Justice of the Peace Association now in Vermont

August 12, 2019 South Burlington, VT. Are you a Justice of the Peace who is looking for support in your JP duties or want to get your name out there for officiating weddings? The Justice of the Peace Association and the Vermont Municipal Clerks’ and Treasurers’ Association (VMCTA) are teaming up to inform their justices of the peace of this supportive organization. JPs, as they are informally called, are entrusted to help with elections, hear tax appeals and officiate weddings.

**Why join JPus?** A professional membership group serving most of New England, the Justice of the Peace Association (JPus) expanded its territory to include Vermont wedding officiants. When a JP joins JPus, they automatically receive a listing on findaJP.com, where _couples who click_ go to find their perfect marriage officiant. In addition, through the association, members have a voice in public discourse and networking opportunities with other JPs. JPus also hosts educational conferences and issues a bimonthly newsletter. Visit [https://www.findajp.com/jpus/jps-by-state/about-vermont-jps/](https://www.findajp.com/jpus/jps-by-state/about-vermont-jps/) for more information on VT.

“We are excited to expand into Vermont and welcome the state’s JPs to our organization, says Loretta Jay, the managing member of JPus. “Our new model was created specifically for the state’s rural nature. The membership levels accommodate the different experience and time commitment that each member may have. I’m looking forward to working closely with our new members to support them in this rewarding line of work.”

"[findajp.com](http://www.findajp.com) is an effective online tool for reaching wonderful couples seeking an officiant in Vermont," shares Vermont justice of the peace and JPus member Carmen George. "They also keep me updated on legislation impacting JPs in New England."

**Interested in finding out how to become a JP?** To become a justice of the peace, contact your local town clerk or your town’s political committee. More information about being a JP can be found in the Vermont Justice of the Peace Guide, published by the Secretary of State’s Office. To learn more about JPus or to join please visit [www.JPus.org](http://www.JPus.org).

JPus member Carmen George officiating a wedding at the Mansfield Barn.