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**QUALIFICATIONS**

Over 23 years experience as practicing attorney in estate planning, estate administration, business planning and asset protection. Extensive knowledge of public finance and development law, specifically in areas of zoning, tax increment financing, municipal bonds and enterprise zones.

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE & ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

**Gudorf Law Group, LLC, Dayton, Ohio - 1992 to present**

- Current law practice limited to estate planning, estate administration, business planning and asset protection planning. Have completed hundreds of comprehensive estate plans for seniors, business owners and high net worth families.
- Previous work included extensive civil litigation practice. Key successes included settlement exceeding \$4 million in insurance dispute for private business owner, and the recovering of over \$300,000 for investors in litigation against a major brokerage firm.
- Board Certified by the Ohio State Bar Association as specialist in estate planning, trust and probate law.
- Co-author of *Estate Planning Strategies: Collective Wisdom, Proven Techniques*; Wealth Builders Press (2009)

**RELATED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**City of Clayton, Ohio, Mayor and Development Director - 1988 to 2005**

- Spearheaded founding of new suburban city, Clayton, Ohio. Responsible for overseeing merger of township and village government entities into charter city. Assisted in management of policy and practices for five years until appointment of permanent city manager.
- Led efforts to resolve complex legal issues relative to adoption of city charter, enactment of income tax, creation of town center and commercial park, issuance of first bond debenture, resolution of zoning disputes and creation of tax increment and impact fee district.
- Member of labor contract negotiation team for police and fire department employees.

**RELATED PROFESSIONAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

- Regular speaker at national conferences devoted to estate and business planning topics.
- Frequent lecturer at continuing education classes for accountants, stockbrokers and insurance professionals.
- Training program facilitator for life insurance companies and national estate planning organizations.
- Adjunct Professor for Wright State University, teaching classes in public finance.

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

- President, Society of Financial Service Professionals, Dayton Chapter
- Past President, Ohio Forum of Estate Planning Attorneys
- Founding Trustee, The Clayton Community Foundation
- Founding Trustee, Greater Dayton Volunteer Lawyers Project

## ***PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS (CONTINUED)***

- Advisory Board, Miami Valley Hospital Foundation
- Past President, University of Dayton School of Law Student Bar Association
- Member: Esperti-Peterson Institute, Wealth Counsel, American Bar Association, Ohio State Bar Association, Dayton Bar Association, Planned Giving Council of Greater Dayton, Dayton Trust & Estate Planning Group, Miami Valley Estate Planning Council, Dayton Association of Insurance & Financial Advisors, National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys, Ohio Forum of Estate Planning Attorneys, Society of Financial Service Professionals

## ***PROFESSIONAL HONORS & AWARDS***

- Price Waterhouse Up & Comers Award
- American Jurisprudence Individual Income Taxation Award
- American Jurisprudence Complex Litigation Award
- American College of Trial Lawyers, Regional Champion, National Mock Trial Competition

## ***COMMUNITY SERVICE***

- Founding Trustee & Coach, Northmont Traveling Baseball
- Basketball Coach, Northmont Future Lady Bolts
- Knights of Columbus Third Degree, Marian Council
- Member: Leadership Dayton, Greater Dayton YMCA, Dayton and Northmont Chambers of Commerce, Wright State University Alumni Association, American Political Item Collectors

## ***EDUCATION***

- **Western New England College School of Law**  
Completed post-doctoral LL.M. program in Estate Planning and Elder Law
- **Esperti-Peterson Institute, Omaha, Nebraska**  
Completed advanced studies for Estate and Wealth Planning
- **University of Dayton School of Law, Dayton, Ohio**  
Juris Doctorate
- **Wright State University, Dayton, Ohio**  
Bachelor of Arts in Political Science - Graduated with Honors