

Biographical Statement

Name: Una Sonia Gandbhir

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

Anchorage Superior Court

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I'm the oldest child of immigrant parents and was raised in an extended Indian family in suburban Boston. I graduated from Bryn Mawr College, where I studied English and Anthropology. After two years working freelance in Baltimore, I attended Northeastern University School of Law for its focus on public interest. My final internship with Alaska Legal Services in Anchorage led to a job with a private attorney. After that office closed, I opened my own practice focused on elder and disability law. For fifteen years, I represented some of our community's most vulnerable people. Working as a magistrate judge with the Anchorage court has allowed me to continue to serve the public in a meaningful way. I've been a proud Alaskan for nearly twenty-five years. In my spare time, I enjoy hiking, reading, traveling, and family time with my husband and teenage son exploring all this state has to offer.