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Highlights

- Proven success in evaluating, handling and trying large damage cases
- 35 years as a trial attorney in insurance defense and general civil litigation practice
- Certified mediator since 1999 in court appointed and private mediations
- Tried as 1st chair 30 plus cases to a jury verdict in Harris and surrounding counties

Experience

Steven C. Howard, P.C., Houston, Texas 2017- present
Serving as a credentialed and certified mediator in all areas of civil trial law.

Taunton, Snyder & Slade, Houston, Texas

Partner 1992 - 2017

Senior Attorney 1989 - 1992

Associate 1983 - 1989

Trial attorney for 35 years in in civil litigation AV[®] rated law firm representing people and companies sued for personal injury, commercial disputes and property damage.

Education

B. A., The University of Texas at Austin, 1980

The University of Texas School of Law, 1982

J.D. South Texas College of Law, 1983

Civil Trial Advocacy Course - University of Houston Law Center, 1987

Basic Mediation Training-A.A. White Dispute Resolution Institute, U. H, 1999

Admissions

State Bar of Texas, 1983-State Bar No. 10079600

U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Texas

U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Texas

U.S. Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit

U.S. Supreme Court

Certifications

Credentialed *Advanced Mediator*, Texas Mediator Credentialing Association, 2018

Certified Mediator- A. A. White, Dispute Resolution Institute, U.H., 1999

AV[®] rated, Martindale-Hubble-highest possible legal and ethical standards

Professional

American Board of Trial Advocates (ABOTA)

State Bar of Texas-Grievance Committee 1989-1994, Panel Chairman 1989-1992

State Bar of Texas-Litigation and ADR Sections

Houston Bar Association-Litigation and ADR Sections

Houston Bar Association-Bench Bar and Fun Run Committees

Texas Association of Attorney Mediators

Harris County Dispute Resolution Center

Personal

Born in Edinburg, Texas; raised in Houston Texas

Member of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

Member of West University United Methodist Church

Married with 3 adult children

Completed 23 marathons sanctioned by the USATF