

JUDICIAL CANDIDATES RATING COALITION
REQUEST FOR BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION
FROM JUDICIAL CANDIDATES

This form seeks information about you that will be posted on the Judge4Yourself.com website with its ratings. Please complete and return this form and a black and white photograph of yourself no later than **June 18, 2008**. Each Candidate is responsible to provide accurate information, to review the information when posted and to advise the JCRC promptly of any correction required to that candidate's posted information.

Name: Richard J. McMonagle

Current City of Residence: Cleveland Date and Place of Birth: November 12, 1941

Undergraduate School and Degree (Year of Graduation): Villanova Univ. - B.S. Economics

Law School (Year of Graduation): 1964

Other Graduate School, if any, and Degree (Year of Graduation): Western Reserve Univ. - 1967

Year Admitted to Practice in Ohio: 1967 Number of Years Engaged in Practice of Law in Ohio 12.25
(excluding Judicial Service)

Other Court(s) to Which
You Are Admitted & Year(s): Supreme Court of the United States of America - 1971

Number of Years Engaged in Practice of Law in any State (excluding Judicial Service): 12.25

Briefly describe your areas of practice: General practice involving civil, criminal, domestic
relations, probate and nearly all muni courts, Cuyahoga County, Lorain County, Summit
County, Lake County and Geauga County.

Summarize your experience, if any, before the court to which you seek election: I have been a judge of
the Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas, General Division since 1979

Service as judge in state or federal court of record (identify position, court and years of service): _____

Current Position and Employer (number of years in this position): Judge, Cuyahoga County Court of
Common Pleas, General Division since 1979

Previous Employment and Dates: Self employed attorney from 1967 until 1979. Prior to the
general practice of law, I was employed in a number of law offices during the
summer and also worked for a commercial real estate firm for a few summers during
college.

List no more than five of your significant community or charitable activities:

I was president of the Board of the Ruffing Montessori School, volunteer coach
for high school CYO basketball for St. Luke's Parish in Lakewood, Ohio. I was a
member of Edgewater Home Onwer's Association.