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Welcome to the Judicial Family Network!

It is my privilege as chairperson to say, "Welcome to your new life as "the Judge's" wife, husband, partner and family!" You probably just finished navigating the campaign trail with all the peaks and valleys that can include, but you are here now, so "Congratulations!" Not only did the campaign include your entire family but now a new chapter in your life as judicial family is about to begin. This is why the Judicial Family Network exists. The purpose of our network is to assist, teach, and share with you information you will find useful as you transition from private life to public life. You will find living the public life to be both challenging and rewarding. You will discover that "things" just aren't like they used to be for you, your family and of course your judge.

Our family became a judicial family in 1987 when Barbara was appointed to the General Division of the Common Pleas Court of Montgomery County. At that time our children were ages four, six and ten, but today are normal healthy adults proving that you can make it as a judicial family. Our family has thoroughly enjoyed the experience and made many good friends in the process. There was no Judicial Family Network in 1987, but thanks to Mrs. Mary Moyer and a few others it is available today to help you make and enjoy the transition to a Judicial Family.

The Advisory Committee on the Judicial Family Network is here to assist the needs and concerns of judicial families in Ohio. We offer educational programs and a supportive network with resource contacts. We are a contemporary group assembled to address the questions of today's modern judicial family. You will hear and learn from professionals in their perspective fields. For example, security issues, privacy issues, health, wellness and benefits.

Wishing all of you the best,

*Tim Gorman*

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