

## **Dawn Wilson**

Indianapolis, Indiana

- Attorney
- Natural Resources Commission, Division of Hearings, Administrative Law Judge

**Travel:** Statewide

### **Areas of Particular Interest:**

- Mortgage Foreclosure
- All Property Issues, including
- Boundary Disputes,
- Covenants and Ownership
- Zoning and Land Use
- All Contract Issues
- Premises Liability
- Natural Resources
- Environmental
- Commercial/Business Litigation
- Administrative

### **Additional Information:**

Dawn Wilson earning her J.D. from the IU School of Law-Indianapolis and has been a licensed attorney in good standing since 1986. Judge Wilson served as a Specialist/Attorney Advisor with the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) from 1987-1996, working closely with the U.S. Attorney's Offices in Indiana on a myriad of creditor rights issues and advising USDA staff on the appropriate interpretation of applicable law, rule and federal directives. After leaving the USDA, Judge Wilson worked in contract and subcontract development for Indiana University's Research and Sponsored Programs division, working closely with the IU School of Medicine and volunteered as a Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA)/Guardian ad Litem (GAL) for children. She joined the Indiana Department of Child Services (DCS) in 2006, litigated and then performed as an Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) and the Chief ALJ for DCS. She developed standardized procedures for administrative appeals conducted by DCS and managed a caseload involving child welfare matters. In 2015, Judge Wilson left the offices of DCS to serve as an ALJ for the Natural Resources Commission. She now presides over cases involving coal mining and reclamation, oil and gas production, forestry matters, floodway issues, and topics associated with Indiana's public freshwater lakes. Judge Wilson is a registered mediator and

performs as a Neutral for the Indiana Shared Neutrals Program. She is a member of the Board of Directors for the Indiana Chapter of the National Association of Administrative Law Judiciary.