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November Notes N' News

Condolences

Our condolences to:

- **Hon. Mark C. McCabe** on the death of his wife Janet E. McCabe who passed away on Tuesday, October 27th, 2020.
- To the family and friends of **Hon. Allen J. Nelson** who passed away October 29, 2020.

Congratulations Super Lawyers

Congratulations to GCBA members

- **Julia Black, Jose T. Brown, Michael J. Behm, Chris Christenson, Jeffrey Clothier, Audrey O. Forbush, Carol Fossee, Gregory Gibbs, Walter P. Griffin, George Hamo, Henry M. Hanflik, Edwin Jakeway, Ven Johnson, John Kalo, Michael Kowalko, Glen Lenhoff, J. Brian MacDonald, Robert J. MacDonald, Michael J. Mangapora, Frank J. Manley, Michael P. Manley, Robert D. Mannor, Matthew L. Norwood, Tom R. Pabst, Michael P. Parillo, Glenn M. Simmington, Paul Vance, Cristine Wasserman, Thomas W. Waun, Kendall B. Williams and Dean T. Yeotis** for being named 2020 Michigan Super Lawyers.
- and to **Nancy K. Chinonis** and **Samantha Orvis** for being named Rising Stars.

Congratulations to those who passed the State Bar Examination.

The GCBA will host a virtual admission ceremony on Thursday, November 19, 2020, at 2p.m. and will be conducted via Zoom by the Hon. Elizabeth Kelly. Registration is required to participate in this ceremony. Register by, Friday, November 13, 2020, to tyb@gcbalaw.org. Upon completion of your registration, a GCBA staff member will reach out with the other steps you must take to successfully register for this Admissions Ceremony.

For more information visit <http://www.gcbalaw.org/page.cfm?pageid=103>.

50-Year Golden Celebration (1970-2020)

Congratulations to all those who have reached this magnificent milestone of 50 years in the practice of law: **Brian M. Barkey, Hon. John L. Conover, Walter P. Griffin, Bernard L. McAra, and John P. Siler.**

Welcome New Member

Welcome to new GCBA Affiliate member **Kristie Stanfill.**

Community Holiday Giving Project

We will not be able to conduct our traditional Community Holiday Dinner this year due to COVID Pandemic concerns. However the need in our community is greater than ever. We are going to conduct a Holiday Giving Project as an alternative. This Program will contribute needed household essentials, holiday presents and food to area family shelters. Donations are needed to support this program, which are used exclusively for this year's Holiday Giving Project. The Foundation is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization. Your gift is tax deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law.



To donate via PayPal click the button below.



Calendar

Flyers enclosed

November

- 11th: Veterans Day, GCBA and Court Closed
- 14th: Volunteer Day - South End Soup Kitchen
- 16th: November Membership Meeting
- 19th: Young Lawyers Lunch N' Learn
- 26th and 27th: Thanksgiving Holiday

December

- December 3rd: Judge Perry Retirement Party

Neithercut Legal Education Fund

An experiment of the Genesee County Bar Foundation is offering grants that reimburse GCBA members for half the cost of tuition, up to \$300 per attorney per year, to any

- Institute of Continuing Legal Education (ICLE) Seminar of the State Bar of Michigan (SBM);
- American Bankruptcy Institute;
- Federal Bar Association Bankruptcy Section; and
- Criminal Defense Attorneys of Michigan.

Details on the grant can be found at www.gcbalaw.org. To take advantage of this opportunity please contact GCBA/GCBF Executive Director Tatilia "Tina" Burroughs at 810-232-6000.



SOUTH END SOUP KITCHEN

GCBA VOLUNTEER DAY

Date:

Saturday, November 14, 2020

Saturday, December 12, 2020

Saturday, January 9, 2021

Saturday, February 13, 2021

Saturday, March 13, 2021

Time:

10:15 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Meeting Location:

South End Soup Kitchen

3410 Fenton Rd #1566

Flint, MI 48507



Sponsored by the GCBA Community Action Committee



If you are interested in volunteering at the South End Soup Kitchen please fill out the volunteer form send to GCBA temporary fax number (810) 355-2691.

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

Email: _____

Volunteers please indicate your t-shirt size (circle):
(T-shirts will be distributed, if available, to volunteers upon arrival.)

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Additional Volunteers:
(be sure to indicate t-shirt size):

Select date(s) you are willing to volunteer:

- ☐ Saturday, November 14, 2020
- ☐ Saturday, December 12, 2020
- ☐ Saturday, January 9, 2021
- ☐ Saturday, February 13, 2021
- ☐ Saturday, March 13, 2021

Questions? Contact
Genesee County Bar Association
810-232-6000
gcba@gcbalaw.org

Note: Three (3) volunteers are needed for each date. Please consider volunteering with the GCBA! We ask those in attendance to adhere to safety and social distancing protocols.

Virtual November Monthly Membership Meeting

Genesee County Bar Association



*Reporting from the front lines
of the
Election Legal Challenges*

Charlie Langton
attorney and newscaster
for
WJBK TV and WWJ radio

Via Zoom
Monday, November 16, 2020
12 noon EST

This meeting is FREE but registration is required! You must register in order to receive the meeting link. Limited to the first 100 registrants.

[Click Here to Register](#)



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Mail: 315 E. Court St. • Flint, MI 48502. Fax: to (810) 232-8310. On-line: register at www.gcbalaw.org. Telephone reservations are not accepted.

Young Lawyers *Virtual* Lunch N' Learn

Thursday
November 19, 2020
12 noon

featuring
William J. Brickley

Topic:
Trial Preparation



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Open to all members!



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The Honorable Nathaniel C. Perry III
is retiring after 29 years of dedicated
service to the District Courts in Genesee County.
Due to social distancing, there will be limited space
available. We ask that you join us via
ZOOM for the unveiling and to wish him
the best in his future endeavors.

When: Thursday, December 3, 2020

Time: 12:00pm to 1:30pm

Where: Courtroom 5—McCree

630 S. Saginaw Street Ste. 124

Flint, MI 48502

Zoom Meeting ID # ~ 240-288-0809



ONLINE DOMESTIC RELATIONS MEDIATION TRAINING AND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SCREENING TRAINING

The Wayne County Dispute Resolution Center and Community Resolution Center is offering a State Court Administrative Office approved **40-hour** Domestic Relations Mediation Training plus the required **8-hour** Domestic Violence Screening Training.

This training will cover topics on divorce, child custody, parenting-time and domestic violence.

\$1295 NON-VOLUNTEERS

\$595 VOLUNTEERS

ONLINE TRAINING DATES:

Wednesday, December 02, 2020
Thursday, December 03, 2020
Friday, December 04, 2020
Monday, December 07, 2020 (DV)
Thursday, December 10, 2020
Friday, December 11, 2020

8:30 AM- 5:30 PM

Trainers:

**Zena D. Zumeta, J.D. &
Dayna Harper Ed.D
DV Trainer: Lore A. Rogers**

**These trainers will conduct the
training online. They have extensive
experience as trainers, mediators,
facilitators and consultants.**

Your attendance is required for all 48 hours of the training.

To register or for more information, please contact:

**Zeina Baydoun, Esq. Executive Director or
of Wayne County Dispute Resolution
Center at zbaydoun@wcdrc.org or (313)-
294-5410.**

**Dayna Harper, Ed.D. Executive Director of
Community Resolution Center at
dlh.mediation@yahoo.com or (810) 249-
2619.**

SECURE YOUR SEAT TODAY!