



**Summit County
Domestic Relations Court**

Administrative Judge Katarina Cook
Judge Kani H. Hightower

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DARCI JAY, MAGISTRATE**



Darci Jay is a life-long resident of Medina County, Ohio. She graduated from the University of Akron where she received two Bachelor Degrees in Finance. She later earned her Juris Doctorate from University of Akron School of Law. She also received her Masters in Taxation from the University of Akron. She is currently admitted to practice law in Ohio, and certified to practice before the United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio and United States Tax Court.

Magistrate Jay takes pride in the fact that she worked full time as a stockbroker throughout law school. After graduating law school, Magistrate Jay was employed at a regional accounting firm as a state and local tax attorney and then engaged in private practice for approximately 4 years. Through this position, she developed a passion to assist families and she then took a position at Community Legal Aid as a domestic violence advocate. Her practice focused on domestic relations and related issues. She was appointed as a Magistrate of the Domestic Relations Court in May 2023. Spousal Support and Child Support are among her favorite topics to hear and decide.

Magistrate Jay is married with two children. She spends her nonworking time shuttling the kids between all of their activities. She loves to cook, strength train, and read. One day she hopes to resume her passion for gardening.

She is a member of the Ohio Association of Magistrates, Akron Bar Association, and Ohio State Bar Association.

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