

KURT B. FRYAR - NORTH CAROLINA DISTRICT COURT 6 SEAT 2 (R)

KEY FINDINGS INCLUDE:

- **Low-profile, lightly resourced candidate:** Kurt B. Fryar appears to be a relatively low-visibility judicial candidate with minimal public presence, limited media coverage, and no clearly defined campaign infrastructure or messaging.
- **Republican-aligned challenger:** Fryar is running as a Republican in a district that leans Republican overall.
- **Limited campaign activity and fundraising:** Campaign finance filings show a very small, largely self-funded campaign (\$3K total),

JURISDICTION SUMMARY

The North Carolina Judicial Branch's district map, effective January 1, 2024, places New Hanover and Pender Counties within District Court District 6. The district includes two counties with differing partisan tendencies.

New Hanover County is relatively competitive. In the 2024 presidential election, Kamala D. Harris (D) received 49.60% of the vote and Donald J. Trump (R) received 48.98%. In the same election, Democrat Josh Stein carried the county in the gubernatorial race with 59.65% to Mark Robinson's 34.34%.

Pender County is more reliably Republican. In 2024, Trump received 66.93% of the vote compared to Harris at 32.48%.

State election abstracts indicate that Faison was unopposed in recent general elections. In 2018, he received 70,422 votes across both counties, and in 2022, 65,468 votes, with no opposing candidates listed in either cycle.

For the 2026 election, filings indicate a contested race for District Court Judge, District 6 Seat 2, between James H. Faison III (D) and Kurt B. Fryar (R).

BACKGROUND

1998: Fryar Received A Bachelors Degree From University of North Carolina Wilmington.
"Education: University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, J.D.2002, University of North Carolina At Wilmington, B.S 1998, M.S. 1999, Admitted to practice: 2002, Memberships: North Carolina Bar, North Carolina Bar Association." [[Fryar Law Firm](#), accessed, 4/14/2026]


1999: Fryar Received A Masters From University Of North Carolina Wilmington.
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2002: Fryar Received His J.D From University North Carolina Chapel Hill. “Education: University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, J.D.2002, University of North Carolina At Wilmington, B.S 1998, M.S. 1999, Admitted to practice: 2002, Memberships: North Carolina Bar, North Carolina Bar Association.” [[Fryar Law Firm](#), accessed, 4/14/2026]

2002: Fryar Was Admitted To The North Carolina State Bar. “Education: University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, J.D.2002, University of North Carolina At Wilmington, B.S 1998, M.S. 1999, Admitted to practice: 2002, Memberships: North Carolina Bar, North Carolina Bar Association.” [[Fryar Law Firm](#), accessed, 4/14/2026]

Fryar’s Law Firm Site Listed Real Estate, Civil Litigation, Business Law, Personal Injury, And Traffic Court As Areas Of Practice.

PRACTICE AREAS:



- Residential and Commercial Real Estate
- Wills, Trusts & Estates
- Civil Litigation
- Probate
- Business Law
- Automobile Accidents
- Personal Injury
- Traffic Tickets

[[Fryar Law Firm](#), accessed, 4/16/2026]

July 2019: Fryar Was Admitted To The California Bar.

Attorney Profile

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License Status: **Inactive**

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License Status, Disciplinary and Administrative History

The table below shows an attorney's license status changes, disciplinary actions, and administrative actions. Some administrative suspensions are subject to automatic removal from the attorney profile page pursuant to the State Bar's [policy on removal of administrative actions](#). Administrative suspensions are non-disciplinary actions resulting from noncompliance with administrative requirements, such as the requirement to pay licensing fees or comply with Minimum Continuing Legal Education. Administrative suspensions that meet the criteria in the State Bar's policy on removal of administrative actions would not be displayed below.

Date	License Status ⓘ	Discipline ⓘ	Administrative Action ⓘ
Present	Inactive		
2/6/2026	Inactive		
7/30/2019	Admitted to the State Bar of California		

[The State Bar of California, accessed, 4/16/2026]

- **February 2026: Fryar's California Law License Is Currently Listed As Inactive According To The State Bar Of California's Attorney Records.** [The State Bar of California, accessed, 4/16/2026]

2026: Fryar Is Running As A Republican In The 2026 District 6 Seat 2 Against Democrat James H. Faison III.

NC Court Judge – District 6

- **Seat 1:** Lindsey L. McKee (R)
- **Seat 2:** James H. Faison III (D), Kurt B. Fryar (R)
- **Seat 3:** Melinda H. Crouch (D), Janelle L. Cline (R)
- **Seat 4:** Katherine Corpening (D), Chad Hogston (R)

[[Pender County](#), accessed, 4/15/2026]

February 2024: Fryar Purchased A Property In Wilmington, North Carolina For \$473,000.

November 2023: Fryar Purchased A Property In Wilmington, North Carolina For \$585,000 [sourced from database].

CAMPAIGN FINANCE

February 2026: Fryar Reported Receiving \$3,078 In Cycle To-Date Individual Contributions.

Detailed Summary

Yes No

Use this form to summarize all disclosure reporting forms and to total monetary information

1. Committee Full Name (and Fund if applicable)	2. Type of Report	3. ID Number	
Committee to Elect Kurt B. Fryar	1st Quarter		
Start of Election Cycle: January 1, <u>2026</u>	Total this Reporting Period	Total this Election Cycle	
4) Cash on Hand at Start	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	
RECEIPTS			
5) Aggregated Contributions from Individuals (CRO-1205)	\$	\$	
6) Contributions from Individuals (CRO-1210)	\$ 1,451.98	\$ 3,078.18	
7) Contributions from Political Party Committees (CRO-1220)	\$	\$	
8) Contributions from Other Political Committees (CRO-1230)	\$	\$	
9) Loan Proceeds (CRO-1410)	\$	\$	
10) Refunds/Reimbursements to the Committee (CRO-1240)	\$	\$	
11) Other Receipt Sources			
11a) Interest on Bank Accounts (CRO-1250)	\$	\$	
11b) Contributions from Not-For-Profit Organizations (CRO-1250)	\$	\$	
11c) Outside Sources of Income (CRO-1250)	\$	\$	
11d) Legal Expense Fund - Other Sources (CRO-1270)	\$	\$	
11e) Exempt Purchase Price Sales (CRO-1265)	\$	\$	

[[North Carolina State Board of Elections](#), accessed, 4/16/2026]

SOCIAL MEDIA LINKS

[Personal Instagram](#)