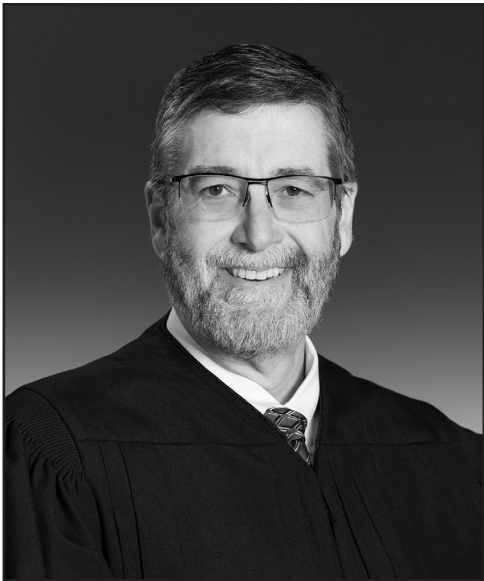


Superior Court Judge

Jonathan A. Woodman, Third Judicial District



MAILING ADDRESS: 19015 Trail Bay Drive
Eagle River, AK 99577

AGE: 58

PLACE OF BIRTH: California

SPOUSE'S NAME: Cheryl Duda

LENGTH OF RESIDENCY IN ALASKA: 27 years

ALASKAN COMMUNITIES LIVED IN:
Eagle River 1999 to Present

EDUCATION:
Troy (OH) High School
Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)
The Ohio State University College of Law

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:
Superior Court Judge (2016 to Present)
Senior Assistant Attorney General, Alaska Department
of Law
Guess & Rudd, PC

SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS MEMBERSHIPS:
Alaska Triathlon Club

SPECIAL INTERESTS:
Triathlon, travel, trivia (3 time Jeopardy champion)

STATEMENT:

Serving the people of the Third Judicial District and the Mat-Su Valley as a superior court judge and the Palmer deputy presiding judge has been the greatest honor of my life. I strive to ensure that every person who comes into the courtroom is treated with courtesy, dignity, and respect. I make sure that matters presented to me are decided based on a fair and impartial consideration of the facts and the law, and that my decisions are rendered without fear or favor.

I am fortunate to preside over the therapeutic court called Families with Infants and Toddlers (FIT) Court. The FIT Court applies the science of early childhood development to the child welfare system. The Court's goals are to build treatment and supports for involved families by providing comprehensive services that address parental substance use, parenting skills, mental health, family safety, and children's needs. The FIT Court offers enhanced services in order to give families the best chance for reunification. The FIT Court has established effective collaborative relationships with regional stakeholders and continues to develop innovative strategies to meet this specific population.

I believe that I have served the people of Alaska well the last ten years and I look forward to continuing to serve and to expand my skills as a judge.

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Alaska Judicial Council Evaluation

Judge Jonathan A. Woodman, Palmer Superior Court

The Alaska Judicial Council finds Judge Woodman met or exceeded performance standards and recommends a **“YES”** vote for his retention in office. In consideration of retention of Judge Woodman, the Alaska Judicial Council voted 6 Retain.

Judge Jonathan A. Woodman was appointed to the Palmer Superior Court on 10/25/2016. Judge Woodman is a trial court judge handling civil and criminal cases. This is his second judicial retention election.

Performance Summary

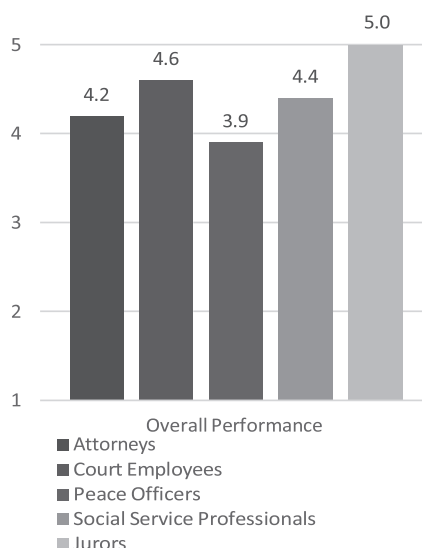
Judge Jonathan A. Woodman met or exceeded performance standards related to legal ability, integrity, impartiality, fairness, temperament, diligence and administrative skills. He complied with public disclosure requirements, followed standards of ethical conduct for judges, and met or exceeded educational requirements set by the Alaska Supreme Court.

Performance Findings: The Judicial Council surveyed attorneys, court employees, peace officers, social service professionals, and jurors. Survey ratings on Judge Woodman's overall performance were in the excellent range (4.4) when averaged across all groups.

The Council reviewed other performance measures, including Judge Woodman's financial and conflict of interest statements, whether pay was withheld for untimely decisions, how often his decisions were affirmed by higher courts, disqualifications from cases, and public ethics files. The Council found no concerns in these areas.

Commitment to administration of justice and community: Judge Woodman serves on the court system's Court Improvement Project, a group focused on improving outcomes in child welfare cases, and on the court system's CINA/Delinquency Rules committee, a group that drafts, reviews, and recommends improvements in juvenile case procedures to the Alaska Supreme Court. He presides over Families with Infants and Toddlers court, a therapeutic court in the Mat-Su Valley for families with young children who have an open child welfare case.

Ratings from Justice System Professionals and Jurors for "Overall" Job Performance for Judge Jonathan A. Woodman



*Rated on a scale from 5 (excellent) to 1 (poor).
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