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## Whitman County's Top Defense Attorney Announces Candidacy for Superior Court Judge

Whitman County, April 30, 2024 - Long-time Whitman County Defense Attorney, Steve Martonick, announces his candidacy for Superior Court Judge. Most notably, Martonick has secured a State Supreme Court decision protecting the rights of gun owners and convincing the Court of Appeals to uphold the due process rights of university students previously denied under the university's Title IX policies.

Martonick's career spans more than 20 years, representing thousands of adults and juveniles in criminal defense, personal injury, and administrative law cases. Beyond his legal practice, Martonick has also contributed to the legal profession by serving as an instructor at the University of Idaho law school, where he has shared his expertise with aspiring attorneys.

In addition to his legal work, Martonick is involved in community service, having previously served on the board of the Whitman County Humane Society, formerly an active member of the Pullman Chamber of Commerce, and occasional Lentil Fest volunteer.

In a statement announcing his candidacy, Martonick emphasized his roots in Eastern Washington and his commitment to fairness and equality before the law. He highlighted his extensive trial experience, having tried over 100 cases before juries, as well as his dedication to educating fellow attorneys on protecting individuals' rights.

Martonick expressed his eagerness to serve as a dedicated and impartial member of the judiciary, ensuring that every individual who enters the courts receives fair, just and equitable treatment under the law.

The campaign for Steve Martonick for Judicial Office represents a commitment to justice, integrity, and service to the community.

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## **About Steve Martonick:**

Steve Martonick is a seasoned legal professional with over 20 years of experience representing individuals and families in Whitman County. With a track record of landmark legal victories and a commitment to community service, Martonick is dedicated to upholding justice for all residents of Whitman County.

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