POWERHOUSE MEDIATION

Hon. Kevin F. Mark (Ret.)

Mediator · Arbitrator · Special Master

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Judge Kevin F. Mark (Ret.) serves as a mediator, arbitrator, and special master with PowerHouse Mediation. He spent 20 years on Minnesota's First Judicial District bench in Red Wing, including two years as chief judge. Before taking the bench, he practiced law in Red Wing for more than two decades, handling civil litigation, juvenile law, and minor criminal matters. He continues to serve as a Senior District Judge in Minnesota.

NEUTRAL SERVICES

Mediation · Arbitration · Special master assignments

Service area: Minnesota and Wisconsin

JUDICIAL EXPERIENCE

District Court Judge, Minnesota's First Judicial District

2003–2023 · Chambered in Red Wing, Goodhue County

- Appointed by Governor Jesse Ventura. Elected in 2004 and reelected in 2010, 2016, and 2022.
- Chief Judge of Minnesota's First Judicial District, 2021–2023.
- Currently appointed as a Senior District Judge in Minnesota.

PRIOR LEGAL PRACTICE

Holst, Vogel, Erdmann and Vogel

Red Wing, Minnesota · 1979–1995

Sole Practitioner

Red Wing, Minnesota · 1995–2002

Civil litigation, juvenile law, and minor criminal matters.

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JUDICIAL LEADERSHIP & AFFILIATIONS

Minnesota District Judges Association

- President, 2014–2017.
- Vice President, 2013–2014.
- Current Senior Judge representative on the board. Past and current member of association committees.

Minnesota Judicial Council

- Member, 2014–2017 and 2021–2023.

Minnesota District Judges Foundation

- Board member, 2010–2013.

EDUCATION

- J.D., Marquette University Law School, 1979.
- B.A., Political Science and Economics, magna cum laude, Mankato State College, 1975.

SELECTED COMMUNITY SERVICE

- Red Wing School Board member for 17 years, including 10 years as president or chair.
- Past president of the Hedin-Hartnagel Memorial Fund Board.
- Past board member and president of Red Wing Country Club.
- Past fund drive chair and volunteer legal counsel, Red Wing United Way.
- Church volunteer in choir, confirmation instruction, personnel committee work, and worship leadership.