



December 2019



Be on the lookout for a new and improved Clerks Courterly! COMING IN - 2020!

HOLIDAY CLOSURES: The United States District Court at Cheyenne, Casper & Mammoth will be closed on Christmas Eve, Christmas Day and New Years Day.

Our Mission: Every employee appointed to the United States District Court for the District of Wyoming will make it their mission to serve the Public, Bar and Court, to represent the District of Wyoming in a manner that will instill trust in the Judiciary and strive to provide quality, positive service, and assist in the timely and satisfactory disposition of issues brought before the court.

U.S. DISTRICT CLERK'S COURTERLY

On November 25, 2019, the District welcomed Jon Bastian as the Chief Deputy to the District of Wyoming.

FRIENDLY DOCKETING REMINDERS:

When filing in a consolidated case, please remember to docket all pleadings in the lead case.

When filing in a multi-defendant case, please be sure to select only the defendant(s) to whom the filing pertains.

Please check your scanner settings and make sure your pleadings are scanning in portrait format and remove any blank pages if necessary.

NEW YEARS RESOLUTION:

Please take a moment to review your CM/ECF designated email addresses. To do so, go to: Utilities /Maintain Your Email; Add/delete email addresses as needed; remember to update any information for attorneys or support staff no longer with your office. New staff can benefit greatly by being trained in CM/ECF either by the Casper or Cheyenne office.

THE DISTRICT OF WYOMING WISHES YOU AND YOURS A SAFE AND HAPPY HOLIDAY SEASON!!!





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The Profile of a Wyoming Lawyer



Maddisen Gorman

Tell me about yourself:

I'm an Omaha, Nebraska native that moved to Wyoming in July 2018. I got married in the Snowy Range in August 2018 and then headed to Casper to clerk for Judge Skavdahl. Now I'm an Assistant Attorney General in the Tort Litigation section of the Wyoming Attorney General's Office. I absolutely love exploring Wyoming with my husband and our border collie, Mutt.

Why did you decide to go to law school:

I decided to go to law school because I was really impressed by the lawyers I encountered in my life. Law is a noble profession and plus I always really liked to argue!

What was your first job after law school:

My first job after law school was a law clerk position with the Honorable Christopher McDonald of the Iowa Court of Appeals. I loved being an appellate clerk and learned so much from the experience.

What has been your most rewarding or significant case:

I've had the chance to work on a number of interesting cases through my various positions. I don't know that I could pick one as the most significant. I really enjoy working in the public sector and having the chance to help people.

What has kept you inspired and energized over the years:

The challenging and variable nature of legal work kept me inspired throughout law school and now my legal career. I love an interesting puzzle and enjoy the variety of issues I get to handle on a daily basis.

What do you like best about being a Wyoming lawyer:

I like being a Wyoming lawyer because of the sense of community. This is a small state where you get the chance to know other lawyers much better than a state with a large bar. I've enjoyed getting to know my fellow Wyoming lawyers and look forward to meeting more.

Is there anything the Clerk's office could improve upon:

I can't think of anything the Clerk's office could improve on. I've had good experiences working with the Clerk's office both as a law clerk and an attorney!





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