

# Alaska Judicial Council Recommendation

## Judge Gregory Louis Heath, District Court, Palmer

### Judicial Council Recommendation

The Alaska Judicial Council, a non-partisan citizens commission established by the Alaska constitution, evaluates judges on a number of criteria, including their legal ability, demeanor, their diligence, their ability to manage their caseloads, and their fairness and integrity. The Judicial Council finds Judge Heath to be **Qualified** and recommends unanimously that the public vote "YES" to retain him as a district court judge.

### Judicial Council Evaluation

The Judicial Council surveyed 3,036 attorneys, 1,492 peace and probation officers, social workers/guardians ad litem, and child advocates, jurors, and court employees about the judges on the ballot. Respondents were asked to rate judicial performance and to submit comments. The Council also reviewed the ratings and observations of the Alaska Judicial Observers, independent community-based volunteers. The Council reviewed court system records concerning peremptory challenges, recusals, and appellate affirmance and reversal rates; any civil or criminal litigation involving the judge; APOC and court system conflict-of-interest statements; any disciplinary files; and whether a judge's pay was withheld for an untimely decision. The Council investigated judicial conduct in specific cases. The Council interviewed some judges, attorneys, court staff, and others. The Council held a statewide public hearing to obtain comments about judges.

	Attorney Survey	Peace Officer Survey	Juror Survey	Court Employee Survey	Social Workers Guardians ad Litem CASAs
Legal Ability	3.9	---	---	---	---
Impartiality	4.1	3.9	4.9	4.4	---
Integrity	4.2	4.2	---	4.5	---
Temperament	4.1	4.0	4.9	4.3	---
Diligence	4.0	3.9	---	4.3	---
Overall	4.1	3.9	4.8	4.5	---

Ratings are based on a one to five scale. Five is the best rating and three is "acceptable."

**Rating Scale**  
 5.0 = Excellent  
 4.0 = Good  
 3.0 = Acceptable  
 2.0 = Deficient  
 1.0 = Poor

### Summary of Survey Information

Attorneys in Alaska rated Judge Heath on the six categories summarized in the table above, using 5 as the highest rating possible. The attorney rating for Judge Heath on overall performance was 4.1. Peace and probation officers rated Judge Heath on five categories, using the 5-point scale above. They gave Judge Heath a rating of 3.9.

Four other groups were also asked to evaluate Judge Heath's performance, using the same 5-point scale with 5 as the highest rating. Jurors rated him 4.8, and court employees gave him 4.5. There were no responses from social workers, guardians ad litem and CASA volunteers. The Alaska Judicial Observers rated him 3.1.

**Recommendation: Vote "YES" to retain Judge Gregory Louis Heath**

Contact the Judicial Council at 1029 W. Third Avenue, Suite 201, Anchorage, AK 99501 (telephone: (907) 279-2526) for more detailed information, or review the information on our Internet site at:

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## Alaska Judicial Council Questionnaire

### Trial Judge 2006 Candidates for Judicial Retention

November 21, 2005

Gregory L Heath Palmer District Court  
Name Court

1. Describe your workload during your present term.

a) 20 % Civil Cases  
80 % Criminal Cases  
\_\_\_\_ % Court Administrative  
100 % Total

b) 200 # of trials/year  
\_\_\_\_ # Administrative Appeals

*7 criminal jury trials*  
*small claims and traffic trials*

2. Please describe your participation on court/bar committees or other administrative activities during your current term of office.

See Attached.



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4. During your most recent term as a judge, have you:
- a) had a tax lien filed or other collection procedure instituted against you by federal, state, or local authorities? Yes  No .
  - b) been involved in a nonjudicial capacity in any legal proceeding whether as a party or otherwise? Yes  No .
  - c) engaged in the practice of law (other than as a judge)? Yes  No .
  - d) held office in any political party? Yes  No .
  - e) held any other local state or federal office? Yes  No .

5. If your answer to any of the questions above is "yes," please give full details, including dates, facts, case numbers and outcomes.

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6. Please provide any other information which you believe would assist the Council in conducting its evaluations and in preparing its recommendations for the 2006 retention elections.

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7. Please list the names and case numbers of the three most recent jury cases tried before you, identify the attorneys involved, and show their current addresses. (Attach additional pages if necessary.)

Case Number 1

Case Name: State of Alaska Case Number: 3PA-05-462 or 3AN-00-999 cr.  
 v. LVA Smith and Nathaniel DAY 3PA-97-2001-cr.  
3PA-05-700 cr.  
 Attorneys Involved:  
 Name: DA. Richard Allen Name: DA. Steven Wallace  
 Address: 11921 Palmer-Wasilla-Ste 100 Address: 11921 Palmer Wasilla - Ste 100  
 City, State, Zip: Palmer AK 99645 City, State, Zip: Palmer AK 99645  
 Name: Chad McGrady Esq Name: Bruce Brown PD. For Day  
 Address: HCO1 Box 6388 Address: 268 E. Finney St. 102  
 City, State, Zip: Palmer AK 99645 City, State, Zip: Palmer AK 99645

Case Number 2

Case Name: STATE OF ALASKA Case Number: 3PA-04-503 cr.  
 v. Melissa Spaulding  
 Attorneys Involved:  
 Name: DA. Richard Payne Name: DA. Laura McDonald  
 Address: 11921 Palmer-Wasilla-Hwy Address: 268 E. Finney St. 102  
 City, State, Zip: Palmer, AK 99645 City, State, Zip: Palmer, AK 99645  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Case Number 3

Case Name: Francis W. Kozak Case Number: 3PA-04-1198 CI  
 v. Steve Norton Enterprises  
 Attorneys Involved:  
 Name: Eric Conard Esq. Name: Andrew Robinson  
 Address: 882 S. Colony Way Address: 348 P. Elmwood Avenue  
 City, State, Zip: Palmer AK 99645 City, State, Zip: Palmer AK-99645  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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8. Please list the names and case numbers of the three most recent non-jury cases tried before you, identify the attorneys involved, and show their current addresses. (Attach additional pages if necessary.)

**Case Number 1**

Case Name: Larry Peet Case Number: 3PA-04-817 CE  
 v. Christine Jordan

**Attorneys Involved:**

Name: <u>Pro Per - Larry Peet</u>	Name: _____
Address: <u>1150 Babamai</u>	Address: _____
City, State, Zip: <u>Wasilla, AK 99654</u>	City, State, Zip: _____
Name: <u>Pro Per - Christine Jordan</u>	Name: _____
Address: <u>PO Box 870292</u>	Address: _____
City, State, Zip: <u>Wasilla, AK 99687</u>	City, State, Zip: _____

**Case Number 2**

Case Name: Nicole Jordan Case Number: 3PA-04-780 CE  
 v. \_\_\_\_\_

**Attorneys Involved:**

Name: <u>Ross Kopperud</u>	Name: <u>Kevin Brady</u>
Address: <u>PO Box 201</u>	Address: <u>4001 Turnagain</u>
City, State, Zip: <u>Palmer, AK 99645</u>	City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99517</u>
Name: _____	Name: _____
Address: _____	Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____	City, State, Zip: _____

**Case Number 3**

Case Name: ITWD: D.W. Case Number: 3PA-05-54 C.1  
 v. \_\_\_\_\_

**Attorneys Involved:**

Name: <u>AK - Johnson</u>	Name: <u>Pro - Laurel Bennett</u>
Address: <u>1031 W Fourth Ave Ste 200</u>	Address: <u>268 E Fireweed St 102</u>
City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage</u>	City, State, Zip: <u>Palmer, AK 99645</u>
Name: _____	Name: <u>Randy Luffberry</u>
Address: _____	Address: <u>203 S Alaska St</u>
City, State, Zip: _____	City, State, Zip: <u>Palmer, AK 99645</u>

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9. Please list the names and case numbers of the three most recent cases which did not go to trial, but on which you did significant work (such as settlement conference, hearings, motion work, etc.), identify the attorneys involved, and show their current addresses. (Attach additional pages if necessary.)

**Case Number 1**

Case Name: State of Alaska Case Number: 3PA-05-00903 CR.  
 v. Larry P. Henry  
 Attorneys Involved:  
 Name: DA. Rick Allen Stc # 110 Name: Rachel Lewitt, DPA  
 Address: 11921 Palmer-Warilla Hwy Address: 268 E. Fireweed Ave.  
 City, State, Zip: Palmer AK 99645 City, State, Zip: Palmer AK 99645  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**Case Number 2**

Case Name: STATE OF ALASKA Case Number: 3PA-04-3189 CR  
 v. Julian Goodman  
 Attorneys Involved:  
 Name: DA Richard Allen Stc # \_\_\_\_\_ Name: Erin McCrum  
 Address: 11921 Palmer-Warilla Hwy Address: 263 S. ALASKA ST. Stc A  
 City, State, Zip: Palmer, AK 99645 City, State, Zip: Palmer, AK 99645  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**Case Number 3**

Case Name: Grace Eberal Case Number: 3PA-04-697 CI  
 v. Jackie Burnett  
 Attorneys Involved:  
 Name: Scott Steclins Stc # 201 Name: Paul Wassinger  
 Address: 851 E. West Point Drive Address: 632 Christensen Dr. Stc 200  
 City, State, Zip: Warilla, AK 99657 City, State, Zip: Anchorage, AK 99501  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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- 10. If you deem it helpful to the Council, please list the name, case number and attorneys' names and current addresses of any other cases during your judicial career in which you believe your work was particularly noteworthy. (Attach additional pages if necessary.)

**Case Number 1**

Case Name: State of Alaska Case Number: JPA-05-01061  
 v. Thomas Campbell

**Attorneys Involved:**

Name: <u>Richard Allen D.A.</u>	Name: <u>JASON SAUTER P.O.</u>
Address: <u>11921 Palmer-Wasilla Hwy</u>	Address: <u>268 EAST FRANCESCA AVE</u>
City, State, Zip: <u>Palmer AK 99645</u>	City, State, Zip: <u>Palmer AK 99645</u>
Name: _____	Name: _____
Address: _____	Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____	City, State, Zip: _____

**Case Number 2**

Case Name: SOPA - v Case Number: JPA-04-03090C1/JPA-05-00276  
 v. Margaret Gecirman JPA-02-01108/JPA-02-02432

**Attorneys Involved:**

Name: <u>Richard Allen, D.A.</u>	Name: <u>CHARWICK Mc BRADY DAA</u>
Address: <u>11921 Palmer-Wasilla Hwy</u>	Address: <u>P.O. Box 6388 HCOL</u>
City, State, Zip: <u>Palmer AK 99645</u>	City, State, Zip: <u>Palmer, AK 99645</u>
Name: _____	Name: _____
Address: _____	Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____	City, State, Zip: _____

**Case Number 3**

Case Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Case Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 v. \_\_\_\_\_

**Attorneys Involved:**

Name: _____	Name: _____
Address: _____	Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____	City, State, Zip: _____
Name: _____	Name: _____
Address: _____	Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____	City, State, Zip: _____



Question Number Two:

Throughout my service in the court system, my primary judicial outreach has been implementing and overseeing the Palmer Coordinated Resource Program (CRP). The CRP is a therapeutic court that handles cases with defendants who have cognitive or mental disabilities. The court is proving to be a major success in reducing recidivism. My involvement not only includes managing court procedures but also educating the community concerning the value of the CRP. I look forward to continuing to work with this significant program and similarly participating in a drug and alcohol court when one is established in Palmer.

Question Number Three:

In December of 2005, I completed my second year as District Court Judge. It has been my honor to serve the Matanuska-Susitna community and the State of Alaska. In the District Court, most Alaskans experience their first contact with the judicial system. It is my belief that all individuals who come before the court deserve to be treated with dignity and respect. Therefore, I have diligently worked to enhance the administration of justice and the accessibility of the judicial system to the public. It is imperative to the integrity of the system and the individuals involved that every case be reviewed with acute attentiveness and conscientious consideration. My ultimate goal is to demonstrate assiduous care as I listen and assess criminal and civil cases. I hope that each person who appears in my court walks away from the process feeling they had an opportunity to express their state of affairs and knowing that I regarded them with respect.

**50. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE GREGORY LOUIS HEATH**

**A. Alaska Bar Association**

**Demographic Description (N=64)**

	<b>N</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Type of Practice</b>		
No Response	3	4.6%
Private, Solo	18	28.1%
Private, 2-5 Attorneys	8	12.5%
Private, 6+ Attorneys	1	1.5%
Private, Corporate Employee	1	1.5%
State Judge or Judicial Officer	9	14.0%
Government	21	32.8%
Public Service Agency or Organization (not govt)	1	1.5%
Other	2	3.1%
<b>Length of Alaska Practice</b>		
No Response	4	6.2%
5 Years or fewer	11	17.1%
6 to 10 years	10	15.6%
11 to 15 years	10	15.6%
16 to 20 years	10	15.6%
21 years or more	19	29.6%
<b>Gender</b>		
No Response	3	4.6%
Male	40	62.5%
Female	21	32.8%
<b>Cases Handled</b>		
No Response	3	4.6%
Prosecution	6	9.3%
Mainly Criminal	10	15.6%
Mixed Criminal & Civil	27	42.1%
Mainly Civil	15	23.4%
Other	3	4.6%
<b>Location of Practice</b>		
No Response	3	4.6%
First District	--	0
Second District	1	1.5%
Third District	58	90.6%
Fourth District	2	3.1%
Outside of Alaska	--	0

**Evaluation of Judge Gregory Louis Heath:  
Alaska Bar Association Members**

**Summary of Findings**

Judge Gregory Louis Heath was evaluated by 60 Alaska Bar Association members who reported having direct professional experience with the judge. The mean score on *overall evaluation* was 4.1. The highest mean score was obtained on *integrity* (4.2) and the lowest score was obtained on *legal ability* (3.9). Details are present in the two tables that follow.

	Poor		Deficient		Accept		Good		Excellent		Mean
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
<b>Legal Ability</b>	1	1.7%	1	1.7%	16	28.0%	22	38.5%	17	29.8%	3.9
<b>Impartiality/Fairness</b>	2	3.3%	2	3.3%	11	18.6%	17	28.8%	27	45.7%	4.1
<b>Integrity</b>	1	1.7%	1	1.7%	9	15.5%	19	32.7%	28	48.2%	4.2
<b>Judicial Temperament</b>	2	3.3%	3	5.0%	8	13.3%	19	31.6%	28	46.6%	4.1
<b>Diligence</b>	1	1.7%	2	3.5%	11	19.6%	24	42.8%	18	32.1%	4.0
<b>Overall Rating</b>	1	1.7%	3	5.2%	9	15.7%	20	35.0%	24	42.1%	4.1

Note: Ratings for only those respondents who reported direct professional experience with the judge.

**Judge Gregory Louis Heath: Detailed Information Responses  
Alaska Bar Association Members**

	Legal Ability		Impartiality/ Fairness		Integrity		Judicial Temperament		Diligence		Overall Rating	
	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N
<b>Basis for Evaluation of Judge</b>												
No Response	3.0	2	2.5	2	4.5	2	4.0	2	4.0	1	3.5	2
<b>Direct Professional</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>57</b>
Professional Reputation	4.7	3	4.3	3	5.0	3	4.7	3	4.3	3	4.7	3
Other Personal Contacts	4.0	1	4.0	1	4.0	1	4.0	1	4.0	1	4.0	1
<b>Type of Practice</b>												
No Response	3.0	2	2.5	2	3.0	2	2.5	2	3.0	2	2.5	2
Private, Solo	3.8	17	3.9	17	4.1	16	4.1	17	3.8	17	3.9	17
Private, 2-5 Attorneys	4.1	8	4.5	8	4.5	8	4.4	8	4.1	8	4.4	8
Private, 6+ Attorneys	4.0	1	4.0	1	4.0	1	4.0	1	4.0	1	4.0	1
Private, Corporate Employee	3.0	1	3.0	1	3.0	1	2.0	1	3.0	1	3.0	1
State Judge or Judicial Officer	4.0	7	4.6	7	4.7	7	4.6	7	4.5	6	4.6	7
Government	4.1	19	4.2	20	4.4	20	4.2	21	4.1	19	4.3	18
Public Service Agency or Organization (not govt)	--	0	3.0	1	3.0	1	3.0	1	--	0	3.0	1
Other	3.5	2	4.5	2	4.5	2	4.5	2	4.5	2	4.0	2
<b>Years Experience</b>												
No Response	3.7	3	3.3	3	3.7	3	3.3	3	3.3	3	3.3	3
5 Years or fewer	3.9	10	3.7	11	4.0	11	3.9	11	3.9	10	3.9	10
6 to 10 years	3.8	10	4.0	10	4.0	10	4.3	10	3.9	10	4.0	10
11 to 15 years	4.3	8	4.3	9	4.4	8	4.3	9	4.1	8	4.3	8
16 to 20 years	3.9	10	4.3	10	4.3	10	4.3	10	4.1	9	4.3	10
21 years or more	3.9	16	4.3	16	4.6	16	4.1	17	4.1	16	4.3	16
<b>Gender</b>												
No Response	3.0	2	2.5	2	3.0	2	2.5	2	3.0	2	2.5	2
Male	3.8	35	4.2	36	4.3	36	4.2	37	3.9	34	4.2	35
Female	4.2	20	4.1	21	4.3	20	4.2	21	4.2	20	4.2	20
<b>Majority of Practice Consists of</b>												
No Response	3.0	2	2.5	2	3.0	2	2.5	2	3.0	2	2.5	2
Prosecution	3.8	6	3.7	6	4.3	6	4.2	6	3.8	6	4.2	6
Mainly Criminal	4.2	9	4.3	9	4.3	9	4.4	9	4.2	9	4.4	8
Mixed Criminal & Civil	4.0	24	4.3	24	4.4	23	4.2	25	4.2	23	4.3	24
Mainly Civil	3.8	13	3.9	15	3.9	15	3.9	15	3.6	13	3.8	14
Other	4.0	3	4.7	3	4.7	3	4.7	3	4.7	3	4.3	3
<b>Location of Practice</b>												
No Response	3.0	2	2.5	2	3.0	2	2.5	2	3.0	2	2.5	2
First District	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Second District	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Third District	4.0	53	4.2	55	4.3	54	4.2	56	4.0	52	4.2	53
Fourth District	3.5	2	4.0	2	4.0	2	4.0	2	4.0	2	4.0	2
Outside of Alaska	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0

Note: Ratings for only those respondents who reported direct professional experience with the judge.

**50. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE GREGORY LOUIS HEATH**

**B. Peace and Probation Officers**

**Demographic Description (N=28)**

		<b>N</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Type of Work</b>			
	No Response	--	0
	State Law Enforcement Officer	11	39.2%
	Municipal/Borough Law Enforcement Officer	9	32.1%
	Village Public Safety Officer (VPSO)	--	0
	Probation/Parole Officer	8	28.5%
	Other	--	0
<b>Length of Alaska Experience</b>			
	No Response	1	3.5%
	5 Years or fewer	11	39.2%
	6 to 10 years	8	28.5%
	11 to 15 years	2	7.1%
	16 to 20 years	1	3.5%
	21 years or more	5	17.8%
<b>Gender</b>			
	No Response	--	0
	Male	21	75.0%
	Female	7	25.0%
<b>Location of Practice</b>			
	No Response	--	0
	First District	--	0
	Second District	--	0
	Third District	28	100.0%
	Fourth District	--	0
	Outside of Alaska	--	0
<b>Community Population</b>			
	No Response	--	0
	Under 2,000	--	0
	Between 2,000 and 35,000	17	60.7%
	Over 35,000	11	39.2%

**Evaluation of Judge Gregory Louis Heath  
Peace and Probation Officers**

**Summary of Findings**

Judge Gregory Louis Heath was evaluated by 22 Peace and Probation Officers who reported having direct professional experience with the judge. The mean score on *overall evaluation* was 3.9. The highest mean score was obtained on *integrity* (4.2) and the lowest scores were obtained on *impartiality/fairness* (3.9) and *diligence* (3.9). Details are present in the two tables that follow.

	Poor		Deficient		Accept		Good		Excellent		Mean
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
<b>Impartiality/Fairness</b>	--	0	2	9.0%	5	22.7%	9	40.9%	6	27.2%	3.9
<b>Integrity</b>	--	0	--	0	6	28.5%	5	23.8%	10	47.6%	4.2
<b>Judicial Temperament</b>	--	0	--	0	6	27.2%	9	40.9%	7	31.8%	4.0
<b>Diligence</b>	--	0	1	4.7%	5	23.8%	10	47.6%	5	23.8%	3.9
<b>Overall Rating</b>	--	0	1	5.0%	6	30.0%	8	40.0%	5	25.0%	3.9

Note: Ratings for only those respondents who reported direct professional experience with the judge.

**Judge Gregory Louis Heath: Detailed Information on Responses  
Peace and Probation Officers**

	Impartiality/ Fairness		Integrity		Judicial Temperament		Diligence		Overall Rating	
	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N
<b>Basis for Evaluation of Judge</b>										
No Response	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
<b>Direct Professional</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>20</b>
Professional Reputation	4.2	5	4.2	5	4.2	5	4.2	5	4.2	5
Other Personal Contacts	5.0	1	5.0	1	5.0	1	5.0	1	5.0	1
<b>Type of Work</b>										
No Response	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
State Law Enforcement Officer	4.0	9	4.4	9	4.3	9	4.2	9	4.1	8
Municipal/Borough Law Enforcement Officer	3.5	8	3.9	7	3.8	8	3.4	7	3.4	7
Village Public Safety Officer (VPSO)	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Probation/Parole Officer	4.2	5	4.2	5	4.0	5	4.0	5	4.0	5
Other	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
<b>Years Experience</b>										
No Response	2.0	1	--	0	3.0	1	--	0	2.0	1
5 Years or fewer	3.9	8	4.3	8	4.0	8	4.0	8	4.1	8
6 to 10 years	4.3	7	4.4	7	4.3	7	4.0	7	4.0	5
11 to 15 years	3.5	2	3.5	2	4.0	2	3.5	2	3.5	2
16 to 20 years	3.0	1	3.0	1	3.0	1	3.0	1	3.0	1
21 years or more	4.0	3	4.3	3	4.3	3	4.0	3	4.0	3
<b>Gender</b>										
No Response	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Male	3.9	17	4.3	16	4.0	17	3.9	16	3.9	15
Female	3.8	5	4.0	5	4.2	5	3.8	5	3.8	5
<b>Location of Practice</b>										
No Response	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
First District	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Second District	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Third District	3.9	22	4.2	21	4.0	22	3.9	21	3.9	20
Fourth District	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Outside of Alaska	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
<b>Community Population</b>										
No Response	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Under 2,000	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Between 2,000 and 35,000	3.8	13	4.1	12	3.8	13	3.7	12	3.6	11
Over 35,000	4.0	9	4.3	9	4.4	9	4.2	9	4.1	9

Note: Ratings for only those respondents who reported direct professional experience with the judge.



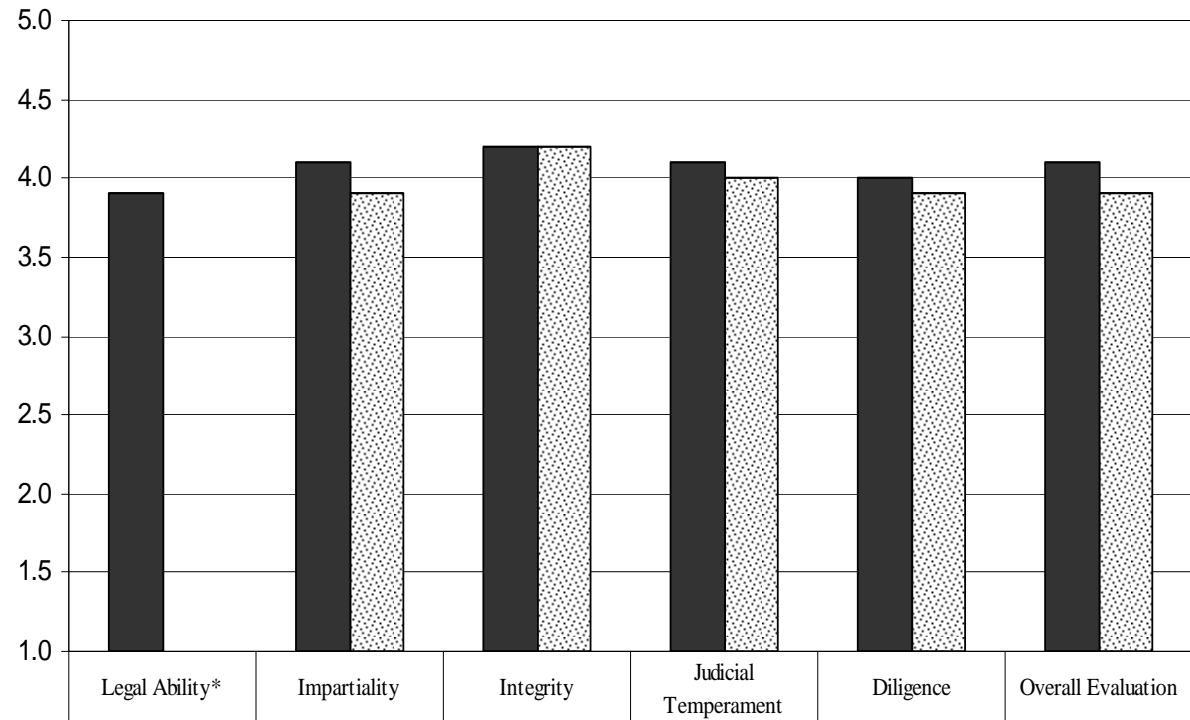
**50. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE GREGORY LOUIS HEATH**

**C. Social Workers, Guardians ad Litem, and CASA Volunteers**

**There were no respondents from this group for Judge Gregory Louis Heath.**

## District Court Judge Gregory Louis Heath

*Average Ratings from All Groups Surveyed*



\*Legal Ability items are only completed by Alaska Bar Association members.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Juror Survey Results                      2006 Retention Evaluation                      Gregory Louis Heath</b></p>											
		<b>Distribution of Ratings</b>									
<b>Survey Category</b>	<b>Mean</b>	<b>Excellent % (n)</b>	<b>Good % (n)</b>	<b>Acceptable % (n)</b>	<b>Deficient % (n)</b>	<b>Poor % (n)</b>	<b>Total Returned = 28</b>				
<b>Impartiality/Fairness</b>	<b>4.9</b>	86% 24	14% 4	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0					
<b>Respectful/Courteous</b>	<b>4.9</b>	86% 24	14% 4	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0					
<b>Attentive during Proceedings</b>	<b>4.8</b>	86% 24	11% 3	4% 1	0% 0	0% 0					
<b>Control over Proceedings</b>	<b>4.9</b>	86% 24	14% 4	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0					
<b>Intelligence/Skill as a Judge</b>	<b>4.8</b>	75% 21	25% 7	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0					
<b>Overall Evaluation</b>	<b>4.8</b>	82% 23	18% 5	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0					

<p align="center"><b>Court Employee Survey Results 2006 Retention Evaluation Gregory Heath</b></p>											
		<p align="center"><b>Distribution of Ratings</b></p>									
<p><b>Survey Category</b></p>	<p><b>Mean</b></p>	<p><b>Excellent % (n)</b></p>	<p><b>Good % (n)</b></p>	<p><b>Acceptable % (n)</b></p>	<p><b>Deficient % (n)</b></p>	<p><b>Poor % (n)</b></p>	<p><b>Total Returned = 17</b></p>				
<p><b>Impartiality/Fairness</b></p>	<p><b>4.4</b></p>	<p>47% 8</p>	<p>41% 7</p>	<p>6% 1</p>	<p>0% 0</p>	<p>0% 0</p>	<p>16</p>				
<p><b>Integrity</b></p>	<p><b>4.5</b></p>	<p>65% 11</p>	<p>24% 4</p>	<p>6% 1</p>	<p>6% 1</p>	<p>0% 0</p>	<p>17</p>				
<p><b>Judicial Temperament</b></p>	<p><b>4.3</b></p>	<p>41% 7</p>	<p>35% 6</p>	<p>12% 2</p>	<p>0% 0</p>	<p>0% 0</p>	<p>15</p>				
<p><b>Diligence</b></p>	<p><b>4.3</b></p>	<p>47% 8</p>	<p>41% 7</p>	<p>6% 1</p>	<p>6% 1</p>	<p>0% 0</p>	<p>17</p>				
<p><b>Overall Evaluation</b></p>	<p><b>4.5</b></p>	<p>53% 9</p>	<p>35% 6</p>	<p>6% 1</p>	<p>0% 0</p>	<p>0% 0</p>	<p>16</p>				