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SAN FRANCISCO SUPERIOR COURT BENCH ELECTS HON. ANNE-CHRISTINE MASSULLO AS ITS NEW PRESIDING JUDGE

SAN FRANCISCO - The San Francisco Superior Court bench has elected Assistant Presiding Judge Anne-Christine Massullo to serve as the incoming Presiding Judge. She will begin her new leadership position on Jan. 1, 2023.

Prior to her appointment as Assistant Presiding Judge two years ago, Judge Massullo handled a variety of civil and criminal cases before landing in the Complex Litigation department in January 2019.

“It has been a distinct honor to serve as a judge of the San Francisco Superior Court for over 15 years now,” Judge Massullo said. She continues to say that “Indeed, it is a privilege entrusted to a very few. I look forward to my new role as the Presiding Judge of our distinguished court and to continuing to insure and improving access to justice for the community we serve on a daily basis.”

Before her appointment to the bench in 2006, Judge Massullo had served as an Assistant United States Attorney for 17 years and was the Deputy Chief of the Securities Fraud Unit from 2004-2005.

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“Judge Massullo is one of the hardest-working members of our court,” said current Presiding Judge Samuel K. Feng. “Her intelligence, dedication to our court, the judiciary, service to the community, collaborative esprit de corps and leadership skill will enable her to lead this court with verve in the upcoming years.”

Judge Massullo has held several leadership roles at the court including her position as Chair of the Adult Probation Oversight Committee and starting the tentative ruling program for the family law courts. Under her three years as the Supervising Judge of the Unified Family Court in San Francisco, Judge Massullo managed family law proceedings, the dependency court, and the Juvenile Justice Center handling delinquency proceedings.

Judge Massullo is a graduate of the University of Notre Dame where she received a bachelor’s degree in Business Administration. She received her law degree at the University of Michigan School of Law in 1983.

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