

**Washington State Sentencing Guidelines Commission
Member Biographies***

**Professor David Boerner, Commission Chair
Seattle University School of Law
Citizen Representative**

Professor David Boerner is a member of the law faculty of the Seattle University School of Law. He currently serves as Chair of the Washington Sentencing Guidelines Commission. He has served as Chair of the Ethics Committee and the Character and Fitness Committee of the Washington State Bar Association.

He was named the “Outstanding Lawyer of 2002” by the King County Bar Association, in 2004, he received the Award of Merit from the Washington State Bar Association; and in 2006 received the Excellence in Diversity Award from the Washington State Bar Association.

**Hon. Ellen J. Fair, Vice Chair
Snohomish County Superior Court Judge**

Judge Ellen J. Fair was appointed to the Snohomish County Superior Court bench in 1999. She graduated Phi Beta Kappa from the University of Washington in 1979 and graduated in 1982 from the University Of Washington School Of Law. Judge Fair served as a Deputy Prosecuting Attorney for Snohomish County from 1983 to 1994. In 1994 she was elected to the position of South District Court Judge in Lynnwood where she served until her appointment to the Superior Court.

Judge Fair was a Dean of the Washington State Judicial College in 1999, member of the District and Municipal Court Judges Association Education Committee 1997 - 1999, and Presiding Judge of the Snohomish County District Courts in 1997. She has been a member of Washington Women Lawyers since 1988. Judge Fair currently serves as Vice Chair of the Sentencing Guidelines Commission.

**Representative Sherry Appleton
Washington State Representative**

Sherry was elected in 2004 to represent the 23rd Legislative District, and was elected Assistant Majority Whip by her caucus. She now serves as Vice-Chair of State Government and Tribal Affairs. Rep. Appleton was chosen to go to the Western Legislative Academy in Colorado this year, one of only 39 legislators from the 13 Western States. In 2008, she was selected as a Toll Fellow, one of only 40 selected across the country from the three branches of government.

Sherry Appleton lives in Poulsbo, WA. She served eight years on the Poulsbo City Council. Appointed by President Bush and President Clinton, Rep. Appleton formerly served as a Commissioner with the Washington State Advisory Committee to the US Commission on Civil Rights and is a former Commissioner on the WA State Commission on Judicial Conduct.

As a lobbyist in Olympia for eleven years, Sherry worked on many policy issues from criminal justice to health care to education and transportation. She helped to pass the patients’ bill of rights, and has been involved in negotiations at every level on the many issues that effected citizens of the Washington State.

During her career, Sherry has served on the Board of Directors of the Association of Washington Cities, on the Northwest Women’s Law Center Legislative Committee, PAC chair of the NARAL PAC, Board Member of NARAL, and Vice-Chair of the State Women’s Political Caucus.

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John Clayton

Assistant Secretary, Washington State Department of Social and Health Services, Juvenile Rehabilitation Administration

John Clayton is a Senior Executive who invested most of his professional career in the leadership of human service programs. He has served as the Assistant Secretary for the Washington State Juvenile Rehabilitation Administration (JRA) since April of 2007. JRA administers facilities and programs for juvenile offenders.

Prior to this appointment, he served as the Director for the Community Services Division within Washington State's Department of Social and Health Services since October 2004. With over 2,800 employees, the Community Services Division administers cash, food and medical assistance programs through a network of over sixty Community Service Offices and Customer Service Centers strategically located throughout the state.

Before coming to Washington in 2004 John had been the Director of the Arizona State Department of Economic Security. The agency employed more than 12,000 staff and provided a vast array of human and children's services programs including employment readiness training, Temporary Assistance to Needy Families, food assistance, child protection, child support, child care, refugee assistance, unemployment insurance, aging/adult services, adult protection, and services to people with disabilities.

His civic and professional activities include working with the American Public Human Services Association, Child Welfare League of America, YMCA, and the Council of Juvenile Correctional Administrators. John is also involved in youth mentoring and coaching youth athletics.

Throughout his career, John has followed four golden rules whether as a direct service staff or a manager: 1. Be bold. 2. Never fail to act. 3. Keep your promises. 4. Make a difference.

John is committed to providing excellent customer service. He strongly believes the key to this is capable and committed staff. John is dedicated to providing training and development opportunities that enlighten, encourage, empower and equip staff and an organization to understand and respond to the needs of youth and families at the highest possible level.

Hon. John M. Meyer

Skagit County Superior Court Judge

John M. Meyer was first sworn in as a Skagit County Superior Court Judge in January 1997. From 1995-97 he sat as a Skagit County District Court Judge. From 1975-1995 he was a partner in the Mount Vernon law firm of Gilbert and Meyer, where his practice emphasized civil litigation. From 1973-75 he was a Staff Attorney for the Federal Power Commission, Washington, D.C.

Judge Meyer's professional activities include: Trustee, Washington State Trial Lawyers, 1986-1990; President, Skagit County Bar Association, 1993-4; Treasurer, Washington State Superior Court Judges' Association, 2000-03, 2005-06; Chair, Skagit County Law and Justice Council, 2003-04; Dean, Washington State Judicial College, 2004-05. He was recognized as Judge of the Year by the Washington State Association for Justice in 2009. Judge Meyer is active in judicial and legal education, lecturing regularly to professional and community groups on the legal system.

His community activities include: Past President, University of Washington Alumni Association; Trustee, Skagit Valley College, 1993-7; Past President, Skagit Valley College Foundation; Member, Skagit Valley College Hall of Fame; Past President, Skagit Valley Family YMCA; Past President, Kiwanis Club of

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Mount Vernon; Past Chair, Skagit Homeless Youth Task Force; Former Board Member, The Vietnam Traveling Wall Foundation; Former Board Member, Celtic Arts Foundation.

Judge Meyer graduated from the University of Washington in 1968 with a BS/BA in Education and received his law degree in 1971 from University of California, Hastings College of the Law. He has been married for 41 years to Susan Johnson Meyer. They have two married adult daughters and four granddaughters.

Russ Hauge Kitsap County Prosecuting Attorney

Russ Hauge was elected Kitsap County Prosecuting Attorney in 1994 and re-elected in 1998, 2002, and 2006. He is a graduate of the University of Washington and the University Of Oregon School Of Law. He began his legal career as a Kitsap County Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, and then entered private practice with the Shiers Law Firm in Port Orchard.

Mr. Hauge became a member of the Washington State Bar Association in 1983. He began work with the Kitsap County Prosecuting Attorney's Office the summer of 1982.

- Intern, Lane County Public Defender's Office, Lane County, Oregon (Eugene), 1982-1983
- University of Oregon, Student Conduct Code Prosecutor, 1982-83
- Kitsap County Prosecuting Attorney's Office, May, 1983 to Nov. 1984; Shiers Law Firm, Nov., 1984 through April, 1994
- Commercial Law, Environmental Law, Plaintiff's Personal Injury, Criminal Law
- Kitsap County Prosecuting Attorney, Jan. 1, 1995
- Community and Professional Associations and Activities
- Kitsap Humane Society, Board Member 1984-1992
- Kitsap County Bar Association President, 1992
- Kitsap County Volunteer Attorney Services Advisory Founding Board Member
- Washington State Bar Association and Kitsap County Bar Association Mentor Programs
- People's Law School Chair, 1989-1990
- Chair, Kitsap County Tort Roundtable, 1989
- Criminal Defense Section, Kitsap County Bar Association, 1988
- Former Committee Member, Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Kitsap County
- Chair, Kitsap County Law & Justice Advisory Council, 1995-2001, 2004 to date.
- A local Council statutorily mandated to serve as a clearinghouse for local law and justice issues.
- Washington Association of Prosecuting Attorneys, Jan. 1, 1995 to date
- Chair or Co-Chair, Legislative Committee, 1997 to date.
- Chair of Committee responsible for monitoring legislation concerning the criminal justice system and county legal affairs. We also develop legislation on our own and in conjunction with other interested groups. This includes analysis, drafting, and active lobbying.
- President, 2004-2005
- Member, Washington Sentencing Guidelines Commission, 1996 to date
- Former Board Member, Washington Coalition of Crime Victim Advocates
- Former Member, Kitsap Cares Partnership
- Former Member, University of Washington Board of Visitors
- Former Member, United Way of Kitsap County Board of Directors
- Professionalism Award, Kitsap County Bar Association, 2001
- Member, Advisory Board, Peninsula Work Release
- Chair, Governor's Task Force on sex offenders and sex offenses, 2007

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- Founding Member and Chair of Washington State Sex Offender Policy Board, 2008-Date
- Relevant Examples of Lobbying and Policy Development
- Washington Juvenile Justice Reform Act of 1997
- Washington Offender Accountability Act
- With Professor David Boerner, Chair of the Sentencing Guidelines Commission, and Joe Lehmann, then Secretary of the Washington State Department of Corrections, conceived and developed Washington's special Drug Sentencing Grid

Michael R. Kawamura Director, Pierce County Assigned Counsel

Born and raised in Seattle, Washington. Attended the University of Washington and Gonzaga University School of Law. Hired as Staff Attorney for Pierce County Department of Assigned Counsel in 1988. Representation of clients charged with Driving without a license to Aggravated Murder. Supervisory experience includes unit level, division level, and office level. Currently Director of Assigned Counsel:

- approximate staff 100
- budget responsibility approximately 14 million

Approved by Washington State Supreme Court to represent Capital Offense Clients at Trial Level Board Member of Washington Defender Association. Married 24 years and is father to three children.

Hon. Stephen Warning Cowlitz County Superior Court Judge

Judge Warning graduated from the University of Washington in 1976 and from the University Of Washington School Of Law in 1979.

He was in private practice in Cowlitz County for 16 years, with an emphasis in criminal defense and business litigation. In 1996 he was elected to the Cowlitz County Superior Court Bench.

Judge Warning has served as Dean of the Washington Judicial College in 2006, where he has also taught. He has been both Secretary and Trustee on the board of the Superior Court Judges Association.

Judge Warning started the Cowlitz County Drug Court in 1999, and presided over that program for five years.

Tim Killian Citizen Representative

Tim Killian is a consultant specializing in strategic communications and political consulting. His work has included many aspects of criminal justice law and policy. He is Co-founder of Moreperfect.org, an experimental web site that seeks to involve citizens more directly in the process of drafting the laws that govern our communities.

Tim is a lifelong resident of Washington State. He's the father of two young boys and spends his dwindling leisure time reading philosophy, running, biking and training for triathlons.

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**Senator Adam Kline
Washington State Senator**

Senator Kline has served for ten years as the senator for the 37th District of Seattle. Before entering law school, he worked as a merchant seaman and as a newspaper reporter. He practiced law 32 years before retiring in 2004 to work for the Laborers Union. He was a cooperating attorney with the ACLU and was active with NARAL and Washington Conservation Voters.

Personal: His wife, Laura Gene Middaugh, is a Superior Court Judge in King County. They live in the Mount Baker neighborhood of Seattle and have a daughter, Genevieve, who lives with her husband and daughter in Oakland.

**Hon. Dean S. Lum
King County Superior Court, Seattle, Washington**

Judge Lum was appointed to the King County (Seattle, WA) Superior Court bench in 1998 by Governor Gary Locke, has served on his Court's criminal, civil and juvenile calendars and currently serves as King County Superior Court's Chief Civil Judge. He is a graduate of Pomona College and the University Of Washington School Of Law. Upon graduation, he served as a Deputy Prosecuting Attorney in the Criminal Division of the King County Prosecutor's Office for seven years, trying dozens of felony jury trials to verdict. From 1990 to 1998, he practiced complex civil litigation in several Seattle law firms, including Forsberg & Umlauf and Bullivant Houser Bailey.

Judge Lum has been very active in local, state and national bar association and civic activities. He was the President of the Asian Bar Association of Washington (1992) and received the Trailblazer Award from the National Asian Pacific American Bar Association in 2002. He is a former Washington State Judicial College Superior Court Dean and is currently a member of the SCJA Equality & Fairness and Education Committees.

**Lenell Nussbaum
Criminal Defense Attorney**

Lenell Nussbaum is a criminal defense lawyer in Seattle. She served as president of the Washington Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers. She is a founding member of the Washington Appellate Lawyers Association. She serves as a Justice on the Suquamish Tribal Appeals Court. She is a 1980 graduate of The University of Michigan Law School. She frequently speaks at legal seminars for attorneys and other professionals within the criminal justice system. She has served on the Commission since 2002.

**Sheriff Paul A. Pastor
Pierce County, Washington**

The Pierce County Sheriff's Department consists of 331 law enforcement officers, 334 Corrections Officers and 120 civilian personnel serving in Washington State's second largest County.

Prior to taking this position, he served as Chief of the Department's Operations Bureau in charge of all law enforcement operations (1996 – 2000), Undersheriff for the Clark County Washington Sheriff's Office (1993 - 1996) and Chief of Police for the city of Everett, Washington (1991 - 1992). From 1986 to 1991, he served at the rank of Inspector for the Pierce County Sheriff's Department.

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In the early 1980's, he was in charge of state staff at the Washington Criminal Justice Training Academy where he also managed the Loaned Executive Program and Washington Crime Watch. He holds a Bachelor's Degree from Pomona College as well as two Master's degrees and a Doctorate from Yale University.

He has lectured in several programs at the FBI Academy in Quantico, Virginia and has received two special commendations from the Director of the FBI for his contributions to law enforcement management training.

He is a graduate of the FBI's National Executive Institute and is a Senior Fellow in the American Leadership Forum.

He helped design the national model procedures for policing mass civil disturbance after the World Trade Organization riot in Seattle and also consulted to the International Olympic Security Committee in Salt Lake City in 2001. He serves on state and national committees for emergency mobilization, ethics and intelligence and in 2004 helped develop the National Sheriff's Association Weapons of Mass Destruction training program. In addition, he helped develop the Washington State law on police use of lethal force and the Northwest Law Enforcement Executive Command College.

Senator Pam Roach Washington State Senator

Senator Pam Roach chaired the Senate Law and Justice (Judiciary) Committee from 1997-1998. As chair Senator Roach led the successful effort to bring .08 to Washington State. As an original member of the Governor's Juvenile Justice Taskforce Senator Roach was the Senate prime sponsor on the landmark Juvenile Justice Reform Act of 1997.

Senator Roach has supported legislation to keep sex predators out of our neighborhoods to protect our families. She prime sponsored the Statewide Automated Victim Information and Notification System (SAVIN) which allows crime victims to obtain 24 hour status on offender's custody. In 2008 Senator Roach supported legislation to keep pornography out of prisons. As a current member of the Governor's Council on Substance Abuse, she has been a leader in cracking down on meth crimes. She is a supporter of the Second Amendment right to keep and bear arms which enables law abiding citizens to protect themselves against violent criminals. She understands police cannot be everywhere.

The Evergreen Freedom Foundation ranked Senator Roach as the number one Senator in promoting open government. She was named the Washington State Council of Police Officers Legislator of the Year in 1996, 1997, 1998, and 1999 as well as the 1995 Senate Republican of the Year. "Mothers Against Drunk Driving" recognized her legislative efforts in 1997. She chaired the Senate Children & Family Services Committee from 1991-1992 and the Senate Government Operations and Elections Committee from 2003-2004.

Pam and her husband, Jim, live on a small farm in rural Auburn. They have five children and thirteen grandchildren.

Dan Satterberg King County Prosecuting Attorney

Dan Satterberg, 48, was elected King County Prosecuting Attorney in November 2007 to succeed his longtime friend and mentor, the late Norm Maleng.

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Dan served as Chief of Staff for Norm Maleng for 17 years, and was responsible for the management and operation of the Prosecuting Attorney's Office, including budget, human resources, technology, legislative and policy matters. The Prosecuting Attorney's Office employs more than 220 attorneys, 268 staff, and has a budget of over \$56 million.

Before 1990, Dan was a trial attorney in the Criminal Division, where he spent rotations in the Special Assault Unit, Drug Unit, and served as the office's first gang prosecutor in 1988.

Dan was born and raised in South King County and attended Highline High School. His father was a lawyer in White Center and his mother was a nursing instructor at Highline Community College. He graduated from the UW undergraduate school (Political Science and Journalism) and the UW Law School, where he met his wife Linda, a corporate lawyer.

They live in Normandy Park with their two children, ages 17 and 13. Dan's hobbies include his rock band, "The Approximations" where he plays bass and sings, hiking, running, and traveling with his family.

Mary Ellen Stone
Executive Director of King County Sexual Assault Resource Center

Mary Ellen Stone has served as Executive Director of King County Sexual Assault Resource Center (KCSARC), since 1979.

Ms. Stone has played an active role in changing the nature of sexual assault prevention, education and victim response in Washington State. Through innovative programs that she helped plan and implement, Stone has changed the way citizens of Washington state view sexual assault and rape.

Under her leadership, KCSARC has become one of the country's leading resources for sexual assault victims, their families, professionals and the community. KCSARC is widely recognized for innovation in the field of sexual assault direct services and prevention programming.

Ms. Stone is a leader in the non-profit sector. Present board and commission membership includes Sex Offender Policy Board, Sentencing Guidelines Commission, Mental Illness Drug Dependency Oversight Committee, Seattle Archdiocese Review Committee, South King Council of Human Services Board, Sentencing Guidelines Commission Legislative Committee, and Washington Coalition of Sexual Assault Programs.

Recent Awards and Recognition include Women Leaders Award, ACT Theatre/YWCA 2007, Woman of Inspiration, Seattle Storm 2006, Moving Mountains Award: Office of Crime Victim's Advocacy 2004 and Founding Mother: Women's Funding Alliance 2003.