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## Support for Titus for Circuit Court

Spring brings warm weather, flowers, softball, and primary elections. I can't help but notice there doesn't seem to be as much hype this year as there was in 2016. I predict that will change once society moves forward from quarantine to opening back up. I hope so anyway.

Here locally we have a very important race for Circuit Court Judge. Judge Richard Titus is currently sitting on the bench and has the experience needed to fill the position. All someone has to do is ask around and you will hear individuals of all walks of life tell you how fair and honest he is.

I see endorsement after endorsement lining up behind him. Although that means a lot to me when I look at someone to fill the judgeship, I like to look at the person and make up my own mind as well.

I met Judge Titus several years ago and although his resume and accomplishments speak very much for themselves. I was drawn to support him for another reason. He is a softball dad. Why does that matter? You wouldn't ask if you had a daughter that played softball. I have great respect for any dad who gets up on Saturday/Sunday morning at 4:30 a.m. just to have their daughter on the field at 6 a.m. to play ball. The countless hours at the practice field, in the backyard, or shopping for gear are exhausting, but memories that you never forget.

All of us who've had children play sports or compete understand that any parent that will give up the countless hours needed to help and support their son/daughter is a person of character, integrity, and a true example of what we need as Carroll County Circuit judge. For this reason, I support Judge Titus in his race to remain on the Circuit Court.

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