

## Tom McCarty



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Former Judge Tom McCarty for Common Pleas Court

**Occupation:** Assistant Attorney General

**Education:** Walsh Jesuit High School, B.S.  
University of Akron, J.D. University of Akron  
School of Law

**Work Experience:** I am a former Judge of the Akron Municipal Court, former Presiding Judge of the Drug Court, and have 35+ years of legal experience practicing in Common Pleas Courts across the State of Ohio. I have argued and won cases in the Supreme Court of Ohio.

**Family:** I have been married to Judge Alison McCarty for 29 years, and we are the parents of two daughters.

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

I am a lifetime resident of Summit County, and attended all of my schooling here. I have raised my family here, and my daughters attended the public schools in Akron and Bath. I am POLICE ENDORSED by retired Sheriff Drew Alexander. As an Assistant Attorney General, I fight to protect the interests of the Ohio taxpayer. I have tried dozens of trials in courtrooms across the State of Ohio. I have argued and won cases in the Ohio Supreme Court. I have 30+ years of experience practicing law in the Common Pleas Court. I am tough but fair.

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

I have wanted to be a lawyer since I was 7 years old. I believe that our justice system, while not perfect, is the greatest in the world. This system is contingent upon having good and honest judges who will follow the law and give every party a fair shake. I did that when I served as Akron Municipal Judge, I do that as an Assistant Attorney General, and I will do that as a Common Pleas Judge. I am involved in my community and am a respected member of the legal profession. I have excellent trial experience and know how to run a courtroom in a way that is fair but also keeps cases moving along. I respectfully ask for your vote.



### Judicial Votes Count



### WHAT'S AT STAKE?

In 2018, Ohio voters elected judges to the Supreme Court of Ohio and all 12 districts of the Court of Appeals, as well as most courts of common pleas and county courts.

### Election Results

#### 2019 Voter Registration Deadlines

For Primary Election: April 8, 2019

For General Election: Oct. 7, 2019

[Register to Vote Online or Update Your Name/Address Here](#)

#### 2019 Election Dates

Primary Election: May 7, 2019

General Election: Nov. 5, 2019

Polls are open on Election Days from 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

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**Affiliations:** Member of Vine Fellowship Church, former Elder and Sunday School teacher, Akron Art Museum, University of Akron Mock Trial Team Coach

**Endorsements:** N/A

**Bar Association Ratings:** N/A

**(1) List your judicial experience (courts and years)** I served as an Akron Municipal Judge for two years, 2009-2011, and served as the Presiding Judge of the Akron Municipal Drug Court in 2011.

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