

Position Sought: **Superior Court Judge**

Name/District: **Yvonne Lamoureux, Third Judicial District**

Mailing Address: 825 West 4th Ave., Suite 316 Anchorage, AK 99501

Biographical Information

Age: 49

Place of Birth: Lancaster, New Hampshire

Spouse's Name: William Finley

Child's Name: Isabelle

Length of Residency in Alaska: 22 years

Alaskan Communities Lived in:

Juneau May - July 2003

Anchorage July 2004 - present

Education:

Phillips Academy Andover 1995

Columbia College, Columbia University, B.A. 1998

University of Virginia School of Law, J.D. 2003

Political and Government Positions:

Superior Court Judge, 2017 - present

Assistant United States Attorney, 2010 - 2017

Law Clerk, Anchorage Superior Court and U.S. District Court Connecticut
2003-2006

Business and Professional Positions:

Associate, Stoel Rives LLP, 2008 - 2010

Associate, Heller Ehrman LLP, 2006 - 2008

Alaska Bar Association Ethics Committee, CINA Rules Committee, CINA Court
Improvement Program

Service Organizations Membership:

Alaska Bar Association, Anchorage Association of Women Lawyers, National
Association of Women Judges, Anchorage Imagination Library Advisory Team
(former), Anchorage Montessori School (former Board member)

Special Interests:

Spending time with family, especially hiking, rafting, skiing

Other (Biographical Information):

I drove to Alaska with my husband the day after my last law school exam over 20
years ago. My husband and I are thankful to be raising our child here.

Position Statement

I have a deep commitment to the rule of law and public service, and my service as a superior court judge has been extremely rewarding work. I have been fortunate to have been able to serve the people of Alaska as a superior court judge. I love the variety of my caseload, from complex civil litigation to administrative appeals to custody cases to involuntary mental health commitments to child in need of aid cases. I work diligently to address matters pending before the court. I believe it is of utmost importance to be prepared for every hearing to be able to best serve the parties in their cases, and to manage a high-volume caseload efficiently. I remain committed to provide a forum where parties can present their cases and to listen to their positions. I enjoy legal research and writing, and devote the time necessary to ensure that I have a thorough understanding of the applicable laws and precedent.

Judges have different roles in the courtroom depending on the type of hearing or case, particularly in light of the wide variety of cases we handle. It is important that litigants have an opportunity to be heard, and that judges apply the law fairly and impartially. I am committed to disciplined judicial decision-making. I take very seriously my oath to uphold the law and my commitment to listen to the facts and apply the law fairly and impartially. I would be honored to continue to serve as a superior court judge.

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