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## Judge Cylenthia LaToye Miller 3rd Circuit Court, Michigan Detroit, MI

Judge Cylenthia LaToye Miller began her legal career in 1996 and worked in private practice where she specialized in labor and unemployment law. In 2006, she became a judge with the 36th District in Detroit, Michigan. In 2019, she was appointed to the 3rd Circuit Court by Governor Gretchen Whitmer. She is the founder and presiding judge for the Street Outreach Court, which allows homeless individuals the opportunity to resolve certain civil infractions and misdemeanors, including warrants, by crediting their personal efforts to improve their lives toward their outstanding fines, court costs, and jail time. She is also passionate about indigent defense and helps economically

disadvantaged people attain good legal representation for civil court through her work with the Michigan State Bar Affordable Services team.

Since 2012, Judge LaToye Miller has been an adjunct professor of criminal justice at Baker College. She holds a B.A. in sociology from Wayne State University and a J.D. from Michigan State University College of Law. She has been the recipient of numerous awards including the Distinguished Service Award from the Detroit City Council, the Certificate of Congressional Recognition from Representative Sheila Jackson Lee in 2008, the Humanitarian of the Year Award from the Michigan Business & Technical Institute in 2009, and the President's Award from the National Bar Association in 2000, 2006, and 2009. She is a member of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (N.A.A.C.P.), the Trade Union Leadership Council, National Congress of Black Women, the State Bar of Michigan, Women Lawyers Association of Michigan, and the National Lawyers Guild.

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