

Biographical Statement

Name Robert P. Owens

Position(s) for which you wish to be considered:

Anchorage Superior Court Judge

Date: September 2011



I am currently an Assistant Municipal Attorney in Anchorage, Civil Division. My practice is litigation oriented, including excessive force cases, contracts, election contests, and construction claims. This year I have become heavily involved in matters relating to the Port of Anchorage.

I have had the benefit of working with incredibly talented colleagues in a wide array of practice areas, so I bring a breadth and depth of knowledge to this candidacy. During the eighties I worked, through prosperity and decline, with firms representing construction, surety and banking clients. In the nineties I represented Native Corporations, individuals and businesses on environmental, commercial and employment litigation, including a landmark sexual discrimination case.

I support several non-profit organizations and assist the local Sudanese immigrant community with pro-bono legal support. I am the parent of two grown children and share my life with my wife Suzanne and step-daughter Hattie.