

JUDGE KEVIN BRAIG

Logan County Court of Common Pleas Judge

"It's a marathon, not a sprint."



Q: *What is your current position and company?*

A: Judge of the Logan County Court of Common Pleas, General Division.

Q: *What was your practice area at Shumaker?*

A: I was a partner in the Columbus office where I focused my practice on agricultural, environmental, and gaming law.

Q: *What do you enjoy most about your career?*

A: It is a privilege to have the opportunity to try to help others solve problems they cannot solve by themselves.

Q: *What is your favorite Shumaker memory?*

A: The first Saddlebrook firm retreat and the first Shumaker Sporting Clays Event.

Q: *What news would you like to share about your personal or professional life?*

A: Since taking the bench a little more than eight months ago, I have helped eight people take control of their chemical substance addiction and graduate from the Logan County Adult Recovery Court. In another instance, I noticed an unusual facial tic in a Defendant that appeared before me and I mentioned my observation to his lawyer, who did a splendid job of getting him medical attention. He was subsequently diagnosed with Tourette's syndrome and autism, put on medication, and hired full-time by a large corporation. After I gave that Defendant his probation, he asked, "Can I shake your hand?" So, I came down from the bench and shook his hand. That was definitely a good day.