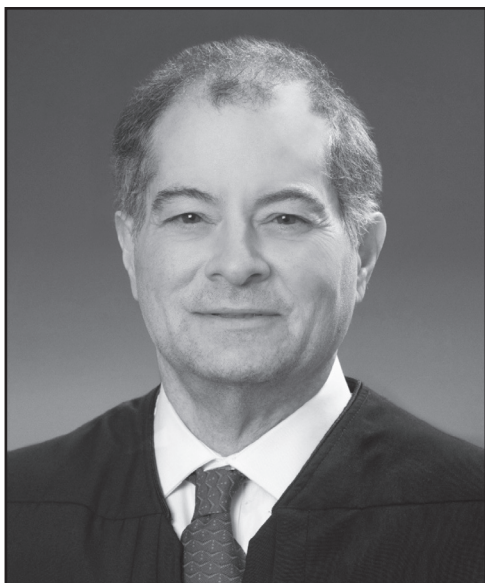


# District Court Judge

## Michael J. Franciosi, Third Judicial District



### STATEMENT:

I have lived in Alaska since 1995 and my children were born and raised here. I began my career in Valdez and have had the ability to practice throughout Alaska. In 2014 I became a Magistrate Judge and Superior Court Master in Glennallen and in 2017 I was appointed to the Anchorage District Court. As a Magistrate Judge I was able to cover matters in Glennallen, Valdez, Cordova, Naknek and Sand Point. As a training Judge I covered Kotzebue, Utqiagvik and Glennallen. I have been on the Anchorage District Court since 2017. Alaska is truly an amazing place and it has been an honor to call it home. As a District Court Judge it is important to listen to all who come before me and render fair and impartial decisions which address community concerns, victims right and the rights of those accused of crimes. It has been an honor and privilege to serve in this role. If retained, I will continue to faithfully serve the people of Alaska to the best of my ability.

**MAILING ADDRESS:** 303 K Street  
Anchorage, AK 99501

**AGE:** 59

**PLACE OF BIRTH:** Passaic, NJ

**SPOUSE'S NAME:** Anita

**CHILDREN'S NAMES:** Katherine & Victoria

**LENGTH OF RESIDENCY IN ALASKA:** 29 years

**ALASKAN COMMUNITIES LIVED IN:**  
Valdez 1995-2014 / Glennallen 2014-2017 / Anchorage  
2017-2020 / Eagle River 2020-present

**EDUCATION:**  
St. Bonaventure University (BA 1988) / Creighton  
University School of Law (JD 1991)

**POLITICAL AND GOVERNMENT POSITIONS:**  
Magistrate Judge (2014-2017) / District Court Judge  
(2017 – Present)

**SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS MEMBERSHIPS:**  
Alaska Bar Association

**SPECIAL INTERESTS:**  
Family / Outdoor activities

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# Alaska Judicial Council Evaluation

## *Judge Michael Franciosi, Anchorage District Court*

The Alaska Judicial Council finds Judge Franciosi met or exceeded performance standards and recommends a “YES” vote for another term as judge.

Judge Franciosi was appointed to the Anchorage District Court in 2017. This is his second retention election. He is a trial court judge handling civil and criminal cases.

### **Performance Summary**

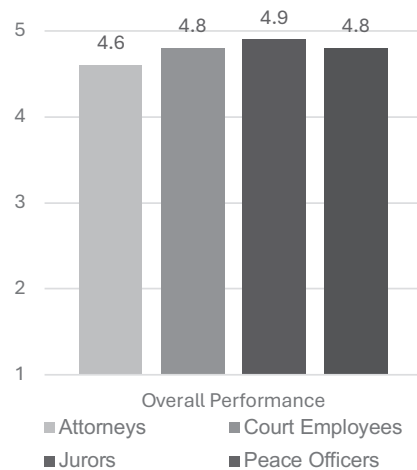
Judge Franciosi met or exceeded the performance standards of legal ability, integrity, impartiality, fairness, temperament, diligence and administrative skills, and overall performance. Judge Franciosi also met or exceeded educational requirements set by the Alaska Supreme Court.

**Performance Findings:** The Judicial Council’s evaluation of Judge Franciosi included reviews from attorneys, court employees, jurors, and peace officers. Judge Franciosi received good ratings from individuals in these groups who had direct experience with his work.

The Council reviewed other performance measures, including Judge Franciosi’s financial and conflict of interest statements, whether pay was withheld for untimely decisions, appellate reversal rates, disqualifications from cases, and public ethics files. The Council found no matters of concern in these areas.

**Professional Activities:** Judge Franciosi served as a training judge for magistrate judges.

**Ratings from Justice System Professionals and Jurors for "Overall" Job Performance for Judge Franciosi**



*Rated on a scale from 5 (excellent) to 1 (poor)*

*More survey ratings for this judge are available at [www.ajc.state.ak.us](http://www.ajc.state.ak.us)*

Find this judge’s full performance evaluation at [www.ajc.state.ak.us](http://www.ajc.state.ak.us)