

**2019 OVI UPDATES AND CROSS EXAMINATION OF ARRESTING OFFICER**

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8:30 AM-12:20 PM (CHECK IN FROM 8:00-8:30 AM)**

**WHERE: DON UMERLEY CIVIC CENTER  
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21016 HILLIARD BLVD  
ROCKY RIVER, OHIO 44116**

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## ***SCHEDULE***

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| <b>8:00-8:30 AM</b>      | <b>CHECK IN</b>   |
| <b>8:30-9:15 AM</b>      | <b>Driving Under Suspension and CDL Disqualifications</b><br><i>Presenter: Robert Walton, Esquire</i>                             |
| <b>9:15-9:30 AM</b>      | <b>Cross Examining the Arresting Officer</b><br><i>Presenter: Robert Walton, Esquire</i>  |
| <b>9:30-9:40 AM</b>      | <b>Break</b>  |
| <b>9:40-10:10 AM</b>     | <b>Cross Examining the Arresting Officer (continued)</b><br><i>Presenter: Robert Walton, Esquire</i>                              |
| <b>10:10-11:10 AM</b>    | <b>Updates on Ohio Marijuana Laws:</b><br><i>Presenter: Honorable Kenneth Spanagel, Parma Municipal Court</i>                     |
| <b>11:10-11:20 AM</b>    | <b>Break</b>  |
| <b>11:20AM – 12:20PM</b> | <b>Case Law Updates on Ohio OVI Laws &amp; Discussion:</b><br><i>Presenter: Honorable Kenneth Spanagel, Parma Municipal Court</i> |

## **Presenters Biographies**

**Robert G. Walton, Esquire** has successfully defended clients in many jury trials and appeals. He has cross-examined police officers and other witnesses at more than 200 suppression hearings while representing clients charged with criminal offenses in courts throughout Ohio. Much of his practice is defending persons charged with alcohol and drug related vehicular crimes. Mr. Walton has been the featured speaker at more than 50 CLE seminars in Ohio on the subjects of OVI, cross-examination, field sobriety testing, motions to suppress, search and seizure, and driver's license suspension and reinstatement. For the past five years he has been named a Super Lawyer by the Ohio Super Lawyers magazine in the practice area of Criminal Defense: DUI/DWI. For more than 20 years he has served as an acting judge in the Shaker Heights Municipal Court, presiding over several jury trials. Mr. Walton and Judge Deborah Nicastro co-authored the Ohio Driver's License Suspensions and Reinstatement Handbook. He and his wife Anne live in University Heights. They have three children and two grandchildren.

**Honorable Kenneth R. Spanagel** was elected to the Parma Municipal Court in 1987. He is a frequent contributor to CLE programs for numerous organizations, including the Ohio Judicial College, the Ohio State, Cleveland, Cuyahoga County, and Parma Bar Associations; Ohio CLE Institute, Academy of Continuing Legal Education, as well as school programs and the Cleveland Bar Association's "Peoples Law School". While president of the Parma Bar Association, Judge Spanagel received the Ohio State Bar Association's "Award of Merit" for Parma Bar Association Activities. He received his B.S. degree from Northwestern University and his J.D. degree from Case Western Reserve University School of Law. Judge Spanagel is a member of the Ohio State Bar Association (Judicial Administration; and Legal Reform Committee, Council of Delegates, Traffic Law Committee past-chair); Cuyahoga County Bar Association; Parma Bar Association (trustee, past president), Cleveland Bar Association, Ohio Traffic Rules Review Commission Sub-Committee on the Multi-Count Uniform Traffic Ticket (MUTT), Ohio State Bar Foundation – fellow. He is the First Vice President of the Association of Municipal/County Court Judges of Ohio, and its President in 2008, as well as serving as Editor of their Association Publication, The Chronicle. Judge Spanagel is also a trained mediator in the Government Assistance Program (GAP).