



Dear Fellow Oakland County Bar Association Member:

I am so honored and excited to seek your support for a position on the Oakland County Bar Association (OCBA) Board of Directors. As a lifelong resident, former Assistant Prosecutor, and founder of a law practice—all in Oakland County—I believe I am a strong fit for the position.

I have lived in Oakland County my entire life. During that time, I have devoted my career to serving the profession and the community around me. As an Assistant Oakland County Prosecutor from 2012-2016, I prosecuted some of the most complex crimes in the region—everything ranging from child and elder abuse to sexual assault, domestic violence, and murder. My current practice focuses on criminal, juvenile, and family law, while pursuing community projects aimed at improving the quality of life in Oakland County and the surrounding region. Through it all, it has been my privilege to serve the OCBA.

As a member of the OCBA, I have served on the New Lawyers Committee, spoken frequently at the OCBABC's of Practice, and Co-Chaired the organization's annual Meet the Judges Party. I have participated in the organization's Annual Meeting, Holiday Gala, Signature Event, and social programs since my membership began. Most gratifyingly, I have worked with numerous committees within the organization to develop and improve our membership and growth.

I believe that service to the legal profession begins at home. **For me, that is the OCBA.** I want to bring these experiences and the ideas I have developed to the OCBA Board of Directors.

As a first-generation American and the first lawyer in my family, it is a privilege and honor to be a member of the Bar. As a member of the Board of Directors, I will seek to promote diversity and ensure that our organization reflects the changing and growing needs of our membership.

I believe my experiences and service in Oakland County have provided me the network, opportunities, and investment that will allow me to contribute to the growth, success, and future of an organization that is home to me—the OCBA. It is with this experience and dedication in mind that I seek to join the Board of Directors.

I would be honored by your support, and I would be humbled by the opportunity to serve you.

Sincerely yours,

Clarence M. Dass