

**In the Spotlight**  
Awards and Recognitions



Anyone who knows Judge McEwen is well aware of her tireless commitment to pro bono service. We are pleased to announce that those efforts have recently been recognized by the Chief Justice of the Florida Supreme Court, Jorge Labarga, who selected Judge McEwen as the first recipient of the Chief Justice’s Distinguished Federal Judicial Service Award. That award recognizes an active or retired judge for outstanding and sustained service to the public, especially as it relates to the support of pro bono legal services. Chief Justice Labarga will present the award to Judge McEwen at a ceremony on January 28, 2016 at 3:30 p.m. at the Florida Supreme Court. Please congratulate Judge McEwen on this extraordinary—and well-deserved—honor.

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