

## News & Insights

### 59 Dykema Attorneys Named to Michigan *Super Lawyers* and *Rising Stars* Lists

August 22, 2019

Dykema, a leading national law firm, announced today that 40 of its attorneys from the firm's five Michigan offices—and from multiple practice areas—were named to the 2019 *Super Lawyers* list by *Michigan Super Lawyers Magazine*. Additionally, 19 of the firm's attorneys were named to the 2019 *Michigan Rising Stars* list.

Of those recognized, both Brian Moore and Jill Wheaton were each also included on *Super Lawyers* "Top Lists." The Top List(s) they have been included on, are:

- **Brian M. Moore** – Top 100: 2019 Michigan Super Lawyers
- **Jill M. Wheaton** – Top 50: 2019 Women Michigan Super Lawyers

The *Super Lawyers* designation, conferred upon the most respected legal practitioners in the state, is based upon peer recognition and professional achievement. No more than five percent of the lawyers in each state are selected by the research team to receive this honor.

The Dykema attorneys named on the 2019 *Michigan Super Lawyers* list, identified by office and the practice area(s) for which they are being recognized, are:

#### Ann Arbor

- **Marie R. Deveney** – Estate Planning & Probate; Tax: Consumer
- **Kathrin E. Kudner** – Health Care; Food and Drugs; Business/Corporate
- **Ronald J. Santo** – Employment & Labor
- **Robert P. Tiplady** – Estate Planning & Probate
- **Jill M. Wheaton** – Appellate; Civil Litigation: Defense; Personal Injury - Products: Defense

#### Bloomfield Hills

- **Brendan J. Cahill** – Business/Corporate; Mergers & Acquisitions; Securities & Corporate Finance
- **Amy M. Christen** – Employee Benefits
- **Stephen R. Estey** – Land Use/Zoning; Eminent Domain; General Litigation
- **James P. Feeney** – Personal Injury - Products: Defense; Civil Litigation: Defense; Class Action/Mass Torts: Defense
- **Adam M. Fishkind** – Real Estate: Business
- **Fred J. Fresard** – Civil Litigation: Defense; Business Litigation
- **Alan M. Greene** – Land Use/Zoning; Eminent Domain; Construction Litigation: Business
- **Dennis M. Haffey** – Business Litigation; Professional Liability: Defense; Securities Litigation
- **Kyle R. Hauberg** – Real Estate: Business
- **Margaret Adams Hunter** – Employee Benefits
- **Howard B. Iwrey** – Antitrust Litigation; Franchise/Dealership
- **Mark G. Malven** – Technology Transactions; Mergers & Acquisitions; Business/Corporate

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- **Bonnie Mayfield** – Employment Litigation: Defense; Personal Injury – Products: Defense; Class Action/Mass Torts: Defense
- **Brian M. Moore** – Business Litigation; General Litigation; Real Estate: Business
- **Paul L. Nystrom** – Business Litigation; Personal Injury – Products: Defense; Class Action/Mass Torts: Defense; Land Use/Zoning
- **Sheryl L. Toby** – Business/Corporate; Bankruptcy: Business; Creditor Debtor Rights: Business

#### Detroit

- **Robert A. Boonin** – Employment & Labor: Employer; Employment Litigation: Defense
- **Lisa A. Brown** – General Litigation; Business Litigation
- **James R. Case** – Construction Litigation: Business; Surety
- **Michael P. Cooney** – Personal Injury - Products: Defense; Business Litigation; Intellectual Property Litigation; Class Action/Mass Torts
- **Grant P. Gilezan** – Environmental; Environmental Litigation; Lobbying
- **James F. Hermon** – Employment Litigation: Defense; Employment & Labor
- **Kathryn J. Humphrey** – Aviation and Aerospace; Utilities; Environmental Litigation; General Litigation
- **Mark D. Jacobs** – Environmental; Utilities; Administrative Law
- **Peter M. Kellett** – Class Action/Mass Torts: Defense ; Business Litigation; Personal Injury - Products: Defense
- **Joel D. Kellman** – Real Estate: Business; Banking; Nonprofit Organizations
- **Jin-Kyu Koh** – Mergers & Acquisitions; Business/Corporate; Health Care
- **Cameron H. Piggott** – Real Estate: Business
- **Harold D. Pope** – Business Litigation; Employment & Labor
- **Thomas M. Schehr** – Business Litigation

#### Grand Rapids

- **John A. Ferroli**– Environmental Litigation; Environmental
- **Brian J. Page** – Real Estate: Business; Business/Corporate; Banking

#### Lansing

- **Ann D. Fillingham** – Government Finance; Business/Corporate
- **Gary P. Gordon**– Administrative Law; Appellate; Government Relations; Legislative & Governmental Affairs; Constitutional Law
- **Lori McAllister** – Business Litigation; Insurance Coverage; Securities Litigation; Class Action/Mass Torts; Administrative Law

*Rising Stars* are those up-and-coming attorneys who are 40 years of age or younger and have practiced law for 10 years or less. No more than 2.5 percent of the lawyers in the state are selected by the research team to receive this honor.

The Dykema attorneys named on the 2019 Michigan *Rising Stars* list, identified by office and the practice area(s) for which they are being recognized, are:

#### Ann Arbor

- **Gerald L. Aben** – Health Care

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- **Anthony Frasca** – Estate Planning & Probate; Nonprofit Organizations; Tax: Consumer; Tax: Business
- **David M. George** – Class Action/Mass Torts; E-Discovery; Consumer Law; General Litigation; Antitrust Litigation
- **Noah S. Hurwitz** – Employment & Labor: Employer; Business Litigation
- **Cody D. Rockey** – Antitrust Litigation; Business Litigation

#### **Bloomfield Hills**

- **Michael J. Blalock** – Business Litigation; Civil Litigation: Defense
- **Jong-Ju Chang** – Business Litigation
- **Cale Johnson** – Antitrust Litigation; Business Litigation
- **Courtney F. Kissel** – Government Relations; Appellate; Constitutional Law
- **Brittany J. Mouzourakis** – Class Action/Mass Torts: Defense; Business Litigation; Appellate; Consumer Law
- **Matthew D. Shell** – Tax: Business; Business/Corporate; Estate Planning & Probate; Nonprofit Organizations; Securities & Corporate Finance;
- **Michael R. Vogt** – Real Estate: Business
- **Jeanne M. Whalen** – Technology Transactions; Mergers & Acquisitions; Health Care

#### **Detroit**

- **Jennifer Boueri Chilson** – Business Litigation
- **Janet L. Conigliaro** – Class Action/Mass Torts: Defense; Business Litigation; Personal Injury - Products: Defense
- **Nasseem S. Ramin** – Business Litigation
- **Samantha L. Walls** – Business Litigation; Banking; Consumer Law

#### **Grand Rapids**

- **Elisa J. Lintemuth** – Employment Litigation: Defense; Business Litigation; Employment & Labor
- **Dawn N. Williams** – Consumer Law

#### **Lansing**

- **Andrew Switalski** – Government Finance; Business/Corporate

#### **About *Super Lawyers***

*Super Lawyers*, a Thomson Reuters business, is a rating service of outstanding lawyers from more than 70 practice areas who have attained a high degree of peer recognition and professional achievement. The annual selections are made using a patented multiphase process that includes a statewide survey of lawyers, an independent research evaluation of candidates and peer reviews by practice area. The *Super Lawyers* lists are published nationwide in *Super Lawyers* Magazines and in leading city and regional magazines and newspapers across the country. For more information about Super Lawyers, visit [SuperLawyers.com](http://SuperLawyers.com).

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### **Practice Areas**

Administrative Law & Regulation

Antitrust & Trade Regulation

Appellate

Aviation & Aerospace

Bankruptcy, Insolvency & Creditors' Rights

Business & Commercial

Business Services

Class Action Defense

Corporate Finance

Discovery Management & E-Discovery

Eminent Domain and Condemnation

Employment Counseling

Employment Litigation

Environmental

Environmental Regulatory Compliance

Estate Planning & Administration

Financial Services Litigation – Consumer

Government Policy & Practice

Health Care

Intellectual Property

Intellectual Property Litigation

Labor & Employment

Land Use & Zoning

Litigation

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Mergers & Acquisitions

Nonprofits & Tax-Exempt Organizations

Product Liability

Professional Liability Litigation

Public Finance

Real Estate

Securities

Securities Litigation

Technology & Sourcing Transactions

### **Industries**

Automotive Industry Group

Construction Law

Energy Industry Group

Financial Industry Group

Food & Beverage

Insurance Industry Group

Insurance Related Litigation