

# Carrie Elizabeth Glaeden



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**Occupation:** Judge

**Education:** J.D. from Ohio State University College of Law; B.A. in Sociology and Psychology and Certificate in Criminal Justice from University of Wisconsin – Madison

**Work Experience:** Judge of Franklin County Municipal Court since 2004; Legal Counsel to Ohio Governor 1992 – 1993 and 1996 – 2003; Crime Victims Section Chief for Ohio Attorney

**Family:** Married with 2 adult step-children

**Affiliations:** Trinity United Methodist Church; Ohio Family Violence Prevention Center Advisory Council; YWCA Family Center; Columbus Bar Foundation

**Endorsements:** AFL-CIO, Central Ohio/Columbus Building Trades, FOP (Capitol City Lodge #9)

**Bar Association Ratings:** Highly Recommended by the Columbus Bar Association

## (1) List your judicial experience (courts & years).

Franklin County Municipal Court Judge 2004 to present

## (2) What about your non-judicial legal experience qualifies you to be a judge?

My experience as an assistant city prosecutor for Columbus helped me to know the types and volume of cases that come before me as a judge and to learn the rules of evidence and rules of procedure. My experience at the Ohio Department of Liquor Control helped me with issues that law enforcement deal with regarding search and seizure and gathering evidence. My experience with the Ohio Attorney General's office as Chief of Crime Victims Services helped me learn about victims rights and other issues that impact crime victims and survivors.

Because I supervised many employees as section chief, I learned about management, labor unions, human resources and personnel issues. My experience with the Governor's office helped me learn to deal with the general public to explain issues and procedures of interest to them and learn where to refer them to in state and local government. It helped me learn the legislative and budget processes. With the work I did in the area of extradition, I learned collaboration and effective communication with governors offices, prosecutors and law enforcement agencies from around the state and country. With my experiences in the area of executive clemency (pardons and commutations), it allowed me to work with persons who wanted to clear their criminal records and with persons who were incarcerated and/or their family who wanted to have their sentences shortened.

## (3) Why are you running for this particular court seat?

I am running for reelection as Judge of the Franklin County Municipal Court because I think I am making a difference in peoples' lives. In Franklin County Municipal Court, we see persons who have come into contact with the criminal justice system usually by a mistake in facts or judgment or because of mental health, behavioral or substance abuse issues. In Municipal Court there are many sentencing options to address what may have caused this court contact. I try to look at each case individually and determine what is the best course of action. If the offender pleads or is found guilty of an offense, I look to see if probation is appropriate and whether the person can benefit from any counseling or treatment. I look to see if there is a victim in the case and what the victim would like to see happen and consider whether restitution should be ordered or a no contact order should be part of

the sentence. I am also running for reelection to pursue the implementation of a Domestic Violence Court within the Franklin County Municipal Court. This court would allow all those charged with Domestic Violence as part of a marriage or similar relationship to come before the same judge so that their cases can be heard with consistency and perhaps addressed more quickly than they are now.

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