

Emmet County News Release

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Michael Schuitema Sworn in as Emmet County Chief Assistant Prosecutor

On Aug. 21, the Honorable Judge Charles W. Johnson administered the oath of office in the 57th Circuit Court and swore in Michael Schuitema as Emmet County Chief Assistant Prosecuting Attorney.

Schuitema joined the Emmet County Prosecuting Attorney's Office in March 2016, serving as one of four assistant prosecutors before being promoted to chief assistant prosecutor. Prior to coming to Emmet County, Schuitema worked for the State of Michigan investigating Medicaid fraud.

Schuitema is a native of Hudsonville, Michigan, and earned his undergraduate degree from Calvin College in Grand Rapids. In 2007, he graduated from the University of Virginia School of Law.



Michael Schuitema (middle) was joined by Emmet County Prosecuting Attorney Jim Linderman (far left), along with his wife and their childrea, after 57th Circuit Court Judge Charles Johnson administered the oath of office, promoting Schuitema to chief assistant prosecutor.

Emmet County Prosecutor James Linderman said he has been impressed with Schuitema since he joined the Prosecutor's Office and looks forward to working with him in his new role.

Schuitema was joined by his wife Andrea, daughter Dylan and son Arlo, along with Judge Johnson and Linderman, after his swearing in for a photo commemorating his new position.

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(NOTE: Embedded photo also attached for your convenience.)