

## JUDICIAL CONDUCT BOARD

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### CLOSURE REPORT OF THE VERMONT JUDICIAL CONDUCT BOARD

Re: Docket No.: 19.022

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This Complaint is the result of a contested traffic ticket. The ticket was upheld at the time of trial, but later dismissed after an appeal. The Complaint alleged that the Judge unfairly weighed the evidence. Evidentiary issues are matters for appeal, not for this Board.

The Judicial Conduct Board conducted an initial inquiry including extensive review of the docket sheet, the audio of the hearings and the decision on appeal. To the extent the Complaint alleges ethical impropriety or a violation of the Code of Judicial Conduct, the Board has determined that the Complaint is unfounded and there is no cause for further proceedings. *Rules of the Supreme Court for the Disciplinary Control of Judges*, Rule 11.

Accordingly, the Complaint in Docket No. 19.022 is DISMISSED.

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By: Andrew H. Maass  
Andrew H. Maass, Chair