

Report of the NAWJ Federal Judges Committee

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We have concentrated efforts on enlisting Magistrate and Bankruptcy Judge members. This year the Conference of Bankruptcy Judges is meeting in San Francisco in late October, and there will once again be a Breakfast Meet and Greet Event to introduce the NAWJ to NCBJ members. Judge Brown has had success in recruiting new NAWJ members through these meetings in the past.

There is now a fine group of women serving as Magistrate judges in Arizona, and all should now be members. Judge Schroeder intends to enlist their services in meeting with other Magistrate at their training sessions next year, in Washington, perhaps at a breakfast or afternoon tea and patterned after Judge Brown's meetings with bankruptcy judges.

The federal judges in Seattle are being invited to attend our events. Judge Schroeder will try to arrange a visit to the federal courthouse by one or two of the speakers.