



Hon. Susan Maven

Susan F. Maven has served as a Judge of the Superior Court in both the family and criminal divisions in Atlantic and Cape May counties, having been initially appointed in 2001 as the first Black female judge in the vicinage. On August 1, 2012, Maven was elevated to the Appellate Division, New Jersey's intermediate appellate court. She was the first woman to Chair the Supreme Court Committee on Minority Concerns. She retired from the bench in 2022 and has since been recalled for temporary service until 2025.

Prior to her judicial appointment, Maven served as a Casino Control Commissioner and as Vice Chair of the Commission. Previously, she served in numerous leadership positions for Atlantic County, as a board member of the Atlantic County Vocational Technical School, and as Board Secretary of Atlantic City Tomorrow, Inc.



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