

## United States District Court

for the District of Columbia 333 Constitution Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC 20001

## Media Advisory

## Matthew J. Sharbaugh Sworn in as United States Magistrate Judge

WASHINGTON, D.C. October 28, 2024. **Matthew J. Sharbaugh** was sworn in today by Chief Judge James E. Boasberg to serve an eight-year term as a United States Magistrate Judge. He will preside over civil and criminal matters in Courtroom 7 of the E. Barrett Prettyman United States Courthouse.

Until recently, Mr. Sharbaugh was a partner at Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP, with a practice that focused on employment and other complex civil litigation, as well as substantial pro bono work. Mr. Sharbaugh began his legal career as an associate at Littler Mendelson, P.C. in Los Angeles, California. He then served twice as a law clerk to the Honorable Robert L. Wilkins, first during Judge Wilkins' tenure on this Court and again following Judge Wilkins' appointment to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit. Mr. Sharbaugh received a Bachelor of Music degree, *summa cum laude*, from Berklee College of Music in 2004, and received his J.D., *summa cum laude*, from Pepperdine University School of Law in 2008.

Magistrate Judge Sharbaugh fills the vacancy occasioned by the recent appointment of former Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather to the U.S. Court of Federal Claims. He was selected by the Court following a comprehensive selection process. The Court's Merit Selection Panel was chaired by Jessie Liu, Esq.

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