

Judy Schwartau, CERA

Judy Schwartau is an Election Specialist with Elections and Voter Services at the City of Minneapolis.

Her responsibilities include Communications and Training. She is a 2006 recipient of the NASS Medallion Award "for excellence in elections and creativity in civic engagement."

During 2007-2008 she served on the National Election Center's Task Force on Education and Training. In 2009 she attained accreditation as a Certified Election & Voter Registration Administrator (CERA) through the National Association of Election Officials/Auburn University.

Judy is a member of the Minnesota Office of Secretary of State's Training and Publications Workgroup, and represents the League of Minnesota Cities on the Governor's Task Force on Election Integrity.

Be careful what you do with your children.

As a child, Judy's parents took turns serving as election judges in their local Featherstone Town hall, and after the polls closed the whole family would deliver the election returns to the county seat, and Judy got to stay up late! Judy decided she liked the late nights and elections. After serving as an election judge for several years, Judy has worked in the elections field since 1988.