement	6.8%	16
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>15.4%</i>	<i>36</i>

Is courteous and attentive toward attorneys and witnesses

Excellent	54.7%	128
Very Good	14.1%	33
Satisfactory	5.1%	12
Needs Improvement	7.3%	17
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>18.8%</i>	<i>44</i>

Demonstrates impartiality

Excellent	51.7%	121
Very Good	12.0%	28
Satisfactory	6.4%	15
Needs Improvement	12.8%	30
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>17.1%</i>	<i>40</i>

Uses attorneys' time efficiently

Excellent	50.4%	118
Very Good	15.0%	35
Satisfactory	7.7%	18
Needs Improvement	5.6%	13
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>21.4%</i>	<i>50</i>

Works hard and is prepared

Excellent	53.4%	125
Very Good	16.7%	39
Satisfactory	4.7%	11
Needs Improvement	5.6%	13
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>19.7%</i>	<i>46</i>

Appropriately uses magistrate judges

Excellent	42.3%	99
Very Good	9.8%	23
Satisfactory	6.0%	14
Needs Improvement	5.1%	12
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>36.8%</i>	<i>86</i>

Overall rating

Excellent	56.0%	131
Very Good	15.0%	35
Satisfactory	7.3%	17
Needs Improvement	10.3%	24
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>11.5%</i>	<i>27</i>

David Hittner

405 votes

Follows the law

Excellent	46.7%	189
Very Good	22.5%	91
Satisfactory	13.3%	54
Needs Improvement	9.6%	39
<i>No Opinion</i>	7.9%	32

Rules decisively and timely

Excellent	49.9%	202
Very Good	21.2%	86
Satisfactory	11.1%	45
Needs Improvement	8.1%	33
<i>No Opinion</i>	9.6%	39

Is courteous and attentive toward attorneys and witnesses

Excellent	27.7%	112
Very Good	19.5%	79
Satisfactory	18.3%	74
Needs Improvement	24.2%	98
<i>No Opinion</i>	10.4%	42

Demonstrates impartiality

Excellent	37.5%	152
Very Good	21.7%	88
Satisfactory	16.0%	65
Needs Improvement	14.1%	57
<i>No Opinion</i>	10.6%	43

Uses attorneys' time efficiently

Excellent	40.0%	162
Very Good	20.7%	84
Satisfactory	14.1%	57
Needs Improvement	11.1%	45
<i>No Opinion</i>	14.1%	57

Works hard and is prepared

Excellent	47.7%	193
Very Good	22.0%	89
Satisfactory	11.1%	45
Needs Improvement	7.7%	31
<i>No Opinion</i>	11.6%	47

Appropriately uses magistrate judges

Excellent	29.4%	119
Very Good	13.1%	53
Satisfactory	9.4%	38
Needs Improvement	5.7%	23
<i>No Opinion</i>	42.5%	172

Overall rating

Excellent	39.8%	161
Very Good	24.2%	98
Satisfactory	15.8%	64
Needs Improvement	12.3%	50
<i>No Opinion</i>	7.9%	32

Kenneth M. Hoyt

310 votes

Follows the law

Excellent	30.0%	93
Very Good	24.8%	77
Satisfactory	20.3%	63
Needs Improvement	16.1%	50
<i>No Opinion</i>	8.7%	27

Rules decisively and timely

Excellent	29.0%	90
Very Good	23.5%	73
Satisfactory	22.9%	71
Needs Improvement	14.5%	45
<i>No Opinion</i>	10.0%	31

Is courteous and attentive toward attorneys and witnesses

Excellent	44.2%	137
Very Good	21.6%	67
Satisfactory	11.9%	37
Needs Improvement	10.3%	32
<i>No Opinion</i>	11.9%	37

Demonstrates impartiality

Excellent	36.5%	113
Very Good	23.2%	72
Satisfactory	15.8%	49
Needs Improvement	13.5%	42
<i>No Opinion</i>	11.0%	34

Uses attorneys' time efficiently

Excellent	31.3%	97
Very Good	23.2%	72
Satisfactory	20.0%	62
Needs Improvement	12.6%	39
<i>No Opinion</i>	12.9%	40

Works hard and is prepared

Excellent	32.6%	101
Very Good	21.9%	68
Satisfactory	20.0%	62
Needs Improvement	11.6%	36
<i>No Opinion</i>	13.9%	43

Appropriately uses magistrate judges

Excellent	24.2%	75
Very Good	15.5%	48
Satisfactory	12.6%	39
Needs Improvement	7.1%	22
<i>No Opinion</i>	40.6%	126

Overall rating

Excellent	31.0%	96
Very Good	26.8%	83
Satisfactory	20.6%	64
Needs Improvement	13.2%	41
<i>No Opinion</i>	8.4%	26

Lynn N. Hughes

458 votes

Follows the law

Excellent	26.2%	120
Very Good	15.5%	71
Satisfactory	17.2%	79
Needs Improvement	36.2%	166
<i>No Opinion</i>	4.8%	22

Rules decisively and timely

Excellent	31.9%	146
Very Good	15.3%	70
Satisfactory	15.1%	69
Needs Improvement	31.2%	143
<i>No Opinion</i>	6.6%	30

Is courteous and attentive toward attorneys and witnesses

Excellent	19.9%	91
Very Good	14.8%	68
Satisfactory	16.6%	76
Needs Improvement	41.0%	188
<i>No Opinion</i>	7.6%	35

Demonstrates impartiality

Excellent	21.2%	97
Very Good	13.8%	63
Satisfactory	16.4%	75
Needs Improvement	42.1%	193
<i>No Opinion</i>	6.6%	30

Uses attorneys' time efficiently

Excellent	27.1%	124
Very Good	14.2%	65
Satisfactory	17.2%	79
Needs Improvement	31.9%	146
<i>No Opinion</i>	9.6%	44

Works hard and is prepared

Excellent	29.5%	135
Very Good	17.7%	81
Satisfactory	19.2%	88
Needs Improvement	23.8%	109
<i>No Opinion</i>	9.8%	45

Appropriately uses magistrate judges

Excellent	17.7%	81
Very Good	9.4%	43
Satisfactory	12.2%	56
Needs Improvement	13.8%	63
<i>No Opinion</i>	46.9%	215

Overall rating

Excellent	23.8%	109
Very Good	17.5%	80
Satisfactory	15.1%	69
Needs Improvement	38.0%	174
<i>No Opinion</i>	5.7%	26

Sim Lake

357 votes

Follows the law

Excellent	68.3%	244
Very Good	16.2%	58
Satisfactory	3.9%	14
Needs Improvement	2.2%	8
<i>No Opinion</i>	9.2%	33

Rules decisively and timely

Excellent	67.2%	240
Very Good	17.1%	61
Satisfactory	3.6%	13
Needs Improvement	2.2%	8
<i>No Opinion</i>	9.8%	35

Is courteous and attentive toward attorneys and witnesses

Excellent	63.3%	226
Very Good	16.0%	57
Satisfactory	6.4%	23
Needs Improvement	2.5%	9
<i>No Opinion</i>	11.8%	42

Demonstrates impartiality

Excellent	62.5%	223
Very Good	18.2%	65
Satisfactory	4.2%	15
Needs Improvement	2.2%	8
<i>No Opinion</i>	12.9%	46

Uses attorneys' time efficiently

Excellent	61.6%	220
Very Good	17.6%	63
Satisfactory	4.2%	15
Needs Improvement	2.2%	8
<i>No Opinion</i>	14.3%	51

Works hard and is prepared

Excellent	69.5%	248
Very Good	12.0%	43
Satisfactory	3.4%	12
Needs Improvement	1.7%	6
<i>No Opinion</i>	13.4%	48

Appropriately uses magistrate judges

Excellent	47.6%	170
Very Good	9.8%	35
Satisfactory	4.5%	16
Needs Improvement	1.1%	4
<i>No Opinion</i>	37.0%	132

Overall rating

Excellent	68.6%	245
Very Good	16.5%	59
Satisfactory	4.5%	16
Needs Improvement	2.0%	7
<i>No Opinion</i>	8.4%	30

Gray H. Miller

297 votes

Follows the law

Excellent	60.9%	181
Very Good	20.5%	61
Satisfactory	5.4%	16
Needs Improvement	2.0%	6
<i>No Opinion</i>	11.1%	33

Rules decisively and timely

Excellent	56.9%	169
Very Good	21.5%	64
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Excellent	61.6%	183
Very Good	17.8%	53
Satisfactory	4.7%	14
Needs Improvement	2.0%	6
<i>No Opinion</i>	13.8%	41

Uses attorneys' time efficiently

Excellent	57.2%	170
Very Good	18.5%	55
Satisfactory	5.7%	17
Needs Improvement	3.0%	9
<i>No Opinion</i>	15.5%	46

Works hard and is prepared

Excellent	58.6%	174
Very Good	19.2%	57
Satisfactory	4.7%	14
Needs Improvement	1.7%	5
<i>No Opinion</i>	15.8%	47

Appropriately uses magistrate judges

Excellent	45.5%	135
Very Good	12.1%	36
Satisfactory	3.7%	11
Needs Improvement	1.3%	4
<i>No Opinion</i>	37.4%	111

Overall rating

Excellent	59.6%	177
Very Good	20.5%	61
Satisfactory	5.7%	17
Needs Improvement	2.7%	8
<i>No Opinion</i>	11.4%	34

Lee H. Rosenthal

520 votes

Follows the law

Excellent	76.5%	398
Very Good	9.4%	49
Satisfactory	3.3%	17
Needs Improvement	4.4%	23
<i>No Opinion</i>	6.3%	33

Rules decisively and timely

Excellent	75.6%	393
Very Good	11.5%	60
Satisfactory	4.0%	21
Needs Improvement	1.5%	8
<i>No Opinion</i>	7.3%	38

Is courteous and attentive toward attorneys and witnesses

Excellent	73.5%	382
Very Good	10.8%	56
Satisfactory	3.3%	17
Needs Improvement	2.7%	14
<i>No Opinion</i>	9.8%	51

Demonstrates impartiality

Excellent	71.7%	373
Very Good	9.8%	51
Satisfactory	4.2%	22
Needs Improvement	5.4%	28
<i>No Opinion</i>	8.8%	46

Uses attorneys' time efficiently

Excellent	71.0%	369
Very Good	12.1%	63
Satisfactory	4.8%	25
Needs Improvement	1.9%	10
<i>No Opinion</i>	10.2%	53

Works hard and is prepared

Excellent	77.5%	403
Very Good	8.1%	42
Satisfactory	1.9%	10
Needs Improvement	1.5%	8
<i>No Opinion</i>	11.0%	57

Appropriately uses magistrate judges

Excellent	49.6%	258
Very Good	7.9%	41
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<i>No Opinion</i>	36.9%	192

Overall rating

Excellent	76.2%	396
Very Good	10.2%	53
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<i>No Opinion</i>	6.2%	32

Hilda G. Tagle

51 votes

Follows the law

Excellent	21.6%	11
Very Good	11.8%	6
Satisfactory	15.7%	8
Needs Improvement	13.7%	7
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>37.3%</i>	<i>19</i>

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Needs Improvement	9.8%	5
<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>49.0%</i>	<i>25</i>

Overall rating

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<i>No Opinion</i>	<i>33.3%</i>	<i>17</i>

Ewing Werlein, Jr.

268 votes

Follows the law

Excellent	52.6%	141
Very Good	20.9%	56
Satisfactory	10.8%	29
Needs Improvement	4.5%	12
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Excellent	53.4%	143
Very Good	18.3%	49
Satisfactory	10.4%	28
Needs Improvement	3.7%	10
<i>No Opinion</i>	14.2%	38

Demonstrates impartiality

Excellent	48.9%	131
Very Good	19.4%	52
Satisfactory	10.8%	29
Needs Improvement	6.0%	16
<i>No Opinion</i>	14.9%	40

Uses attorneys' time efficiently

Excellent	46.6%	125
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Needs Improvement	3.4%	9
<i>No Opinion</i>	16.4%	44

Appropriately uses magistrate judges

Excellent	34.0%	91
Very Good	13.1%	35
Satisfactory	7.8%	21
Needs Improvement	1.9%	5
<i>No Opinion</i>	43.3%	116

Overall rating

Excellent	48.5%	130
Very Good	23.5%	63
Satisfactory	13.1%	35
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