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CIRCUIT COURT OF ST. LOUIS COUNTY  
STATE OF MISSOURI

NEUTRAL QUALIFICATION FORM  
Pursuant to Local Rule 38

I am applying for inclusion on the list of neutrals to be maintained by the Circuit Clerk pursuant to Local Rule 38 of the Circuit Court of St. Louis County. The following information is supplied in support of this application.

1. Name: RYAN BRENDAN  
(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Address: Pinnacle Arbitration & Mediation/Legal Services of Eastern Missouri  
4232 Forest Park Avenue, 3rd Floor  
St. Louis, MO 63108-2811  
(City) (State) (ZIP+4)

3. Telephone Number: (314) 652-6000

4. Facsimile Number: (314) 534-1075

\*\*\*\* 5. State the standard hourly fee for your services as a neutral. \$ 200.00 Per hour  
plus administrative fee

6. List your appropriate training or equivalent experience in conducting alternative dispute resolution as required for certification under Supreme Court Rule 17.04.

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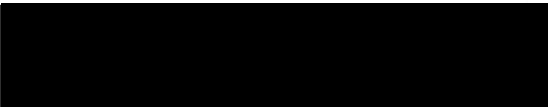
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(Signature)

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**BRENDAN RYAN**

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**NAME:** Brendan Ryan

**AGE:** Date of Birth – July 22, 1936

**BIRTH PLACE:** St. Louis, Missouri

**FAMILY:** Wife, Carol  
Children: Christine, Kathy, J.B., Jr., and Susan

**EDUCATION:** Graduate: St. Louis University High School – May 1954  
Missouri University, Columbia – B.A. May 1958, LL.B. 1961

**BACKGROUND:**

- Elected Alderman 28<sup>th</sup> Ward – April 1967; resigned July 31, 1969, when appointed Circuit Attorney
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- 1973-1976 – on Board of Directors of the National District Attorneys Association
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- 1976 - Recipient of the University of Missouri Columbia Alumni Medal of Honor Award.
- January 1977 to September 1977 – Executive Assistant Legislative Liaison for Governor Joseph P. Teasdale
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- 1982 to 1987 – Member of the Steering Committee for the Judicial Conference; re-appointed to said committee in 1992.
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