

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 color 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: Robert C. McClelland _____

Current City of Residence: Shaker Heights Date and Place of Birth: December 27, 1952, Berea, Ohio

Undergraduate School and Degree (Year of Graduation): Denison University, B.A. Speech Communication, 1975

Law School (Year of Graduation): Cleveland Marshall College of Law, 1980

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

Year Admitted to Practice in Ohio: 1980 Number of Years Engaged in Practice of Law in Ohio 31
(excluding Judicial Service)

Other Court(s) to Which

You Are Admitted & Year(s): U.S.D.C. Northern Dist., 1980, 6th Circuit Court of Appeals, 1983

Number of Years Engaged in Practice of Law in any State (excluding Judicial Service): 31

Briefly describe your areas of practice: All litigation and appellate practice. Generally it involved the defense of civil cases including personal injury, products liability, employment, land use and zoning, municipal law, and workers' compensation. I was City Prosecutor for the City of Westlake in the mid-1980's and the Assistant Law Director from 1982-1992.

Summarize your experience, if any, before the court to which you seek election: I was either the lead or sole trial counsel in over 150 civil jury trials before multiple courts of common pleas throughout Ohio over a period of 31 years.

Service as judge in state or federal court of record (identify position, court and years of service): I have been a judge of the General Division of the Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas since March 28, 2011.

Current Position and Employer (number of years in this position): Judge, Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas, General Division, 9 1/2 years. Employers are Cuyahoga County and Ohio Supreme Court.

Previous Employment and Dates: Berea City Schools 1975-1977 (English Teacher); Strongsville City Schools 1977-1979 (English Teacher); Law Clerk, Petro & Troia 1979-1980; Associate Attorney Petro & Troia 1980-1984; Partner, Rademaker, Matty, McClelland & Greve 1984-2011; Assistant Law Director/Prosecutor, City of Westlake, 1982-1992.

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

Susan G. Komen Race/Walk for the Cure; 3-R's, Judge on the Mental Health & Developmental Disabilities Docket
