

John Sheeran treats a trial like a bar brawl.

He mocks other lawyers, yells at witnesses, and interrupts the judge. Sheeran behaves so badly Washington's Supreme Court said he "threatens ... public respect for the courts." (1)

And when Sheeran's "unthinkable" antics cause a retrial, he wastes hundreds of thousands of dollars of taxpayer money.

But beside the fact Sheeran is out of control in the courtroom, his experience is wrong. He's never served as *pro tem* judge. He only prosecutes felonies in Superior Court. District Court doesn't deal with felonies; it handles misdemeanors and civil law.



Fortunately, we have an outstanding alternative:

Karl Williams.

Karl has practiced general law in Pierce County for **30 years**, most of it in District Court.

Karl is the most sought-after *pro tem* judge in the Court, hearing **thousands of cases over 22 years.**

Judges and their clerks bring him back again and again. They're the experts. They call Karl.

And he's the only candidate in this race to have been rated "Exceptionally Well Qualified" by the **Pierce County Bar Association** and by **Washington Women Lawyers.**

Karl Williams has the temperament, knowledge, and experience to be an outstanding District Court judge. The other guy? A bad fit at best.

(1) Supreme Court of the State of Washington, *State v. Lindsey*, May 8, 2014

