

# **FIRM BIOGRAPHY of WILICK LAW GROUP**

The WILICK LAW GROUP, is a family law firm in Las Vegas. Founded in 1985, the firm is dedicated exclusively to the field of family law, and is located across the street from the Family Court building in the WILICK LAW CENTER .

## **ATTORNEYS**

### **Marshal S. Willick**

Mr. Willick is the principal of the firm. He is a certified Family Law Specialist, an elected Fellow of both the American Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers and the International Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers, and is licensed to practice in Nevada and California (inactive). He chaired the Nevada State Bar Family Law Section from 1995 to 1997, President of the Nevada Chapter of the AAML from 2007 to 2009, and is rated "A/V" in the Martindale-Hubbell Legal Directory, which has placed him in the Bar Register of Preeminent Lawyers.

In addition to litigating trial and appellate cases in Nevada, Mr. Willick has participated in hundreds of divorce and pension cases in the trial and appellate courts of about forty other states, and has participated in the drafting of various state and federal statutes in the areas of pensions, divorce, and property division. In addition to a full-time family law practice, he writes and lectures extensively on domestic relations and legal technology issues. He has authored a textbook on the division of military retirement benefits in divorce, and was the managing editor of the first edition of the Nevada Family Law Practice Manual.

Mr. Willick has chaired the Congressional Relations, Military Pension/Benefits, Bankruptcy, and other Committees of the American Bar Association Family Law Section, and has repeatedly represented the entire ABA in congressional hearings on military pension matters. He has served on many committees, boards, and commissions of the American Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers, the State Bar of Nevada and its Family Law Section, and other organizations, and is called upon to testify from time to time as an expert witness. He serves on the Board of Directors for Clark County Legal Services, and from time to time as a pro tem Judge.

Mr. Willick received his B.A. from the University of Nevada at Las Vegas in 1979, with honors, and his J.D. from Georgetown University Law Center in Washington, D.C., in 1982. Before entering private practice, Mr. Willick served on the Central Legal Staff of the Nevada Supreme Court for two years.

### **Kari T. Molnar**

Ms. Molnar received her B.A. degree in Criminal Justice from Lourdes College in Ohio in 1999. She received her JD from Thomas M. Cooley Law School in Lansing, Michigan, in January of 2005. She then was admitted to the Florida bar in April, 2005, and the Nevada bar in April, 2006. Her areas of practice include Corporate and Family Law.

### **Trevor M. Creel**

Mr. Creel is a native of Las Vegas and proud graduate of Bishop Gorman High School. He received his B.A. in Political Science from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas in December 2005 and his J.D. from the William S. Boyd School of Law in May 2010. He was admitted to practice in Nevada in October 2010. While in law school, Mr. Creel practiced as a student attorney with the Thomas and Mack Legal Clinic, externed at the eighth Judicial District Court (Family Division), and taught a weekly family law class to members of the Las Vegas community in conjunction with Clark County Legal Services.

## **CASE MANAGERS**

### **Leonard H. Fowler III**

Mr. Fowler is a paralegal and has been working in the legal profession since 1993. He completed over 26 years in the U.S. Navy. Mr. Fowler operated his own paralegal business for several years. He has worked in Nevada as a paralegal since 1996. Mr. Fowler has a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from the University of Phoenix, an Associates in Arts in Business Law from National University in San Diego, an Associates in Arts in Paralegal Studies from Las Vegas College, and a paralegal Certificate from the National Radio Institute in Washington, D.C. He has also attended Law School at National University's School of Law in San Diego California. Mr. Fowler is experienced in Family Law, Probate, Business, Entertainment, Contract Law, Bankruptcy, and Criminal and Civil Litigation.

### **Faith Fish**

Ms. Fish is a paralegal who received a B.A. in English from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas. She has had over 20 years of experience in customer relations, hotel operations, and management. Ms. Fish earned her paralegal certificate from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, in May, 2000, with special emphasis in Real Estate Law and Constitutional Law. Since joining the firm, she has completed extensive research in Hague Convention custody issues and has been assisting in all aspects of the international recovery of children, as well as in domestic family law proceedings.

### **Tisha A. Wells**

Ms. Wells has been working in the legal field for approximately six years. She first started by working for a Family Law office in California and later operated her own paralegal business. Ms. Wells has donated two years of volunteer work to the Rape Crisis Center for domestic violence victims. Since moving to Las Vegas, in the beginning of 2007, she continues to work exclusively in the Family Law field.

### **Mary Steele**

Ms. Steele has been working in the legal field for approximately 17 years. She has been working exclusively in Family Law for the past 10 years. She also has 6 years of experience working in Personal Services/Employee Relations. She has attended Paralegal courses at the Community College of Southern Nevada and attended Information Technology courses at State Technical Institute at Memphis.

### **Deisy Martinez**

Ms. Martinez has been working in the legal field for approximately three years. Ms. Martinez received an Associates in Arts in Paralegal Studies in October 2007, from Kaplan College. Ms. Martinez began her career in Immigration Law. Ms. Martinez also has experience in Family Law. She continues to work in the Family Law field. Prior to her legal career Ms. Martinez worked as a PBX Operator.

### **Richard “Rick” Crane**

Mr. Crane received his B.S. degree in General Studies from Excelsior University in 1996 and his M.S. degree in Management from Troy State University in 1997 while serving overseas with the United States Navy. Upon his return to the United States, Mr. Crane received his J.D. degree in May 2005 from Thomas Jefferson School of Law in San Diego, California. Mr. Crane has represented the Government's interest in administrative hearings and performed an internship with the San Diego Public Attorney's Office prior to retiring from the Navy after 30 years of service.

## **ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF**

### **Seth A. Willick**

Mr. Willick is the firm administrator and financial officer. His scope of duties include account management, collection agent, insurance (medical, dental, malpractice, and property), client relations, banking duties, computer maintenance, networking, web maintenance, taxation, financial structuring, payroll, vendor liaison, building maintenance, landlord, security, MLAW development, MLAW tech support, and employee management.

Mr. Willick coordinates all aspects of money traces, including the collection and disbursement of funds owed to our clients. Mr. Willick ran his family business' bookkeeping at the age of 14 and continued to assist with their accounting and computer needs until their retirement. Mr. Willick coordinated the building, construction and financing for the multi million dollar Willick Law Center project. He attended U.N.L.V. and majored in Computer Science, and is the person to speak with regarding accounts, retainers, and any billing questions.

## **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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