

**GREGORY C. HAMILTON**

**PERSONAL**

Date of Birth: February 26, 1954  
Married : Janis R. Hamilton  
Children: Two (2)

**EMPLOYMENT**

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**EDUCATION**

Detroit College of Law, Juris Doctorate, 1985, Cum Laude  
Wayne State University, Master of Science, 1979  
Occupational and Environmental Health  
Michigan State University, Bachelor of Science, 1976  
Microbiology

**LEGAL LICENSURE**

Licensed to practice law in the State of Michigan since 1985

Admitted to practice law before the Michigan Supreme Court, all State Courts and Administrative Tribunals, and U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan, U.S. 6th Circuit Court of Appeals

**PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

Member of the National Network of Estate Planning Attorneys

State Bar of Michigan  
Probate and Real Estate Section  
Business Law Section  
Taxation Section

Member of the National Association of Christian Financial Consultants

Wayne County Probate Bar Association

National Council on Planned Giving

Leave a Legacy

Financial and Estate Planning Council of Metropolitan Detroit

## **PROFESSIONAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

### **Named 2010, 2011, 2012 and 2013 Five Star Wealth Manager HOUR Magazine top 7% of estate planning attorneys in Michigan on blind survey**

Coauthored Unintended Consequences Effect of No Federal Estate Taxes August 2010  
Participant on the Jalbert Financial Show WMUZ, January – February 2010  
Guest on Ask the Lawyer on WJR, February, 2009  
Coauthored Spousal Gifting Trust Journal of Practical Estate Planning, April, 2008  
Coauthored Avoiding Unintended Disinheritance Journal of Practical Estate Planning, August, 2007  
Completed InKnowVision Studies for Estates in the range of 10 -50 Million Dollars, 2007  
Completed Teton Institute For Estate Planning, 2004 and 2008  
Member of Financial and Estate Planning Council of Metropolitan Detroit, Inc.  
Contributing Author for Love, Money, Control: Reinventing Estate Planning published in February, 2004  
Board of Director Wayne County Probate Bar Association, 1995 - Present  
President of Wayne County Probate Bar Association, 1999 - 2000  
Mediator for the Wayne County Probate Court, 1998 - Present  
Speaker for the National Network of Estate Planning Attorneys 2000 – Present  
Speaker for several major financial institutions 2000-Present  
Speaker for the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants  
Mentor Coach/ Presenter -Practice Builder Program, National Network of Estate Planning Attorneys, 2000-2006  
Completed National Network of Estate Planning Attorneys Practice Coaching Program, 2000 - 2001  
Vice President of Wayne County Probate Bar Association, 1998 - 1999  
Treasurer of Wayne County Probate Bar Association, 1997 - 1998  
Chairman of Lawyer Admission Committee, 1992 - 1993, Oakland County Bar Association  
Vice Chairman of Young Lawyers Committee, 1989 - 1990, Oakland County Bar Association  
Industrial Hygienist in Training  
American Society of Clinical Pathologist Certified Microbiologist  
Papers authored:  
Doctors Dilemma 1983  
Coke Ovens 1979  
Problems in Medical Entomology: Canine Dirofilariasis, 1977  
The Adele T. Grosebeck Foundation Award for Excellence in the  
Study of Law for the Academic Year 1984 - 1985  
American Jurisprudence Award in Administrative Law, 1984  
American Jurisprudence Award in Constitutional Law, 1982

## **COMMUNITY AND SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS**

Eagle Scout January, 1968  
Member Philanthropy Committee, Leader Dogs for the Blind 2008 -Present  
Chairman – Birmingham Family YMCA Board of Managers 2004 -2006  
Assistant Pack Master, Assistant Den Leader and Den Leader, 1999-2006  
Troop Volunteer Boy Scout Troop 1006 2003 -Present  
Volunteered at Boy Scout National Jamborees 2005, 2010 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Scouting in the USA  
Led a Boy Scout Expedition to Philmont, New Mexico, June 2007  
Led a Boy Scout Expedition to Islamorada, Florida July 2008  
Led a Boy Scout Expedition to Ely, Minnesota, Boundary Waters July 2009  
Vice-Chair Birmingham YMCA Board of Managers 2002-2004  
Co Lay Leader Metropolitan United Methodist Church 2002 -Present  
Member Board of Managers-Birmingham Family YMCA 2001-Present  
Volunteer of the Year-Birmingham Family YMCA 2001  
Coach, YMCA Youth Sports: Soccer, Basketball and Baseball, Football 1997-Present  
Co Head Usher Metropolitan United Methodist Church 1991 -2001  
Organized and lead a Handbell Choir Tour to Latvia, Lithuania and Estonia, 1999  
Organized and lead a Work Mission to Liepaja, Latvia 1997  
Habitat For Humanity Volunteer various years  
Member of Board of Directors and Legal Counsel for Contact Life Line, 1987-1990  
Common Ground - Free legal assistance to indigents 1985 -1991