

**Kenneth Spanagel, J.D.**

Judge Kenneth Spanagel was elected to the Parma Municipal Court in 1987. He attended Northwestern University and Case Western Reserve Law School where he earned his Juris Doctorate.

Judge Spanagel is a frequent contributor to Continuing Legal Education programs for numerous organizations, including the Ohio State, Cleveland, Cuyahoga County, and Parma Bar Associations; 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.

His memberships include an Ohio Traffic Rules Review Commission Subcommittee, the Ohio Judicial Conference Civil Law and Procedure and Traffic Law and Procedure Committees, fellow of the Ohio State Bar Foundation, the Association of Municipal/County Court Judges of Ohio and the American Judges Association. Judge Spanagel is also a trained mediator in the Government Assistance Program. Judge Spanagel was first appointed as a member of the Ohio Criminal Sentencing Commission in 2005 and has been reappointed several times since then.