

Magistrate James Aylward Passed Away on August 17, 2017

James Aylward was a magistrate for 20 years in the Portage County Juvenile and Probate Court until he retired in 2015. During that time, he was active in the Ohio Association of Magistrates, serving as a board member and Ethics Chairman for over 10 years. In 2014, James was awarded the Association's Education Award. James taught Ethics to the Association by developing a jeopardy game to stimulate discussion and interest in an important aspect of a magistrate's career. Everyone looked forward to attending his CLE because of his knowledge of the subject and his ability to keep it interesting. James' obituary provides more detail on his interesting life:

<https://www.legacy.com/us/obituaries/ohio/name/james-aylward-obituary?id=18080200>