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This is a human institution It's important to create a little levity as long as it isn't taken out on a person.

Although he takes exception to how the Oakland County Bar Association rated a colleague and some of their questions about the candidates private lives, he is convinced that the process should exist.

"How else is the public going to learn about us?" says Mester, who was given an "Outstanding" rating. "I think each judge has to

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Fred Mester circuit court candidate

make his/her own decision as to running with colleagues," he responds to the issue of judges running for re-election as a team. "We are very happy with the five of us."

He characterizes Barry Howard as, 'the best settler," Steven Andrews, "the most

methodical." Gene Schnelz
"the liveliest" and Rudy
Nichols having the advantage
of "legislative experience."
"Hopefully, I'm a hard worker," he says of himself. He has
become known as "the jury
judge" in that he addresses the
incoming jury pools explaining
the judical system's history
and their part in it.

Mester wants Oakland County residents to know that their court is "hardworking with a sense of fairness for all sides. I think that this bench works extremely hard."

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