

**District 4 – Michael Oths (Who we are and where we come from)**

- **2015 - 355,000 total filings in Idaho, 96% in Magistrate Court**
- **2015 – 188,000 filings (excluding infractions), 92% in Magistrate Court**
- **Magistrates handle:**
  - **Felony initial proceedings**
  - **Misdemeanors**
  - **Child Protection**
  - **Juvenile**
  - **Divorce / Custody**
  - **Guardianships / Conservatorships**
  - **Probate**
  - **Small Claims**
  - **Civil Cases**
- **Demographics:**
  - **91 Magistrates, at least one in each county**
    - (◆)
    - ◆ **74 men; 17 women**
    - ◆ **Median age is 56 – about half are in their 50s**
    - ◆ **Median age at time of appointment is 43**
    - ◆ **Median is 8 years on bench**
  - **Prior Experience**
    - ◆ **46 came from private practice**
    - ◆ **26 came from county prosecutor office**
    - ◆ **16 “other”**
- **Magistrate Commissions, *Idaho Code § 1-2201, et. seq.***
- **Disciplinary Complaints by Idaho Judicial Council**
  - against judges*
  - (◆) **Demographics from 2014 survey)**

IDAHO MAGISTRATES, AS OF JANUARY 2016

Name	D	County	Name	D	County
Douglas Payne	1	Benewah	Dan Steckel	4	Ada
Deb Heise	1	Bonner	Kevin Swain	4	Ada
Lori Muelenberg	1	Bonner	Jill Jurries	4	Ada
Justin Julian	1	Boundary	William Harrigfeld	4	Ada
Timothy Van Valin	1	Kootenai	Joanne Kibodeaux	4	Ada
Rob Caldwell	1	Kootenai	Lynnette McHenry	4	Ada
Scott Wayman	1	Kootenai	John Hawley	4	Ada
Clark Peterson	1	Kootenai	Roger Cockerille	4	Boise
James Stow	1	Kootenai	David Epis	4	Elmore
Anna Eckhart	1	Kootenai	George Hicks	4	Elmore
James Combo	1	Kootenai	Lamont Berecz	4	Valley
Daniel McGee	1	Shoshone	Jennifer Haemmerle	5	Blaine
Randy Robinson	2	Clearwater	Daniel Dolan	5	Camas
Jeff Payne	2	Idaho	Blaine Cannon	5	Cassia
John Judge	2	Latah	Mick Hodges	5	Cassia
Stephen Calhoun	2	Lewis	Casey Robinson	5	Gooding
Gregory Kalbfleisch	2	Nez Perce	Tom Borreson	5	Jerome
Kent Merica	2	Nez Perce	Mark Ingram	5	Lincoln
Michelle Evans	2	Nez Perce	Rick Bollar	5	Minidoka
John Meienhofer	3	Adams	Roger Harris	5	Twin Falls
Thomas Sullivan		Canyon	Calvin Campbell	5	Twin Falls
Jayne Sullivan	3	Canyon	Tom Kershaw	5	Twin Falls
J.R. Schiller	3	Canyon	Bryan Murray	6	Bannock
Gary DeMeyer	3	Canyon	Rick Carnaroli	6	Bannock
Debra Orr	3	Canyon	Tom Clark	6	Bannock
Dayo Onanubosi	3	Canyon	Scott Axline	6	Bannock
Jerold Lee	3	Canyon	Steve Thomsen	6	Bannock
Frank Kotyk	3	Canyon	Todd Garbet	6	Bear Lake
Randall Kline	3	Canyon	David Kress	6	Caribou
Tyler Smith	3	Gem	Eric Hunn	6	Franklin
Dan Grober	3	Owyhee	David Hooste	6	Oneida
Brian Lee	3	Payette	Paul Laggis	6	Power
Robert Jackson	3	Payette	Ryan Boyer	7	Bingham
Gregory Frates	3	Washington	Scott Hansen	7	Bingham
Russell Comstock	4	Ada	Mark Riddoch	7	Bonneville
Cathleen M-Irby	4	Ada	Michelle Mallard	7	Bonneville
Tom Watkins	4	Ada	Steve Gardner	7	Bonneville
Laurie Fortier	4	Ada	Ralph Savage	7	Butte
Carolyn Minder	4	Ada	Penny Stanford	7	Clark
James Cawthon	4	Ada	James Barrett	7	Custer
Christopher Bieter	4	Ada	Gilman Gardner	7	Fremont
Andrew Ellis	4	Ada	Robert Crowley	7	Jefferson
Theresa Gardunia	4	Ada	Stephen Clark	7	Lemhi
Diane Walker	4	Ada	Mark Rammell	7	Madison
David Manweiler	4	Ada	Jason Walker	7	Teton
Michael Oths	4	Ada			