

Langrock Sperry & Wool, LLP (Middlebury, VT)

Emily J. Joselson

For more than 30 years, Emily Joselson has represented property owners injured by the wrongful conduct of industrial neighbors, who discharge harmful chemicals and other noxious substances into air, water, and/or soil. Cases include class actions against International Paper Company, Inc., in Ticonderoga, NY, and Alaska Pulp Co., in Sitka, Alaska, as well as lawsuits in state and federal courts in Vermont, Massachusetts and New York, against such large industrial polluters as Unifirst, Inc. and General Electric Co., as well as industrial landfills, gas stations, quarries, and others. Emily is recognized in *Best Lawyers in America*® for her work as a plaintiffs' environmental and personal injury litigator.

Emily graduated from Harvard Law School (J.D., *cum laude*, 1982). She is admitted to practice in state and federal courts in Vermont and Massachusetts, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, and the U.S. Supreme Court. She joined Langrock in 1983, after clerking for the Vermont Supreme Court. She has written several legal articles published in the *Vermont Law Review*, as well as "Chapter 7: Representing Plaintiffs in Common Law Pollution Actions," *Vermont Environmental Law Practice Manual*, 1998.

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Barr Sternberg Moss Silver & Munson, PC (Bennington, VT)

David F. Silver

Named one of New England's Best Lawyers by *Super Lawyers*® and Board Certified in Criminal Trial Advocacy by the National Board of Trial Advocacy, David Silver has a 30 year career as a trial lawyer and passionate advocate for justice. He began as a criminal trial lawyer in New York. He relocated to Vermont in 1990, and became a partner at Barr Sternberg in 1992. There he helped build one of the best litigation teams in Vermont, focusing on criminal defense and personal injury. David was local counsel for the towns of Hartland and Craftsbury, in their successful suit against the nation's largest oil companies for polluting their municipal water systems with the chemical MTBE. David is a Director of the Vermont Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, a member of the National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, and on the Board of Directors for the Vermont Association for Justice, Vermont's trial lawyer organization.

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Davis & Whitlock, PC (Asheville, NC)

Gary A. Davis

Gary A. Davis has practiced environmental law for over 33 years. He has litigated dozens of environmental pollution, tort, and public interest cases, included cases involving coal ash spills, dioxin exposure, TCE contamination, lead contamination, PCB contamination, radioactive waste leakage, petroleum product spills and leaks, paper mill pollution, and pentachlorophenol

exposure. Gary also has directed environmental non-profit organizations and taught environmental law at the University of Tennessee law school. He received his law degree from the University of Tennessee and received a bachelor's degree in chemical engineering from the University of Cincinnati.

James S. Whitlock

James S. Whitlock has devoted his 12 years of practice to environmental and tort cases, litigating numerous cases in federal and state courts across the country involving clean water, appropriate land use, and sustainable energy development. Jamie's practice focuses on complex environmental damage litigation, federal citizen suit litigation, other federal environmental matters, and state and local land use litigation. He graduated from Vermont Law School in 2004, where he received his law degree as well as Master of Studies in Environmental Law. He also served as the managing editor of the Vermont Journal of Environmental Law while at Vermont Law School.