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## Eugene S. Nevius

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**Occupation:** Municipal Court Judge

**Education:** Catholic Central High

School, 1965; Xavier University, 1969; Ohio Northern University, Juris Doctorate, 1972

**Work Experience:** General Practice Lawyer 10 years; Public Defender 3 years; Law Professor 7 years.

**Family:** Married 36 years with three children and 2 grandsons.

**Affiliations:** Irish Fellowship, Big Brothers, Catholic Social Services, Kiwanis, University Club, CYO Coach & Thunder Coach

**Endorsements:** N/A

**Bar Association Ratings:** Previous elections rated well qualified.

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

Clark County Municipal Court Judge since 1981. Served 18 years as the presiding administrative judge. Served 15 years on Board of Trustees of the Association of Municipal and County Court Judges of Ohio. Continues to serve ex officio. Served as President of that Association from February 10, 2000, until February 13, 2001. Served as immediate past president of the Judge's Association through February 8, 2002. Also concurrently served on the Executive Committee of the Ohio Judicial Conference. Conducted numerous seminars for the training of new and used Judges. Appointed by the Ohio Supreme Court to mentor new judges throughout the State. (2) **What about your non-judicial legal experience qualifies you to be a judge?**

I was in the private practice of Law for ten years handling a wide variety of general practice matters. I also was hired to establish the Clark County Public Defender Office and served as its Chief Attorney for three years (1972-1975). I was hired as a Law Professor to establish and oversee a clinical program for students at Ohio Northern University College of Law (1975-1981).

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

For 34 years I have been committed to making the Clark County Municipal Court the best it could be. Through many difficult and challenging times, we have been able to operate in a fair and efficient manner serving the citizens of Clark County well. We weren't always housed in adequate quarters or funded appropriately for our assigned tasks, but we always managed to perform in a professional capacity. Since we have been able to improve our surroundings and upgrade our staffing, we have become one of the best Municipal Courts in the State of Ohio. Our accomplishments serve to make all of Clark County a better, safer place to live. I take great pride in being part of the restricting of our Court over these past thirty years and I want to be part of this continuing success story for six more years. We have excellent chemistry with our staff here and a tremendous work ethic that I don't want to see disrupted. The Municipal Court has been operating successfully for quite some time. There is no need to change.

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