

**Alaska Judicial Council
2010 Judicial Retention Performance Evaluation Materials
Judge Mark Rindner
Anchorage Superior Court**

The Judicial Council finds Judge Rindner to be **Qualified** and recommends unanimously that the public vote **"YES"** to retain him as a superior court judge.

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Alaska Judicial Council Recommendation

Judge Mark Rindner, Superior Court, Anchorage

Judicial Council Recommendation 2010

The Alaska Judicial Council is a non-partisan citizens' commission established by the Alaska constitution. Alaskan law requires the Council to evaluate judges' performance and authorizes the Council to recommend to voters whether judges should be retained in office. The Judicial Council reviews judges' integrity, diligence, legal ability, fairness, demeanor, ability to manage their caseloads, and overall performance of their judicial responsibilities in and out of the courtroom. The Judicial Council finds Judge Rindner to be **Qualified** and recommends unanimously that the public vote "YES" to retain him as a superior court judge.

Judicial Council Evaluation

The Judicial Council surveyed thousands of Alaskans including peace and probation officers, court employees, attorneys, jurors, social workers/guardians ad litem, and child advocates about the judges on the ballot. Respondents were asked to rate judicial performance and to submit comments. The Council also reviewed the ratings and observations of the Alaska Judicial Observers, independent community-based volunteers. The Council reviewed the judge's preemptory challenge, recusals, and appellate affirmance and reversal rates; any civil or criminal litigation involving the judge; APOC and court system conflict-of-interest statements; any disciplinary files involving the judge; and whether a judge's pay was withheld for an untimely decision. The Council reviewed other court records and investigated judicial conduct in specific cases. The Council interviewed some judges, attorneys, and court staff, and held a statewide public hearing to obtain comments about judges.

	Attorney Survey	Peace Officer Survey	Juror Survey	Court Employee Survey	Social Workers Guardians ad Litem CASAs
Legal Ability	4.3	---	---	---	---
Impartiality	4.0	2.6	4.9	4.2	4.2
Integrity	4.3	3.0	---	4.2	4.6
Temperament	3.7	2.6	4.9	3.8	3.8
Diligence	4.3	3.0	---	4.2	4.1
Overall	4.1	2.8	5.0	4.2	4.1

Ratings are based on a one to five scale. Five is the best rating and three is "acceptable."

Rating Scale

5.0 = Excellent
 4.0 = Good
 3.0 = Acceptable
 2.0 = Deficient
 1.0 = Poor

Summary of Survey Information

Survey respondents rated Judge Rindner on the categories summarized in the table above, using 5 as the highest rating possible. The attorney rating for Judge Rindner on overall performance was 4.1. Peace and probation officers gave Judge Rindner a rating of 2.8. Jurors rated him 5.0 overall, court employees gave him 4.2, and social workers, guardians ad litem and CASA volunteers rated him at 4.1. The Alaska Judicial Observers rated him 3.45.

Recommendation: Vote "YES" to retain Judge Mark Rindner

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Alaska Judicial Council Questionnaire

Trial Judge 2010 Candidates for Judicial Retention

October 22, 2009

Mark Rindner

Anchorage Superior

Name

Court

1. Please estimate your workload during your present term.

- | | | | |
|----|--------------------------------------|----|---|
| a) | <u>97</u> % civil cases | b) | <u>4-5</u> # of jury trials/year |
| | <u>1</u> % criminal cases | | <u>80</u> # of non-jury trials/year |
| | <u>2</u> % court administrative work | | <u>4</u> # of administrative appeals/year |
| | 100 % Total | | |

2. Please describe your participation on court/bar committees or other administrative activities during your current term of office.

- CINA Court Improvement Committee (Co-Chair)
- Conference Planning Committee
- Fairness and Access committee (Chair of Access to Justice Subcommittee)
- Alaska Bar Association Pro Bono Committee

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3. Please assess, in one or two paragraphs, your judicial performance during your present term. Appropriate areas of comment could include: satisfaction with your judicial role, specific contributions to the judiciary or the field of law, increases in legal knowledge and judicial skills, or other measures of judicial abilities that you believe to be important.

I believe my judicial performance deserves a favorable recommendation by the council. I stay on top of my cases, promptly deciding motions and bringing cases to trial. I have served as a mentor to two other judges when they first were appointed. In addition to my regular casework I act as a settlement judge for other judges one day a week and preside over a CINA therapeutic court (the Family CARE Court).

I serve on several court committees. During the past term I have represented the State several times at the National Conference of State Chairs for Access to Justice. This year I attended a Judicial College course on "Handling Difficult Domestic Cases." I have been a panelist at several CLEs both at judicial conference for judges and at bar events for practitioners. I also have regularly participated in Law Day and We the People events.

I continue to enjoy the job and remain committed to performing it to the best of my abilities.

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4. During your most recent term as a judge, have you:
- a) had a tax lien filed or other collection procedure instituted against you by federal, state, or local authorities? Yes No
 - b) been involved in a non-judicial capacity in any legal proceeding whether as a party or otherwise? Yes No
 - c) engaged in the practice of law (other than as a judge)? Yes No
 - d) held office in any political party? Yes No
 - e) held any other local state or federal office? Yes No
 - f) had any complaints, charges or grievances filed against you with the Alaska Commission on Judicial Conduct, the Alaska Bar Association, or with the Alaska Court System that resulted in public proceedings or sanctions? Yes No

5. If your answer to any of the questions above is "yes," please give full details, including dates, facts, case numbers and outcomes.

6. Please provide any other information which you believe would assist the Council in conducting its evaluations and in preparing its recommendations for the 2008 retention elections.

Much of my case load involves self-represented litigants. I suggest the council contact Stacy Marz, the Director of the Family Law Self-Help Center for her assessment of how I handle those cases.

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7. Please list your three most recent jury trials including case names and numbers. Please list the names, current addresses, including zip codes and suite numbers where applicable, and phone numbers of each attorney involved in these trials. (Attach additional pages if necessary.)

Case Number 1

Case
Name: State of Alaska **Case Number:** 3AN-06-5630 CI
 v. Eli Lilly and Company

Attorneys Involved:

Name: <u>Eric T. Sanders</u>	Name: <u>Brewster Jamieson</u>
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City, State, Zip: <u>Houston, TX 77019-2133</u>	City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>

Case Number 2

Case
Name: Deborah J. Anderson **Case Number:** 3AN-02-14199 CI
 v. PPCT Management System

Attorneys Involved:

Name: <u>Thomas S. Gingras</u>	Name: <u>Joanne T. Blackburn</u>
Address: <u>425 G Street, Suite 930</u>	Address: <u>600 University St, Ste 2100</u>
City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>	City, State, Zip: <u>Seattle, WA 98101-1176</u>
Name: _____	Name: _____
Address: _____	Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____	City, State, Zip: _____

Case Number 3

Case
Name: Dianne Le-Sueur **Case Number:** 3AN-07-6021 CI
 v. Alaska Regional Hospital

Attorneys Involved:

Name: <u>Nicholas J. Kittleson</u>	Name: <u>James H. Juliussen</u>
Address: <u>9058 Dewberry Street</u>	Address: <u>701 W. 8th Ave, Suite 800</u>
City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99502</u>	City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>
Name: _____	Name: <u>Karmyn Jones</u>
Address: _____	Address: <u>701 W. 8th Ave, Suite 800</u>
City, State, Zip: _____	City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>

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8. Please list your three most recent non-jury trials including case names and numbers. Please list the names, current addresses, including zip codes and suite numbers where applicable, and phone numbers of each attorney involved in your three most recent non-jury trials. (Attach additional pages if necessary.)

Case Number 1

Case
Name: Wells Fargo Bank NA *Case Number:* 3AN-07-9159 CI
v. Norway Estates LLC et al.

Attorneys Involved:

Name: <u>Patrick Gilmore</u>	Name: <u>Hugh Wade</u>
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City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>	City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>

Name: _____	Name: <u>Marion C. Kelly</u>
Address: _____	Address: <u>745 W. 4th Ave, Suite 425</u>
City, State, Zip: _____	City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>

Case Number 2

Case
Name: In the Matter of: *Case Number:* 3AN-08-478 PR
v. Charles H. Rhodes

Attorneys Involved:

Name: <u>Zachary Manzella</u>	Name: <u>Timothy Byrnes</u>
Address: <u>101 E. 9th Avenue, Suite 7A</u>	Address: <u>3900 C Street, Suite 1001</u>
City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 9950</u>	City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99503</u>

Name: <u>Ronald Bliss</u>	Name: _____
Address: <u>500 L St, Suite 200</u>	Address: _____
City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>	City, State, Zip: _____

Case Number 3

Case
Name: Roxanne Thygeson *Case Number:* 3AN-05-4056 CI
v. Geneva Woods Pharmacy, Inc.

Attorneys Involved:

Name: <u>David Shoup</u>	Name: <u>Jennifer Alexander</u>
Address: <u>508 W. 2nd, 3rd Floor</u>	Address: <u>1127 W. 7th Ave</u>
City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99502</u>	City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>

Name: _____	Name: <u>Stanley Lewis</u>
Address: _____	Address: <u>1127 W. 7th Ave</u>
City, State, Zip: _____	City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>

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9. Please list your three most recent cases, including case names and numbers, which did not go to trial, but on which you did significant work (such as settlement conference, hearings, motion work, etc.). Please list the names, current addresses, including zip codes and suite numbers where applicable, and phone numbers of each attorney involved these cases. (Attach additional pages if necessary.)

Case Number 1

Case

Name: E.A., et. al **Case Number:** 3AN-05-11782 CI
 v. Josef F. Boehm

Attorneys Involved:

Name: <u>Russell L. Winner</u>	Name: <u>Timothy J. Petumenos</u>
Address: <u>900 West 5th Avenue, Ste 700</u>	Address: <u>1127 West 7th Avenue</u>
City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>	City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>
Name: <u>Myron E. Angstman</u>	Name: <u>Pamela S. Sullivan</u>
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City, State, Zip: <u>Bethel, AK 99559</u>	City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>

Case Number 2

Case

Name: Doug Simonds **Case Number:** 3AN-07-11846 CI
 v. Alaska Railroad Corp.

Attorneys Involved:

Name: <u>Charles A. Dunnagan</u>	Name: <u>William F. Mede</u>
Address: <u>3000 A Street, Ste 300</u>	Address: <u>1500 W. 33rd Ave, Ste. 200</u>
City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>	City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99503</u>
Name: <u>Sarah E. Josephson</u>	Name: _____
Address: <u>3000 A Street, Ste 300</u>	Address: _____
City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>	City, State, Zip: _____

Case Number 3

Case

Name: Alaska Rent-A-Car, Inc. **Case Number:** 3AN-05-14220 CI
 v. Cendant Car Rental Group

Attorneys Involved:

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Name: _____	Name: _____
Address: _____	Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____	City, State, Zip: _____

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10. *Optional:* If you deem it helpful to the Council, please list up to three other cases during your past term in which you believe your work was particularly noteworthy. Please list the names, current addresses, including zip codes and suite numbers where applicable, and phone numbers of each attorney involved in these cases. (Attach additional pages if necessary.)

Case Number 1

Case Name: Family CARE Court *Case Number:* Numerous CINA cases

v. _____

Attorneys Involved:

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Name: <u>Chad Wynn Holt</u>	Name: <u>Pamela S. Sullivan</u>
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City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>	City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>

Case Number 2

Case Name: Alaska Public Off. Commission *Case Number:* 3AN-07-6861 CI

v. Ben Stevens

Attorneys Involved:

Name: <u>Andrew Behrend</u>	Name: <u>Margaret Paton-Walsh</u>
Address: <u>510 L Street, Suite 500</u>	Address: <u>1031 W 4th Ave, Ste 200</u>
City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>	City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>
Name: <u>James Torgerson</u>	Name: _____
Address: <u>510 L Street, Suite 500</u>	Address: _____
City, State, Zip: <u>Anchorage, AK 99501</u>	City, State, Zip: _____

Case Number 3

Case Name: _____ *Case Number:* _____

v. _____

Attorneys Involved:

Name: _____	Name: _____
Address: _____	Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____	City, State, Zip: _____
Name: _____	Name: _____
Address: _____	Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____	City, State, Zip: _____

Supplement to Question No. 7

Case Number 1 (continued)

Case Name: State of Alaska Case Number: 3AN-06-5630 CI
v. Eli Lilly & Company

Attorneys Involved:

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City,State,Zip: Murray, UT 84123

Supplement to Question No. 10

Case Name: Family CARE Court Case Number: Numerous CINA Cases

Attorneys Involved:

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Third Judicial District Mark Rindner - Anchorage Superior Court

Summary Sheet and Detailed Survey Scores

Summary of survey information

Judge Rindner's detailed survey scores follow. Attorneys rated him 4.1 on overall performance. Peace and probation officers rated him 2.8 overall, and social workers, Guardians ad Litem and CASA volunteers rated him 4.1 overall.

	Attorney Survey N=247	Peace Officer Survey N=5	Social Workers Guardians ad Litem CASAs N=10
Legal Ability	4.3	--	--
Impartiality	4.0	2.6	4.2
Integrity	4.3	3.0	4.6
Temperament	3.7	2.6	3.8
Diligence	4.3	3.0	4.1
Overall	4.1	2.8	4.1

The Judicial Council's Evaluation Process

State law requires the Judicial Council to evaluate each judge standing for retention, and to report its evaluations to the voters. The three surveys reported here are an important part of the Council's evaluations. The Council also considers survey ratings by jurors and court employees, public comments, and the ratings by the independent citizen volunteers at Alaska Judicial Observers. Along with the personal observations of the hundreds of people who had direct professional experience with the judge, the Council reviews any litigation involving the judge, conflict of interest records, public disciplinary files, and indicators of judicial performance such as appellate affirmances and reversals, and peremptory challenges and recusals. All of the evaluation information about the judge is on the Council's website at www.ajc.state.ak.us.

Superior Court Judge Mark Rindner**A. Alaska Bar Association****Demographic Description**

	N	%
Type of Practice		
No Response	3	1.1%
Private, Solo	63	22.3%
Private, 2-5 Attorneys	55	19.5%
Private, 6+ Attorneys	54	19.1%
Private, Corporate Employee	4	1.4%
Judge or Judicial Officer	36	12.8%
Government	59	20.9%
Public Service Agency or Organization (Not Govt)	7	2.5%
Other	1	.4%
Length of Alaska Practice		
No Response	6	2.1%
5 Years or fewer	14	5.0%
6 to 10 years	24	8.5%
11 to 15 years	26	9.2%
16 to 20 years	30	10.6%
21 years or more	182	64.5%
Gender		
No Response	7	2.5%
Male	186	66.0%
Female	89	31.6%
Cases Handled		
No Response	4	1.4%
Prosecution	5	1.8%
Mainly Criminal	14	5.0%
Mixed Criminal & Civil	57	20.2%
Mainly Civil	190	67.4%
Other	12	4.3%
Location of Practice		
No Response	3	1.1%
First District	10	3.5%
Second District	2	.7%
Third District	259	91.8%
Fourth District	7	2.5%
Outside of Alaska	1	.4%

Judge Mark Rindner Detailed Information Responses Alaska Bar Association Members

	Legal Ability		Impartiality/ Fairness		Integrity		Judicial Temperament		Diligence		Overall Evaluation	
	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N
Basis for Evaluation												
No Response		2		4		4		3		7		1
Direct Professional	4.3	246	4.0	244	4.3	244	3.7	245	4.3	241	4.1	247
Professional Reputation	4.5	24	4.3	24	4.6	24	4.0	24	4.3	23	4.3	25
Other Personal Contacts	4.3	8	4.0	8	4.0	8	4.0	8	4.1	7	4.3	8
Type of Practice												
No Response		0		0		0		2		1		0
Private, Solo	4.3	56	3.9	56	4.2	56	3.6	56	4.2	56	4.0	57
Private, 2-5 Attorneys	4.2	53	4.1	51	4.3	51	3.9	54	4.3	52	4.2	53
Private, 6+ Attorneys	4.4	46	4.0	46	4.4	46	4.0	44	4.3	48	4.3	46
Private, Corporate Employee	4.8	4	4.0	4	4.3	4	4.3	4	4.5	4	4.5	4
Judge or Judicial Officer	4.4	33	3.9	33	4.3	33	3.5	33	4.3	32	4.0	33
Government	4.2	47	4.0	47	4.1	47	3.5	47	4.2	45	3.9	47
Public Service Agency or Organization (Not Govt)	4.3	4	4.3	4	4.5	4	4.0	4	4.3	4	4.0	4
Other	5.0	1	5.0	1	5.0	1	5.0	1	5.0	1	5.0	1
Years of Practice in Alaska												
No Response		1		2		3		3		2		0
5 Years or fewer	4.7	9	4.4	8	4.5	8	4.4	9	4.3	9	4.6	9
6 to 10 years	4.2	23	4.0	22	4.2	23	3.6	23	4.4	22	4.1	22
11 to 15 years	4.4	24	4.0	25	4.2	25	3.6	25	4.3	23	4.0	25
16 to 20 years	4.4	27	4.3	27	4.4	27	4.2	27	4.4	25	4.3	27
21 years or more	4.3	158	3.9	157	4.2	156	3.6	156	4.3	157	4.0	159
Gender												
No Response		2		4		4		3		6		0
Male	4.3	169	4.0	167	4.3	167	3.7	169	4.3	165	4.0	171
Female	4.4	71	4.0	71	4.2	71	3.7	71	4.3	70	4.1	70
Cases Handled												
No Response		1		3		4		3		4		0
Prosecution	3.7	3	3.7	3	3.7	3	3.7	3	3.7	3	3.7	3
Mainly Criminal	4.5	12	4.2	11	4.3	12	3.7	12	4.3	11	4.2	12
Mixed Criminal & Civil	4.1	49	3.7	50	3.9	50	3.3	50	4.0	48	3.7	49
Mainly Civil	4.4	169	4.1	167	4.3	166	3.8	167	4.4	166	4.2	170
Other	4.3	10	4.3	10	4.4	10	3.8	10	4.3	10	4.1	10
Location of Practice												
No Response		1		3		4		3		7		1
First District	4.7	9	4.3	9	4.6	9	3.9	9	4.6	9	4.4	9
Second District	3.0	1	--	0	4.0	1	2.0	1	4.0	1	3.0	1
Third District	4.3	227	4.0	225	4.2	224	3.7	225	4.3	221	4.1	227
Fourth District	4.0	6	3.9	7	4.1	7	3.4	7	4.0	7	3.7	7
Outside of Alaska	5.0	1	4.0	1	5.0	1	4.0	1	4.0	1	5.0	1

Note: Ratings for only those respondents who reported direct professional experience with the judge.

Superior Court Judge Mark Rindner**B. Peace and Probation Officers****Demographic Description**

		N	%
Type of Work			
	No Response	--	0.0%
	State Law Enforcement Officer	4	57.1%
	Municipal/Borough Law Enforcement Officer	2	28.6%
	Village Public Safety Officer (VPSO)	--	0.0%
	Probation/Parole Officer	1	14.3%
	Other	--	0.0%
Length of Alaska Experience			
	No Response	--	0.0%
	5 Years or fewer	1	14.3%
	6 to 10 years	1	14.3%
	11 to 15 years	1	14.3%
	16 to 20 years	2	28.6%
	21 years or more	2	28.6%
Gender			
	No Response	--	0.0%
	Male	5	71.4%
	Female	2	28.6%
Location of Work			
	No Response	--	0.0%
	First District	--	0.0%
	Second District	--	0.0%
	Third District	7	100%
	Fourth District	--	0.0%
	Outside of Alaska	--	0.0%
Community Population			
	No Response	--	0.0%
	Under 2,000	--	0.0%
	Between 2,000 and 35,000	2	28.6%
	Over 35,000	5	71.4%

**Judge Mark Rindner
Peace and Probation Officers**

	Impartiality/ Fairness		Integrity		Judicial Temperament		Diligence		Overall Evaluation	
	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N
Basis for Evaluation										
No Response		0		0		0		0		0
Direct Professional	2.6	5	3.0	5	2.6	5	3.0	5	2.8	5
Professional Reputation	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Other Personal Contacts	5.0	1	5.0	1	5.0	1	5.0	1	5.0	1
Type of Work										
No Response		0		0		0		0		0
State Law Enforcement Officer	2.3	3	3.0	3	2.7	3	3.0	3	2.7	3
Municipal/Borough Law Enforcement Officer	2.0	1	2.0	1	1.0	1	2.0	1	2.0	1
Village Public Safety Officer (VPSO)	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Probation/Parole Officer	4.0	1	4.0	1	4.0	1	4.0	1	4.0	1
Other	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Length of Experience										
No Response		0		0		0		0		0
5 Years or fewer	4.0	1	4.0	1	4.0	1	4.0	1	4.0	1
6 to 10 years	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
11 to 15 years	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
16 to 20 years	2.0	2	2.5	2	2.5	2	2.5	2	2.5	2
21 years or more	2.5	2	3.0	2	2.0	2	3.0	2	2.5	2
Gender										
No Response		0		0		0		0		0
Male	2.3	3	3.0	3	2.7	3	3.0	3	2.7	3
Female	3.0	2	3.0	2	2.5	2	3.0	2	3.0	2
Location of Work										
No Response		0		0		0		0		0
First District	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Second District	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Third District	2.6	5	3.0	5	2.6	5	3.0	5	2.8	5
Fourth District	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Outside of Alaska	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Community Population										
No Response		0		0		0		0		0
Under 2,000	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Between 2,000 and 35,000	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Over 35,000	2.6	5	3.0	5	2.6	5	3.0	5	2.8	5

Note: Ratings for only those respondents who reported direct professional experience with the judge.

Superior Court Judge Mark Rindner**C. Social Workers, Guardians ad Litem, and CASA Volunteers****Demographic Description**

		N	%
Type of Work			
	No Response	--	0.0%
	Social Worker	4	30.8%
	Guardian ad Litem	3	23.1%
	CASA Volunteer	6	46.2%
	Other	--	0.0%
Length of Alaska Experience			
	No Response	--	0.0%
	5 Years or fewer	3	23.1%
	6 to 10 years	4	30.8%
	11 to 15 years	3	23.1%
	16 to 20 years	--	0.0%
	21 years or more	3	23.1%
Gender			
	No Response	1	7.7%
	Male	2	15.4%
	Female	10	76.9%
Location of Work			
	No Response	--	0.0%
	First District	--	0.0%
	Second District	1	7.7%
	Third District	12	92.3%
	Fourth District	--	0.0%
	Outside of Alaska	--	0.0%
Community Population			
	No Response	--	0.0%
	Under 2,000	--	0.0%
	Between 2,000 and 35,000	--	0.0%
	Over 35,000	13	100%

Judge Mark Rindner
Social Workers, Guardians ad Litem, and CASA Volunteers

	Impartiality/ Fairness		Integrity		Judicial Temperament		Diligence		Overall Evaluation	
	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N
Basis for Evaluation										
No Response		0		1		0		0		0
Direct Professional	4.2	10	4.6	9	3.8	10	4.1	10	4.1	10
Professional Reputation	3.7	3	4.3	3	3.7	3	4.7	3	4.0	3
Other Personal Contacts	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Type of Work										
No Response		0		1		0		0		0
Social Worker	4.0	3	3.7	3	3.7	3	3.7	3	4.0	3
Guardian ad Litem	4.5	2	5.0	2	3.5	2	5.0	2	4.5	2
CASA Volunteer	4.2	5	5.0	4	4.0	5	4.0	5	4.0	5
Length of Experience										
No Response		0		1		0		0		0
5 Years or fewer	4.5	2	5.0	2	4.5	2	4.5	2	4.5	2
6 to 10 years	4.3	3	4.3	3	4.0	3	4.0	3	4.3	3
11 to 15 years	3.7	3	4.0	2	3.3	3	3.3	3	3.3	3
16 to 20 years	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
21 years or more	4.5	2	5.0	2	3.5	2	5.0	2	4.5	2
Gender										
No Response		0		1		0		0		0
Male	5.0	1	5.0	1	5.0	1	5.0	1	5.0	1
Female	4.1	9	4.5	8	3.7	9	4.0	9	4.0	9
Location of Work										
No Response		0		0		0		0		0
First District	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Second District	4.0	1	5.0	1	3.0	1	3.0	1	3.0	1
Third District	4.2	9	4.5	8	3.9	9	4.2	9	4.2	9
Fourth District	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Outside of Alaska	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Community Population										
No Response		0		1		0		0		0
Under 2,000	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Between 2,000 and 35,000	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0	--	0
Over 35,000	4.2	10	4.6	9	3.8	10	4.1	10	4.1	10

Note: Ratings for only those respondents who reported direct professional experience with the judge.

Juror Survey Results 2010 Retention Evaluation Mark Rindner												
		Distribution of Ratings										
Survey Category	Mean	Excellent		Good		Acceptable		Deficient		Poor		Total Responses
		%	(n)	%	(n)	%	(n)	%	(n)	%	(n)	
Impartiality/Fairness	4.9	94%	30	6%	2	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	32
Respectful/Courteous	4.9	94%	30	6%	2	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	32
Attentive during Proceedings	4.9	88%	28	13%	4	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	32
Control over Proceedings	4.9	91%	29	9%	3	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	32
Intelligence/Skill as a Judge	5.0	97%	31	3%	1	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	32
Overall Evaluation	5.0	97%	31	3%	1	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	32

Court Employee Survey Results 2010 Retention Evaluation Mark Rindner												
Question	Excellent		Good		Acceptable		Deficient		Poor		Mean	Total Responses
	%	(n)	%	(n)	%	(n)	%	(n)	%	(n)		
Impartiality/Fairness	48%	30	27%	17	22%	14	2%	1	2%	1	4.2	63
Integrity	47%	30	30%	19	22%	14	2%	1	0%	0	4.2	64
Judicial Temperament	44%	28	17%	11	23%	15	9%	6	6%	4	3.8	64
Diligence	48%	29	27%	16	20%	12	2%	1	3%	2	4.2	60
Overall Evaluation	45%	28	31%	19	21%	13	3%	2	0%	0	4.2	62

Prior Retention Scores
 Judge Mark Rindner
 Anchorage Superior Court: Retention 2010
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Bar Survey						
2010 Retention	4.3	4.0	4.3	3.7	4.3	4.1
2004 Retention	4.3	4.2	4.4	4.1	4.3	4.2
	Legal Ability	Impartiality	Integrity	Judicial Temperament	Diligence	Overall Performance
Peace & Probation Officer Survey						
2010 Retention	2.6	3.0	2.6	3.0	2.8	
2004 Retention	4.5	4.4	4.5	3.9	4.3	
	Impartiality	Integrity	Judicial Temperament	Diligence	Overall Performance	