## HARRY D. NORTON, JR. 137 Elbert Street Ramsey, New Jersey 07446 (201) 934-1084 (973) 881-1101 HNORTON@NASHNJ.COM

**PERSONAL:** 

Birthdate:

September 27, 1952

Birthplace:

Jersey City, New Jersey

Family Status:

Married, Teresa Persing Norton Son, Timothy Patrick Norton

Daughter, Katherine Margaret Norton

**ADMITTED:** 

New Jersey Bar, 1977; New York Bar, 1984

United States District Court, District of New Jersey, 1977

Supreme Court of the United States, 1986

EXPERIENCE: Legal

Norton, Sheehy & Higgins, P.C., Partner

May 1, 1997 to Present

Evans, Hand, Allabough & Amoresano,

Associate, January 4, 1983 to December 31, 1987

Partner, January 1, 1988 to May 1, 1997

Borough Attorney, Borough of Saddle River, New Jersey

January, 1984 to December 31, 2007

Borough Attorney, Borough of Ramsey, New Jersey

January 1, 2003 through March 31, 2004

Special Counsel, Borough of Ramsey, New Jersey

April 1, 2004 to Present

Special Litigation Counsel, Village of Ridgefield Park,

2009 to Present

Special Litigation Counsel, City of Hackensack,

2010 to Present

Panel Attorney, South Bergen County Joint Insurance Fund,

January, 2002 to Present

Panel Attorney, Municipal Excess Liability Fund for Public Officials and

Employment Practices Liability,

January 2011 to Present

Arbitrator, American Arbitration Association

Mediator, Civil, General Equity and Probate Actions

pursuant to Court Rule 1:40

Judge, Municipal Court, Borough of Allendale, New Jersey

January 1, 1991 to Present

Judge, Municipal Court, Borough of Upper Saddle River, New Jersey

June 1, 1993 to Present

Judge, Municipal Court, Borough of Ho-Ho-Kus, New Jersey June 1, 1997 to Present

Judge, Municipal Court, Borough of Pascack Joint Court,

Montvale, New Jersey

January 3, 2010 to Present

Assistant Prosecutor, Bergen County Prosecutor's Office

September 4, 1978 to January 3, 1983

Chief, Trial Section, July 1, 1981 to January 3, 1983

Chief, Grand Jury Section, April 15, 1980 to September 1, 1980

Law Secretary, Honorable John L. Ard, Superior Court of New Jersey Appellate Division, September, 1977 to August, 1978

**AWARDS:** 

Lawyer Achievement Award, presented by the Bergen County Bar

Foundation

AV Preeminent Attorney as Awarded by Martindale-Hubbell

New Jersey Super Lawyers Designee 2012

**MEMBERSHIPS:** 

Appointed by Supreme Court as a Volunteer III Member of the

Office of Attorney Ethics – 2010 to Present

American Bar Association: Litigation Section, Torts and Insurance

Law Section and Municipal Law Section

New Jersey State Bar Association

Bergen County Bar Association:

Chairman, Judicial Section Committee;

Member, Law Day Committee;

Coordinator, Mock Trial Competition;

Member, Municipal Court Committee

Passaic County Bar Association:

Member, Supreme Court of New Jersey District XI Ethics

Committee, 1997 to 2000)

(Vice Chair, 1998-1999; Chair, 1999-2000)

Trustee, New Jersey Institute of Local Government Attorneys

PUBLISHED OPINIONS:

Ponzo v. Pelle, 166 N.J. 481 (2001)

In Re Feuchtbaum, 174 N.J. 370 (2002)

Advance Housing, et al. v. Borough of Ramsey, et al.,

422 N.J. Super. 317 (App. Div. 2011)

Cristafano v. New Jersey Manufacturers, 361 N.J. Super. 228

(App. Div. 2003)

State v. Vincent M. Carbone, 180 N.J. Super. 95 (Law Div. 1981)

**PUBLICATIONS:** "Uninsured and Underinsured Motorist Law in New Jersey" by

Harry D. Norton, Jr., Esq. and Richard H. Wildstein, Esq.,

Published by National Business Institute, 2001 "Getting the Best Settlement in Auto Injury Cases"

Published by the National Business Institute, September 2009

"Settling Uninsured and Underinsured Motorist Claim"

Published by National Business Institute, March 2010

**EDUCATION:** 

Legal

Seton Hall University School of Law, Newark New Jersey 07102

Juris Doctor: June, 1977

Activities/Honors:

Seton Hall Law Center Alumni Award

-given to that graduating student who has contributed

the most to Seton Hall Law Center

Legislative Bureau

Student Director, 1976 to 1977

Member, 1975 to 1976

College

Lafayette College, Easton, Pennsylvania 18042

A.B. Government & Law, 1974

Honors:

Dean's List

Charles A. Dana Scholar

-based on academic & extra-curricular activities

previous to senior year

Recipient of Pepper Prize

-given to that member of Senior Class who has

demonstrated outstanding leadership & achievement

**NON LEGAL:** 

Parishioner, St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church, Ramsey, New Jersey

Reader at Sunday Mass

Member, Social Concerns Committee Member, Marriage Preparation Program

Class Correspondent, "Lafayette College Alumni News", 1989 to 1993