

James H. Hewitt III



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Occupation: Judge Cleveland

Municipal Court

Education: B.A. Economics, Macalaster College (St. Paul, MN) 1976 J.D. Cleveland Marshall College of Law 1979

Work Experience: Judge-Cleveland Municipal Court 03/15 to present, Hewitt Law LLC 2010 to 2015, James H. Hewitt Co. LPA 2000 to 2010, Coaxum & Hewitt LLC 1983 to 2000, Law Director, City of East Cleveland 1990 to 1997, Hahn, Loeser, Freedheim, Dean & Wellman 1980 to 1983

Family: Divorced and Not Remarried with one son who is currently 32 years old

Affiliations: Deacon, Olivet Institutional Baptist Church, Cleveland, OH

Endorsements: Pending

Bar Association Ratings: Pending

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

Currently Serving as a Judge in the Cleveland Municipal Court
Admitted to: Supreme Court of the United States of America 1992 U.S District Court for the Northern District of Ohio 1980 U.S Court of Appeals, Sixth Circuit 1984

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

Hewitt Law LLC 2010 to 2015 James H. Hewitt Co. LPA 2000 to 2010 Board of Bar Examiners 2009-2014 Master Commissioner, U. S. District Court (Northern District of Ohio) 2006 to 2015 President, Cuyahoga County Law Directors Association 1994 to 1995 Law Director, City of East Cleveland 1990 to 1997 Panel Commissioner, Ohio Court of Claims 1988 to 2006 Coaxum & Hewitt LLC 1983 to 2000 Hahn, Loeser, Freedheim, Dean & Wellman 1980 to 1983

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

I was appointed to this seat by the Governor on January 31, 2015 and started my service to the community on March 7, 2015. The Cleveland Municipal Court is the busiest court in the state and it is truly a problem solving court. Through programs like the Community Orientation Program (COP), Communication Awareness Program (CAP), Domestic Intervention Education Training (DIET) and Get On Track (GOT) each of which I have personally attended and participated in, we can keep our community safe and at the same time return those who come in contact with the court back to the community better off than when they originally came in. These programs along with firm but fair Judges will help make Cleveland the best place to live, work and raise a family.