

ALASKA  
49th State - January 3, 1959

<u>DISTRICT</u>	<u>DATE CREATED</u>	<u>STATUTORY CITATION</u>
District of Alaska	May 17, 1884	23 Stat.24
District of Alaska, Div. #1	June 6, 1900	31 Stat. 321, 324
District of Alaska, Div. #2	June 6, 1990	31 Stat. 321, 324
District of Alaska, Div. #3	June 6, 1900	31 Stat. 321, 324
District of Alaska, Div. #4	March 3, 1909	35 Stat. 838, 839
Territory of Alaska, Div. #1 *	August 24, 1912*	37 Stat. 512*
Territory of Alaska, Div. #2 *	August 24, 1912*	37 Stat. 512*
Territory of Alaska, Div, #3 *	August 24, 1912*	37 Stat. 512*
Territory of Alaska, Div. #4 *	August 24, 1912*	37 Stat. 512*
District of Alaska**	July 7, 1958**	72 Stat. 339, 350**

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\* Effective November 5, 1912

\*\* Effective February 20, 1960 by Presidential Executive Order 10867

DISTRICT OF ALASKA  
(District Court created May 17, 1884)

<u>MARSHAL</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>VICE</u>
Hillyer, M.C.	July 5, 1884(C)	Original Appointment
Atkins, Barton	July 21, 1885(R) July 26, 1886(C)	Hillyer (Suspended)
Porter, Orville T.	June 21, 1889(R) February 11, 1890(C)	Atkins (Resigned)
Williams, Louis L.	February 20, 1894(C)	Porter (Term Expired)
Shoup, James M.	June 26, 1897(C)	Williams (Removed)

DISTRICT OF ALASKA  
DIVISION #1

(Created June 6, 1900. Became Territory of Alaska, Division #1 on August 24, 1912.)

<u>MARSHAL</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>VICE</u>
Shoup, James M.	June 6, 1900(C) April 27, 1904(C) March 30, 1908(C)	Himself, as Marshal of District of Alaska
Sutherland, Daniel A.	April 28, 1909(C)	Shoup(Resigned)
Faulkner, Herbert L.	April 28, 1910(C.A.) May 9, 1911(C)	Sutherland (Removed)
Bishop, Harry A.	May 13, 1914(C.A.) May 28, 1914(C)	Faulkner (Removed)
Tanner, J.M.	April 14, 1917(C.A.) June 2, 1917(C)	Bishop (Resigned)
Beaumont, George D.	August 16, 1921(C)	Tanner (Term Expired)
White, Albert	May 19, 1926(C) February 25, 1931(C)	Beaumont (Term Expired)
Mahoney, William T.	December 9, 1933(R) April 5, 1934(C) April 22, 1938(C) July 7, 1942(C) July 15, 1946(C)	White (Resigned)
Hellan, Walter G.	August 31, 1950(C.A.)	Mahoney (Deceased)
Thompson, Sidney J.	October 30, 1951(R) April 8, 1952(C)	Hellan (Court Appointed)
Byington, Glenn L.	January 29, 1953 (C.A.)	Thompson (Resigned)
Wilder, Claire A.	October 27, 1953(R) March 9, 1954(C) May 8, 1958(C)	Byington (Court Appointed)

DISTRICT OF ALASKA  
DIVISION #2

(Created June 6, 1900. Became Territory of Alaska Division #2, on August 24, 1912.)

<u>MARSHAL</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>VICE</u>
Vawter, Cornelius L.	June 6, 1900(C)	Original Appointment
Richards, Frank H.	February 13, 1901	Vawter (Resigned)
Dunn, John H.	November 23, 1904(C.A.)	Richards (Removed)
Powell, Thomas Cader	January 24, 1905(C) June 16, 1909(C)	Dunn (Court Appointee)
Jordan, Emmet R.	June 5, 1913(C) October 24, 1918(C)	Powell (Term Expired)
Griffith, Morris W.	August 19, 1921(C)	Jordan (Resigned)
Jones, Charles D.	April 21, 1925(C.A.) June 30, 1926(C) April 28, 1932(C)	Griffith (Deceased)
Gaffney, Thomas J.	August 24, 1933(R) January 26, 1934(C)	Jones (Resigned)
Mozee, Benjamin B.	December 9, 1937(C.A.) February 14, 1938(C) March 4, 1942(C) May 13, 1946(C) July 5, 1950(C)	Gaffney (Deceased)
Oliver, Robert W.	May 12, 1955(C)	Mozee (Term Expired)

DISTRICT OF ALASKA  
DIVISION #3

(Created June 6, 1900. Became Territory of Alaska Division #3 on August 24, 1912)

<u>MARSHAL</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>VICE</u>
Perry, George G.	June 6, 1900(C) February 23, 1905(C)	Original Appointment
Love, Henry K.	September 12, 1908(R) January 13, 1909(C)	Perry (Removed)
Sullivan, Harvey P.	April 8, 1909(C)	Love(Transferred to Alaska #4)
Brenneman, Franklyn R.	September 9, 1913(C) January 7, 1918(C)	Sullivan (Term Expired)
Sullivan, Harvey P.	February 21, 1922(C) February 16, 1926(C)	Brenneman (Term Expired)
Todd, Chester J.	October 19, 1933(R) February 21, 1934(C)	Sullivan (Term Expired)
Patterson, James H.	February 23, 1939(C) October 2, 1943(C)	Todd (Term Expired)
Herring, Paul C.	May 5, 1949(C)	Patterson (Term Expired)
Metcalf, Irwin L.	June 25, 1951(C.A.)	Herring (Deceased)
Huntley, Walter E.	September 26, 1951(C)	Metcalf (Court Appointed)
Williamson, Fred S.	October 27, 1953(R) March 9, 1954(C) May 8, 1958(C)	Huntley (Resigned)

DISTRICT OF ALASKA  
DIVISION #4

(Created March 3, 1909. Became Territory of Alaska, Division #4 on August 24, 1912.)

<u>MARSHAL</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>VICE</u>
Love, Henry K.	March 3, 1909	Himself as Marshal of Alaska #3 (Transferred)
Erwin, Lewis T.	May 20, 1913(C) July 19, 1917(C)	Love (Term Expired)
Stevens, Gilbert B.	September 27, 1921(C)	Erwin (Term Expired)
Smith, Lynn	February 16, 1926(C) January 9, 1931(C)	Stevens (Term Expired)
Carlson, M.O.	March 22, 1933(C.A.)	Smith (Deceased)
McDonald, Joseph A.	June 13, 1933(C) March 12, 1938(C) July 7, 1942(C)	Carlson (Court Appointed)
Nichols, Stanley J.	July 15, 1946(C)	McDonald (Term Expired)
McRoberts, Theodore R.	December 23, 1950(C.A.)	Nichols (Resigned)
Barr, Frank	April 25, 1951(C)	McRoberts (Court Appointed)
McRoberts, Theodore R.	July 31, 1951(C.A.)	Barr (Resigned)
Chapados, Francis X.	October 17, 1951(C)	McRoberts (Court Appointed)
McRoberts, Theodore R.	January 31, 1953 (C.A.)	Chapados (Resigned)
Dorsch, Albert F., Jr.	October 27, 1953(R) March 9, 1954(C) May 8, 1958(C)	McRoberts (Court Appointed)

DISTRICT OF ALASKA

(Alaska admitted as State on January 3, 1959 and four divisions abolished on February 20, 1960. There is now a single judicial District.)

<u>MARSHAL</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>VICE</u>
Williamson, Fred S.	February 19, 1960 (Transferred) June 14, 1960(C)	Himself as Marshal of Alaska #3
Bayer, George A.	April 14, 1961(C) May 22, 1965(C)	Williamson (Separated)
Miller, Norman D.	August 13, 1969(C.A.)	Bayer (Retired)
Olson, Robert D., Sr.	November 5, 1969(C) March 1, 1974(C)	Miller (Court Appointed)
Opel, William H.	November 5, 1977(C.A.) May 16, 1985(C)	Olson (Resigned)
McKay, John	October 1, 1986(C.A.) December 9, 1987(C)	Opel (Retired)
Mobbs, Robert	May 1, 1993(AG)	McKay (Retired)
Murphy, John R.	October 11, 1994(C)	Mobbs (Interim Appointment)