

ABOUT DARRELL HECKMAN

I. PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Darrell was admitted to the bar of the State of Ohio in 1975. He has over 35 years experience in the general practice of law including hundreds of trials and over 100 appeals. He has extensive experience in criminal law both as Prosecuting Attorney of Champaign County, Ohio, and as defense counsel. He has handled hundreds of domestic cases and hundreds of civil, probate, and juvenile cases. He has handled appeals for plaintiffs and defendants, for the defense and for the State. He has appealed to several appellate districts, the Ohio Supreme Court and the United States Court of Appeals.

Darrell served as the elected Prosecuting Attorney of Champaign County, Ohio from 1989 to 1997. Additionally he has previously served in the following governmental positions:

Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, Champaign County, Ohio;

Village Solicitor, Christiansburg and Woodstock, Ohio;

City Solicitor of Urbana, Ohio;

Ohio Respiratory Care Board, Public Member and Chairman;

Urbana Charter Commission; and

Chairman of the Urbana Charter Review Commission.

He is currently the Chairman of the City of Urbana Board of Zoning Appeals.

II. PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Darrell is a member of the Champaign County Bar Association, the Ohio State Bar Association, the American Association for Justice, and the National Crime Victim's Bar Association. He is admitted to the Bar of the State of Ohio as well as the bar of several federal courts including the United States Supreme Court.

III. MISCELLANEOUS ORGANIZATIONS

Darrell has served on the Boards of the West Central Ohio Speech and Hearing Center, the Clark Champaign Diabetes Association, Inc., the Cancer Association of Champaign County and the Urbana Optimist Club where he served as President and a lifetime member of Optimist International. He is a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Urbana, currently serving as an elder.

IV. MILITARY

Darrell is an honorably discharged veteran of the United States Army Reserve.

V. EDUCATION

Darrell received his B.A. from Ohio State and his law degree from the University of Toledo.

VI. PERSONAL

Darrell is married to Nancy Heckman who is a school teacher with the Urbana City Schools. They have three children and two grandchildren. Mr. Heckman is in excellent health and swims over 100 miles per year.