

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 before your scheduled interview.

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: Janet Rath Colaluca

Current City of Residence: 63 Haskell Drive, Bratenahl, Ohio 44108

Date and Place of Birth: 9-5-1964 (Cleveland, Ohio)

Undergraduate School and Degree (Year of Graduation): John Carroll University (BSBA Degree) 1986

Law School (Year of Graduation): Cleveland-Marshall College of Law (JD Degree) 1991

Other Graduate School, if any, and Degree (Year of Graduation): N/A

Year Admitted to Practice in Ohio: 1991 Number of Years Engaged in Practice of Law in Ohio : 10 years
(excluding Judicial Service)

Other Court(s) to Which

You Are Admitted & Year(s): Ohio Supreme Court, Federal Court- Northern District of Ohio

Number of Years Engaged in Practice of Law in any State (excluding Judicial Service): 10 years State of Ohio

Briefly describe your areas of practice: Maintained a private practice when not engaged as a full-time Judge or Magistrate.
(Pursuant to Canons of Judicial Conduct)

My practice mainly consisted of representation of clients with family law matters in either Domestic or Juvenile Court, Probate issues, and general matters before Municipal Courts, such as DUI, speeding, license-related matters.

Summarize your experience, if any, before the court to which you seek election: In addition to handling matters for clients in various municipal courts throughout the area (see answer to prior question), I served as a Magistrate in the Mayor's Court in the Village of Bratenahl for approximately six (6) years, where I presided over all types of misdemeanor matters, such as those handled in the Cleveland Municipal Court, with the exception of jury trials, which were removed to the Cleveland Municipal Court.

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

Judge- Cleveland Municipal Court (2016 to Present)

Judge-Cuyahoga County Domestic Relations Court (2012-2014)

Magistrate-Cuyahoga County Domestic Relations Court (1996-2014)

Magistrate-Cuyahoga County Juvenile Court (2008-2011)

Magistrate-Cuyahoga County Probate Court (2015-2016)

Magistrate-Village of Bratenahl Mayor's Court (2005-2012)

Current Position and Employer (number of years in this position):

Judge-Cleveland Municipal Court (April 2016 to Present)

Previous Employment and Dates: PLEASE SEE ATTACHED RESUME

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

Cleveland Lawyers Guild-Member

Justinian Forum-Honorary Trustee

The Junior League of Cleveland-Past Member of Board of Trustees

John Carroll University-Past Member-Alumni in Admissions

Health Hill Children's Hospital-Past Co-Chair, Hearthrob Ball- Annual Charitable Fundraiser