

Biographical Statement

Name: Margaret McWilliams

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

Juneau Superior Court

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Margie McWilliams is the supervising attorney for the Office of Public Advocacy's Juneau Civil office. She acts as Guardian ad litem for children in child in need of aid matters, civil custody cases, minor guardianships, juvenile delinquency matters, and other cases. She also represents other Guardians ad litem in trial court cases and on appeal. She presents continuing education programs for child advocates statewide.

After graduating from Harvard Law School in 1999, Margie worked as a staff attorney for Alaska Legal Services in Nome, Juneau, Dillingham, and Fairbanks. In 2004, she moved to Oregon where she represented criminal defendants in trial court and parents in appeals from juvenile dependency cases. Margie returned to Alaska to work for OPA in 2012. She lives in Douglas with her spouse and two children.

