

District Court Judge

Pamela S. Washington, Third Judicial District



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PLACE OF BIRTH: New Orleans, LA

SPOUSE'S NAME: Stephen Washington

CHILDREN'S NAMES: Tynicha Roberts, Audriana Roberts, and Terrell Washington

LENGTH OF RESIDENCY IN ALASKA: 30 years

ALASKAN COMMUNITIES LIVED IN:

Anchorage 1991-present, 1975-1976
Chugiak 1976-1980
Eagle River 1978-1980
Wasilla 1984-1985

EDUCATION:

Chugiak High School, May 1980
Northern Arizona University, BA, Telecommunications,
May 1984
Arizona State University College of Law, JD, May 1991

POLITICAL AND GOVERNMENT POSITIONS:

District Court Judge, Anchorage, 2010-present
Superior Court Judge Pro Tem, Anchorage, 2015-2018
Assistant Municipal Prosecutor, Anchorage, 2006-2010

Superior Court Law Clerk, Judge John Reese (Ret.),
1992-1993
Law Clerk, Alaska Public Defender Agency, 1991-1992

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:

Presiding Judge, Mental Health Court (Coordinated
Resource Project)
Co-Chair, Alaska Supreme Court Fairness, Diversity
and Equality Commission
District Director, National Association of Women Judges
(NAWJ)
Advisory Council, NAWJ “#WeToo” Education Initiative
Chair, Anchorage Color of Justice Program
Instructor, Anchorage Youth Court

SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS MEMBERSHIPS:

National Association of Women Judges
Alaska Bar Association
Anchorage Links, Incorporated
Faith Christian Community

SPECIAL INTERESTS:

Grandchildren, Biking, Gardening, Last Wives Club

OTHER:

The Law Office of Pamela Scott Washington, 1994-2004
Gorton and Logue, 2004-2006

STATEMENT:

The courts play a crucial role in the administration of justice and it is an honor to be involved in a system that is tasked with ensuring all citizens have an accessible, fair, and impartial forum to resolve their disputes. It is the court's priority even in the difficult times of Covid-19 and national civil unrest. I am committed to making sure all parties have the opportunity to be heard, the chance to have the court process explained, and the right to be treated with respect. I will always endeavor to resolve cases quickly and provide decisions that clearly explain the factual and legal basis. I am also committed to working to improve our justice system, ensuring all people, including Alaska Natives, African-Americans, and other people of color, are not minimized or marginalized at any point in the court process. I would like to thank the people of Alaska for giving me the opportunity to serve as District Court Judge.

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