



Penya M. Moses-Fields, JD, LL.M. is Screening Section Chief appointed by District Attorney James E. Stewart for his newly created Special Victims Unit which focuses on domestic violence, sex & white-collar crimes because of her diverse legal background and the presentation of cases before the grand jury. Chief ADA Fields assists with the administration of the District Attorney's Office as well as the supervision of the assistant district attorneys and its investigators. She works closely with law enforcement joint taskforces, child advocacy centers, Project Celebration and the Northwest Louisiana Family Justice Center.

ADA Fields is the former City Attorney of the City of New Orleans, appointed in the aftermath of Hurricanes Katrina & Rita in 2005, where she served until her appointed term ended in 2010. She was recognized for her outstanding services by the Family Justice Center of New Orleans for her efforts in securing a permanent location for the center. ADA Fields serves as Chairperson of the Board of Commissioners for Reeves Memorial Medical Center.

ADA Fields has been licensed to practice law for over 20 years and is a graduate of Grambling State University with a Bachelor's of Science degree in Accounting, a Juris Doctorate degree from Loyola University School of Law and she has a Masters of Laws in Taxation from Villanova University School of Law. ADA Fields is a member of the Louisiana State Bar Association and she is qualified to practice before the Eastern and Western District Courts of Louisiana as well as the U.S. Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals. She is also a member of the National District Attorneys Association, Louisiana District Attorneys Association and the National Association of Black Prosecutors. She was inducted into Grambling State University's Hall of Fame "Gallery of Distinction" College of Business for her notable service to the community as well as being a member of Trademark Women of Distinction Honors Edition. She is a Silver Star member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., Epsilon Psi Omega Graduate Chapter.