

J. Murray Clark
Candidate for Indiana Soccer Board of Directors

EDUCATION

Murray Clark received his B.A. from Kenyon College in 1979 and received his law degree from Indiana University - Indianapolis in 1982.

SOCCER RELATED EXPERIENCE

Murray has had three children play youth soccer through DynamoFC in Indianapolis. His oldest daughter, Holly, started youth soccer at age 9 and played on two girls' state cup champions. She also served as a coach for Dynamites, a preschool through 8 year old youth soccer development program through DynamoFC. His second daughter, Kate, plays youth soccer on a U17 team and has played since she was also nine years old. His youngest daughter, Annie, is playing youth soccer and is currently on a U13 team. Murray previously served as the President of DynamoFC and has been actively involved in all aspects of youth soccer.

CIVIC ACTIVITIES

Board of Trustees, The Indianapolis Foundation and The Central Indiana Community Foundation
Board of Directors, The Hundred Club (assisting families of fallen police officers and firefighters)
Saint Elizabeth's Home, Children's Bureau Foundation and Dynamo Soccer Club
Nora Northside Community Council
Indiana Youth Soccer Association, President, Board of Directors
Board, Greater Indianapolis Progress Committee

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Murray Clark practices law at Baker & Daniels LLP in several legal areas, including government affairs and administrative law, where he has over 25 years worth of experience. Murray has been involved in Republican politics his entire adult life. He began his political career as Precinct Committeeman. For 11 years Murray served as an Indiana State Senator in the 29th district. While serving as Senator, Murray was active in many issues, and was acknowledged as being an outstanding legislator. Consistently supporting small businesses, Murray was given the Small Business Champion Award by the Indiana Chamber of Commerce in 2004, as well as the Guardian of Small Business Award by the National Federation of Independent Business in 2001. In the 2005 legislative session, he authored a successful bill to improve the child adoption process. Before leaving the Senate, Murray was the ranking member of two committees: Economic Development and Technology, as well as Insurance and Financial Institutions. He was also chairman of the Governmental Affairs Subcommittee.

Along with Murray's extensive experience as a Senator and attorney, he has served the political process in many other ways. He was delegate to the Republican National Convention in 1996 and 2008 and has been a delegate to every biennial Indiana State Republican Convention since 1994. Murray has served as Marion County Republican Central Committee Treasurer and Ward Chairman and has served on the Township Advisory Board and Election Board. He ran for Lieutenant Governor with running mate David McIntosh in 2000. In 2003, he campaigned for Governor and later became the campaign chairman for Governor Mitch Daniels in 2004. He currently serves as the Chairman of the Indiana Republican Party.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Indianapolis and Indiana State Bar Associations
Land Use Section (Past Chairman), Indianapolis Bar Association
American Business Club
Lawyers Club of Indianapolis