

SYDNEY W. ELKIN

Retired, Probate Judge – District of West Hartford

Judge Elkin has practiced law in the Greater Hartford area since 1972. He has been associated with several area law firms and has maintained his own solo practice in West Hartford since 1997, focusing on real estate, probate, and civil and criminal litigation. He graduated from Franklin & Marshall College and the University of Connecticut School of Law and holds a Master's Degree in Spanish Literature from Trinity College. He is a former Prosecutor in the West Hartford Superior Court, Assistant Corporation Counsel for the Town of West Hartford, Hearing Officer for the Department of Motor Vehicles and Chairman of the West Hartford Zoning Board of Appeals.

He has been active in his community as past president of the Greater Hartford Jaycees, Probus Club of Greater Hartford and the Emanuel Synagogue and has served as coach in the West Hartford Boys' Soccer and Baseball leagues.

Judge Elkin served as Probate Judge from 2002 to 2016. He presently serves as Past President – Judge of the Probate Assembly and as a committee member of the Continuing Education and Legislative Committees.