

Jill Marie Worstell-Benjamin Biography and Candidacy Statement

BIOGRAPHY

Jill Marie Worstell-Benjamin is the owner of The Worstell Law Firm, which she established in 2004 and the firm has offices located in Lee's Summit, Missouri and Leawood, Kansas. At the firm, she primarily focuses her law practice on representing clients in family law, complex divorce matters and estate planning, in both Missouri and Kansas. Jill is supervising attorney for four (4) associate attorneys and a litigation staff. The firm additionally handles estate planning, guardianships, probate litigation and business litigation matters.

While in law school, Jill successfully lobbied a bill, establishing the Putative Father Registry, which was passed through the Missouri House and Senate.

Jill previously served as in-house associate counsel, plan administrator, and as a Member of the Company Benefit Plan Administrative Committees at Kansas City Life Insurance Company from September 2007 through April 2012. She served as an attorney and as the Director of Business Development and Client Relations for a national Social Security Disability services firm, Integrated Benefits, Inc., from May 2005 through September 2007.

Jill grew up in Blue Springs Missouri and graduated in 1997 from Blue Springs South High School. She earned her undergraduate degree in business administration from Truman State University in 2001. She earned her Juris Doctor from the University of Missouri-Columbia School of Law in 2004. She earned her Master of Business Administration (MBA) through the University of Missouri-Columbia College of Business in 2005. Jill is licensed to practice law in both Missouri and Kansas, and she is a certified mediator for Family Law in Missouri. Jill has earned her Retirement Plans Associate (RPA) designation through the International Foundation of Employee Benefit Plans. Jill is currently seeking additional law licensure in both Colorado and Arizona, where she intends to expand her law firm into the area of reproductive law.

Since 2019, Jill has served as President of the Board of the Tudor Square Executive Business Park where she owns and operates her commercial building through her company Britt Burke Holdings, LLC. Jill serves on the Loch Lloyd Lake Committee and on the Loch Lloyd Planning and Zoning Committee.

Jill and her husband, Chris, reside at 16004 Glenfinnan Way with their two-year-old daughter, Fallon, and Jill's eighteen-year-old son, Brayden, who is a senior at Rockhurst High School. Jill also has a twenty-one-year-old daughter, Hadley, who is a junior at the University of Missouri Kansas City and a one-year-old granddaughter.

Jill enjoys international travel, swimming, visiting wineries, overseeing construction projects, and time with her family and friends. She finds great fulfillment in community involvement.

JILL'S CANDIDACY STATEMENT

I want to serve as a Trustee because I want to become more involved in our beautiful community. From the time we moved to the Village of Loch Lloyd, I have been so impressed with the residents, the amenities and inviting nature of the neighborhood. I want to utilize my experience as an

attorney and Lake Committee member for various projects to improve and preserve the nature of our community. Such projects include, but are not limited to, helping improve our roads and infrastructure through advocacy and by building partnerships with the county and neighboring municipalities. I am interested in enforcing codes preserving our natural views around the lake. I will also seek to establish erosion control protocols and expand and beautify our trails around the village. I will work to improve communication between the security gates and residents in efforts to prioritize the security of our properties and our residents. I will work to strictly enforce existing ordinances in Loch Lloyd to increase and preserve and enhance our property values and the natural beauty of our neighborhood and to enhance the feeling of a safe and secure environment for our families.