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Edward D. Wingren III Named Trial Court Administrator for Mercer Vicinage

Assignment Judge Mary C. Jacobson of the Mercer Vicinage announced today the appointment of Edward D. Wingren III as trial court administrator, effective July 1.

Wingren, assistant trial court administrator for the Essex Vicinage since 2017, joined the Judiciary in 2005 as a team leader in the Union Vicinage's criminal division. He moved in 2013 to the Passaic Vicinage, where he served as criminal division manager for four years.

"Ed brings a wealth of experience to the position and is committed to working with judges and staff to ensure that justice is administered fairly. I have no doubt Ed will provide the strong leadership that staff in the Mercer Vicinage have historically demonstrated, as evidenced by the great insight, energy, and management Sue brought to the vicinage," said Judge Glenn A. Grant, acting administrative director of the courts.

Regan is retiring after 44 years in the Judiciary, the last 16 as trial court administrator.

"Sue Regan will be missed. She leaves a legacy of dedication and expertise that benefitted the work of the courts not only in the Mercer Vicinage but also throughout the state. She was a leader among leaders and served as a respected and informed voice for the Judiciary's trial court administrators," Judge Grant said.

In welcoming Wingren to his new role, Judge Jacobson said, "We are confident he will continue the high standards our judges, staff, and the public have come to expect in the Mercer County Superior Court."

Wingren earned his bachelor's degree from Rutgers University and a master's degree in education from Harvard University. He earned his law degree from Rutgers School of Law – Newark.

"I am truly humbled by this opportunity and look forward to joining the Mercer Vicinage family," Wingren said. "I will work tirelessly to support the efforts of our judges and staff as we continue to serve the public."