



November 6, 2020
Report from District 1
Honorable Mary Dacey White

Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Puerto Rico and Rhode Island

On October 15, 2020, 12 members of the district attended the district meeting during our virtual Annual Conference. During our meeting, I was retained as the District Director for the next 2 years. In that time frame hopefully, a member of the district will step up and take over the post by the 2022, Annual meeting.

MaryLou Muirhead, former District One Director has been tapped by President Karen Donoghue to be on the Law School Outreach Committee. She has reached out to all District One members to reach out to their law schools. MaryLou has gotten a response and as she said not from the usual suspects! I am putting a blurb in our newsletter about her new position and her plans for her term.

I have a list of new women judges that I will provide to NAWJ to reach out to them and ask them to join and for NAWJ to cc me on their letter and then I will follow up from there. I will also asked NAWJ to send me any information they get about newly appointed or elected women judges in the District.

Lastly, my core group and I are trying to plan a Zoom reception for these new appointed judges with a fun theme for Mid-January of 2021. However, with the increase in COVID it seems that it may be an impossible task but we will try our best!

Lastly, Suffolk Law School is hosting a virtual event for "All Rise Uniting to Advance Women and the Future of the Law" Amy Nechtem, Joan Feeny and Stacey Fortes all NAWJ members are involved in the event and Stacey is a panelist. It is November 18, 2020 from 4PM to 6PM. Amy Nechtem has sent it to all District One Members. I have attached the link here if you are interested in the event.



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