

PROSECUTOR JULIE DOSS NAMED NEW CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN DIRECTOR

DOSS BRINGS YEARS OF EXPERIENCE TO NEW POSITION



Among the thousands of cases Prosecutor Doss has handled, six of those were death penalty cases, making her the most experienced death penalty ADA in the Tulsa County DA's office.

A hard worker all her life, Julie Doss is no stranger to burning the midnight oil. As a single mother of 4 children, she worked as a paralegal to put herself through law school, graduating from the University of Tulsa in 1999 with highest honors. After three years of handling civil cases at the law firm of Gable & Gatwals, Doss made the career move she had been wanting since she began law school: to become an Assistant District Attorney.

"I always wanted to be a trial lawyer," she says. "Criminal law is the field that held my interest in law school and it turned out to be as fascinating as I hoped it would be." Doss has prosecuted a wide range of felonies since joining the DA's office and is also cross-designated with the US Attorney's Office as a Special Assistant US Attorney. This distinction allows her to participate in grand juries and assist with federal prosecutions. She also holds degrees in American Sign Language and Human Resources Management.

Although Doss finds prosecuting cases to be thoroughly rewarding, she admits that her future goal is to one day use all her criminal law experience to become a judge.

Free time is hard to come by for someone with her ambition, but when she has it, Doss says her favorite activities are the ones she spends with her 4 children and 8 grandchildren. "They call me Momarazzi because I take so many pictures of them!"