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I graduated from the Law School of the University of New Mexico in 1985. I am a member in good standing with the Washington State Bar. I am also a licensed real estate broker in the State of Washington.

I am admitted to practice in the United States District Court for the Western District of Washington. I am a member of the Kitsap County Bar Association and the Real Property, Probate and Trust Sections of the Washington State Bar Association. I opened my practice in Kingston, Washington in 1992.

Prior to opening my Kingston office, I worked for Kitsap County Department of Community Development as the first Administrator of the newly formed Open Space Preservation Program. In this position, I ran a successful public information and education program; worked with diverse and involved citizens; and gained a thorough knowledge of the workings of our local government.

I was certified as a mediator and volunteered my services at the Dispute Resolution Center of Kitsap County. The Dispute Resolution Center provides Kitsap County residents with options for resolving disputes themselves, without litigation, voluntarily, inexpensively and within the community.

Bankruptcy has been a significant part of my practice for the past fourteen years. For the most part, I represent consumer debtors Chapter 7, Chapter 13 bankruptcies and adversary proceedings.

My office is located in Kingston, Washington one-half block from the Kingston-Edmonds ferry terminal. I engage in the following core practice areas:

Real Estate, Construction Law and Land Use Personal Injury Business Law and Civil Litigation Bankruptcy Probate and Estate Planning

You can view my websites for further information at <u>www.kitsapattorney.com</u> and www.kitsapdreamrealty.com.