

EDUCATION

- Fruitport High School, Class of 1989
- Michigan State University, BA in Anthropology and Political Science (Dec. 1992)
- University of Detroit-Mercy School of Law, Juris Doctor (May 1996)

OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

- Total of 23 Years Experience as Attorney in Civil and Criminal Cases
- No Grievance or Disciplinary History
- Prior Judicial Experience as Special Education Hearing Officer for 8 Years
- Practiced in Federal and County Courts Throughout the State
- Appellate Record of 17-1 in the Michigan Court of Appeals and 8-1 in the Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals

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WORK EXPERIENCE

- Kolkema Law, PLC General Practice Attorney (Dec. 2013-Present)
- Johnson, Rosati, Schultz & Joppich, PC - Municipal Defense Attorney (Aug. 1999 - Oct. 2012)
- David T. Bowen, PC General Practice Attorney (Nov. 1996 - Aug. 1999)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Village of Fruitport, Village Council Member (May 2015 Nov. 2016)
- Village of Fruitport, Planning Commission (Jan. 2015 Nov. 2016)
- MCOLES Fatal Force Case Study Presenter (Camp Grayling) (2007 2008)
- Ingham County Circuit Court, Case Evaluator (2003 2013)
- Shiawassee County Circuit Court, Case Evaluator (2002 2013)
- City of East Lansing, Zoning Board of Appeals (2003 2008)
- Autism Society of Michigan, Board of Directors (1998 2002)

Jason Kolkema

for District Court Judge

Paid for by Committee to Elect Jason Kolkema for District Court Judge 40 Concord Ave., Muskegon, MI 49442



Candidate Bio: Terry Knoll



My name is Terry Knoll and I am running for re-election for Trustee. My wife Angie and I are long time residents of Fruitport Township. We have been married for 26 years and have two children, Zach and Kara.

During my time on the Fruitport Township Board of Trustees I have built strong relationships with both members of the community and the other members of the Board.

As a member of the Public Safety Committee, I have focused on ensuring that both the Police and Fire Departments have **Fruitport Area News • October 2020 • Page 27**

continued to be provided with the resources necessary to properly serve and protect our community.

One of the most important goals for me in serving the citizens of Fruitport has been to practice fiscal responsibility while delivering a balanced budget. This has been accomplished even as we invested in vital infrastructure and future retirement liabilities for our employees.

Upon re-election, I will continue to be a voice for the citizens of our community, and will work towards finding creative avenues for funding road upgrades throughout our township.

Working together we will continue to be West Michigan's finest township. Please feel free to contact me at *Terryknoll71@gmail.com*.



A single dad wants to join a parent support group

- A nineteen year old college student seeks HIV testing
- A runaway teen needs a safe place to stay
- A working woman seeks adult day care for her elderly father and a caregiver support group for herself
- A senior citizen wants to volunteer
- A young family in financial crisis searches for budget counseling