

## STEVEN G. CARLINO



STEVEN G. CARLINO, a Partner with Weston Hurd LLP, focuses his practice on the defense of businesses, individuals and governmental entities in personal injury and property damage claims. Steve focuses much of his practice on the defense of catastrophic injury and wrongful death cases. Steve received his B.S. cum laude from Ohio University and his J.D. magna cum laude from Capital University where he was Associate Editor of the Law Review. Steve gained his Ohio Bar admission in 2001. He also has

admission before the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit and the United States District Court for the Southern and Northern Districts of Ohio. In addition, Steve has argued successfully before the Ohio Supreme Court. He is a member of the Columbus Bar Association and the Ohio Association of Civil Trial Attorneys. Since 2006, he has been a member of the Ohio Board of Bar Examiners. In 2007, he attended the International Association of Defense Counsel's Trial Academy in Stanford, California. From 2009 through 2016, Steve was named an *Ohio Rising Star* by Thomson Reuters. Since 2017, Steve has been recognized as an *Ohio Super Lawyer* in Civil Litigation-Defense by Thomson Reuters. Steve was named a Top Lawyer by *Columbus CEO Magazine* in 2015 and 2016.

## **Representative Cases:**

- 1. Tolson v. Triangle Real Estate, 2004-Ohio-2640 (property damage)
- 2. Marcum v. Zerkle, 2005-Ohio-6664 (personal injury)
- 3. Murray v. City of Chillicothe, 2005-Ohio-5864 (political subdivision)
- 4. McClary v. M/I Schottenstein Homes, 2004-Ohio-7047 (wrongful death)
- 5. Miller v. Cruickshank, 2007-Ohio-3055 (personal injury)
- 6. Lang v. Holly Hill Motel, Inc., 2007-Ohio-3898 (personal injury/wrongful death)
- 7. Lang v. Holly Hill Motel, Inc., 122 Ohio St. 3d 120 (personal injury/wrongful death)
- 8. Dufner v. City of Delaware, 2009-Ohio-5950 (political subdivision)
- 9. Douglas v. Broughton, 2014-Ohio-808 (property damage)
- 10. Hudson v. Flores, 2016-Ohio-253 (respondeat superior and vicarious liability)
- 11. Breitenbach v. Double Z Constr. Co., LLC, 2016-Ohio-1272 (employer intentional tort)
- 12. Davis v. Smith (2017), 2017-Ohio-113 (premises liability)

## **Trial Experience:**

*Silveous v. Beinhower Bros.,* Delaware County Common Pleas Court (breach of contract, breach of warranty, negligence)

Howard v. Hughes Automotive, Franklin County Municipal Court (consumer sales violations)

*Midwest Claims v. Hoge Lumber,* Auglaize County Common Pleas Court (negligence/ property damage)

Lillie v. Meachem, Allen County Common Pleas Court (catastrophic personal injury)

**Young v. Ledgestone Development**, Franklin County Common Pleas Court (breach of contract, breach of warranty, negligence)

**McLaren v. HB Klub, LLC**, Franklin County Common Pleas Court (catastrophic personal injury/premises liability)

**Newton v. Jones**, Perry County Common Pleas Court (personal injury)

*Sisler v. City of Lancaster, Ohio*, Fairfield County Common Pleas Court (political subdivision/breach of contract)

**Douglas v. Broughton**, Lawrence County Common Pleas Court (property damage)

**University of Cincinnati v. Trend Construction**, Hamilton County Common Pleas Court (construction defect/ property damage)

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