
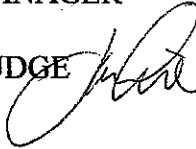


FOR COUNCIL MEETING: July 9, 2007
AGENDA ITEM NO.: _____ 4.3 (b)

TO: MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
THRU:  ROBERT G. WELLS, CITY MANAGER
FROM: JANE AIKEN, MUNICIPAL JUDGE 
DATE: 26 JUNE 2007
SUBJECT: REAPPOINTMENT OF MUNICIPAL JUDGE PRO TEMPORE

ISSUE:

To reappoint Lynda Olson as Pro Tempore Judge for the Salem Municipal Court.

RECOMMENDATION:

I respectfully request the Municipal Judge Pro Tempore, Lynda Olson, be reappointed by council to serve another term in this position.

BACKGROUND:

Pro Tempore Judges must be reappointed every two years. Lynda Olson is due for reappointment. She continues to serve admirably and is fully qualified to continue in this position.

Pro Tempore Judges serve as alternate; on-call Judges when the elected Judge is out of the office or at such times as the case loads necessitate the setting of two trials or hearings on the same date and time.

Lynda D. Olson
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Occupation:

Attorney; Arbitrator; Judge pro-tem, Salem Municipal Court

Occupational Background:

Attorney since 1979; Previously affiliated with Allen, Stortz, Fox, Susee & Olson through 12/99; Fox & Olson from 1/01/00 through 12/31/05; sole practitioner since January, 2006- Law Offices of Lynda D. Olson, Suite 1100, Capitol Center Bldg, 388 State St., Salem, Oregon. Current emphasis of practice: Family law, Probate, Estate Planning.

Arbitrator since 1997, Marion County Circuit Court. Appointed as arbitrator to handle Court - annexed arbitrations, primarily business disputes and family law matters.

Judge pro-tem, Salem Municipal Court since 1982; Frequent pro-tem , usually once per week. Served for judges Wayne Thompson, Frank Gruber and currently for Judge Aiken.

Educational Background:

Willamette University College of Law; JD 1979.

Linfield College; B.A. 1975