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Carol Naughton is an official court reporter for the U.S. District Court in Norfolk, Va. Previously, she worked as a freelance court reporter for 27 years in the markets of Los Angeles, Chicago, northeast Wisconsin, and many areas in Virginia and Washington, D.C. She graduated from Bryan College of Court Reporting in Los Angeles where she qualified to take – and passed – the California Certified Shorthand Reporter exam. She holds the Registered Diplomate Reporter (RDR), NCRA's highest certification.

Naughton served on NCRA's A to Z[®] Committee and Brand Ambassadors Committee. She has nine years' experience with the National Congress of State Associations (NCSA), serving six of those years as Chair or Co-Chair. She aided its transition from the "Committee" to the "Congress," assisted in the newly revised resolution process, and drafted resolutions, most notably, the Reinstatement of Exam History and the ability of NCRA's Membership to now vote online for any dues increases.

Naughton is also a proud supporter of the National Court Reporters Foundation and a second-year NCRF Angel.

Naughton is a past president of the Virginia Court Reporters Association and continues to serve on its Legislative Committee.