Alaska Judicial Council

Judicial Applicant Biographical Statement

Name: Jonathan Stinson

Position(s): Anchorage District Court

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I am a lifelong Alaskan who was born in Anchorage and raised in communities throughout the state. I graduated from Houston High School and then the University of Alaska, Anchorage.

After graduating from UAA I commissioned as an officer in the United States Marine Corps. I continue to serve in the USMC Reserve, presently as a Major.

In 2020 I graduated from the University of California Irvine School of Law and began my legal career. I worked for a year at a local law firm before joining the Anchorage District Attorney's Office. I prosecuted criminal cases arising out of the Aleutians, as well as DV felonies committed in Anchorage. In the fall of 2023 I became a Magistrate Judge. I am immensely honored and humbled to serve as a Magistrate Judge.

When not working, I enjoy skiing, biking, fishing, and exploring the outdoors with my family.