## **BEST & FLANAGAN**

### Family Law

Best & Flanagan's Family Law team consistently provides effective advocacy on the full spectrum of substantive family law disciplines. We are known as more than just outstanding lawyers. Our ability to see beyond the often emotionally charged situation at hand make us invaluable to our client, particularly when faced with decisions that will impact the most important aspects of their life.

We work closely with our clients, guiding them through the often intimidating family law process. We do not believe in throwing gasoline on the fire so to speak, particularly when the situation is already charged to begin with. We recognize that our clients are the decision makers, and we work hard to understand what they need in order to achieve this end. We educate our clients by providing them with information regarding the full range of risks and alternatives regarding their specific matter.

We care about alternative resolution and productive solutions that mitigate strife and alleviate stress. Our many years of practice give us tremendous insight into resolution and acrimony reduction. We take pride in the way we treat our clients as manifest in the legal and practical solutions we deliver.

Our multi-dimensional expertise includes dissolution of marriage (divorce); adoption and prenuptial agreements; child custody, paternity and child support; spousal maintenance (alimony), post-decree matters and beyond. Clients seek our attorneys to overcome the obstacles they face. We have represented parties with multi-million dollar estates, challenged antenuptial agreements, as well as helped grandparents gain custody or visitation of their grandchildren, among many other examples. Often, such family law legal counsel is infused with business, tax and real estate implications in which we have significant experience.

#### **Related Practices**

Adoption

Annulment

Appeals

Child Support

Custody & Parenting

Divorce

Domestic Partnership & Cohabitation

Domestic Violence

Grandparent's Rights

Legal Separation

Parental Relocation

Paternity

Post Decree Enforcement & Modification

Antenuptial / Postnuptial Agreements & Disputes

#### Firm News/Articles

- > Six Best & Flanagan Attorneys Named to 2018 Rising Stars List
- > Nine Best & Flanagan Attorneys Named 2018 Minnesota Super Lawyers
- > Karolina Hoerl and Kyle Hardwick Join Best & Flanagan
- > Ten Best & Flanagan Attorneys Named 2016 Minnesota Super Lawyers

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- > Five Best & Flanagan Attorneys Named to 2016 Rising Stars List
- > Family Law Attorney Cathy Gorlin Recognized By National Association of Distinguished Counsel
- > Five Best & Flanagan Attorneys Named 2012 "Minnesota Rising Stars"

#### **Related Professionals**

- > Rebecca Chaffee, Attorney
- > Cathy Gorlin, Attorney
- > Christopher Johnson, Attorney
- > Karolina Brekken-Hoerl, Attorney
- > William Asp, Attorney
- > Malorie Scharpe, Paralegal