



UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
District of Rhode Island

CLERK OF COURT DAVID A. DIMARZIO TO RETIRE APRIL 1, 2017

It is with great honor and appreciation that the United States District Court for the District of Rhode Island announces the retirement of Clerk of Court David A. DiMarzio, who will conclude more than 36 years of federal service on April 1, 2017. David has served with distinction for 20 years as the Clerk of Court for the District of Rhode Island, and is one of only 16 Clerks to have been appointed to manage the day to day operation and administrative agenda for the Court in the 226 years of its existence.

Chief Judge William E. Smith notes, "The Court expresses its tremendous gratitude to David for his service, vision, and leadership. He is an outstanding public servant with an accomplished record of hard work, dedication, and commitment to our District and the Federal Judiciary as a whole. Our Court has the deserved reputation of treating all persons who come before it with professionalism, courtesy, and respect. This is due in large part to David's efforts and leadership. He will be missed."

David has served under four different chief judges beginning with the Honorable Ronald R. Lagueux. He oversaw a multiyear long courthouse renovation project and ensured the seamless continuity of operations during this time. Throughout his tenure, he continued to take great pride in preserving the historical nature of the Courthouse. As the keeper of the record, David and his staff effectively managed the Court's transition from paper filing to electronic filing, which is now the standard for all federal courts.

His courteous approach has fostered an efficient working environment in the Clerk's Office, and has developed and maintained many important partnerships with supporting entities. We congratulate David on his successful and rewarding career and wish him and his family all the best in his retirement.

The Court will begin a recruitment effort to find a successor. A vacancy announcement is attached.

Honorable William E. Smith
Chief U.S. District Judge

Honorable John J. McConnell, Jr.
U.S. District Judge

Honorable Mary M. Lisi
Senior U.S. District Judge

Honorable Lincoln D. Almond
U.S. Magistrate Judge

Honorable Patricia A. Sullivan
U.S. Magistrate Judge