JUDGE Carolyn THOMPSON NC COURT OF APPEALS

Meet Judge Carolyn Thompson

Judge Thompson and her family live in Granville County. Her position on the Court of Appeals is a statewide position serving all North Carolina citizens.

Judge Thompson has spent nearly three decades ensuring justice as a former trial attorney, District Court Judge, Superior Court Judge, and Deputy Commissioner for the Industrial Commission.

She stands on the shoulders of generations who paved the way for her academic career at Hampton University, where she earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology and Criminal Justice and her Juris Doctor degree from North Carolina Central University School of Law. Her family's servant-leadership testament was instilled early, stating that "to whom much is given, much is required."

Throughout her career, Judge Thompson has been recognized and awarded numerous awards for her commitment to service, including the Women of Justice Award for Public Service, NC Lawyers Weekly, Granville County Human Relations Commission Notable Service Award, and the Special Achievement Award, NAACP Vance County Branch, to name a few. "I am making a difference in the service of equal justice as required by our laws and constitution. True justice is independent of party affiliation, divisive ideologies, and social differences. I have taken and believe in the oath to uphold our laws and constitution consistently. I am committed to serving with integrity, fairness, and impartiality."

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State of the Race





Judge Carolyn Thompson was appointed to Seat 12 on the North Carolina Court of Appeals by Governor Roy Cooper.



Democrats lost three seats in the 2020 elections and three additional seats in 2022, Republicans now hold eleven seats on the NC Court of Appeals.



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As a current North Carolina Appellate Judge, she has authored over 50 opinions since her appointment in September 2023. Her trial court experience as a seasoned attorney and judge has been invaluable in offering well-rounded rulings in each of those cases. Her seat on the NC Court of Appeals is necessary to democracy.



Dark Money groups will pour thousands of dollars to maintain control of the NC Court of Appeals.



This seat is an 8-year term and offers a huge opportunity to ensure long-term security of our state courts.

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