

Biographical Statement

Name: Andrew Ott

Position(s) for which you wish to be considered:

Kodiak Superior Court

Date: November 2024



After graduating law school, I traveled to Kodiak, Alaska in the summer of 1989 to work on the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill ("EVOS") case. The plan was to stay for 4 months but I was able to grow from handling fishermen claims for lost fishing time to a contract attorney. The work included discovery, motion practice and trial preparation. After trial, work focused on claims administration. By the time the case had concluded, I had been exposed to many different legal disciplines involving complex litigation to appellate practice. As time progressed and my family grew, I was smitten by Kodiak's charm with its maritime heritage, Alutiiq culture and its hard-working people. I am proud to call Kodiak home; and it would be a great honor to serve the community as its next superior court judge.