



Hudson County, New Jersey
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
ADMINISTRATION ANNEX
567 PAVONIA AVENUE, JERSEY CITY, N.J. 07306

PHONE: (201) 795-6001

FAX: (201) 795-6923

June 28, 2022

Contact: Mr. Edgar Martinez
201- 795-6001

Immediate Release

Hudson County Board of Commissioners Applaud, Honor, and Commend Michael L. Dermody, First Assistant Counsel on his retirement from the County of Hudson after Twenty-Nine (29) years and Six (6) months of service

Jersey City-The Hudson County Board of Commissioners applaud, honor, and commend Michael L. Dermody, First Assistant Counsel on his retirement from the County of Hudson after Twenty-Nine years and Six months of service.

Michael (Mike) L. Dermody is a native son of Pennsylvania who, fortunately for all, chose to relocate to New Jersey.

Mike became a son of Hudson County when he came to work in the year 1989 and for the County of Hudson in 1992.

Mike attended Boston College, obtained undergraduate degrees in History and Political Science and took his Juris Doctorate from Seton Hall University Law School in 1980.

Mike began his career with Hudson County government on November 1, 1992.

Mike is the devoted husband of Anna Marie Guterl and loving father to Hope and Mia.

In the twenty-nine (29) years and six (6) months Mike has worked for the County Law Department he has served under four (4) County Counsels ably and professionally.

Mike has been the "go to" person in the Law Department to see whenever issues relating to any type of litigation arose and for which expert advice is needed.

During his years at the Law Department every office or Department in the County at one time or another turned to Mike for guidance.

Mike was always able to handle all problems with care and attention never ignoring or avoiding anyone in need of assistance, often going above and beyond the call of duty.

Noting the strains that a hectic day in the Law Department often causes, Mike was always able to handle all matters with grace and treat everyone with dignity and respect.

Mike was the person that all lawyers turned to for advice and for an opinion and Mike served as the mentor to many young lawyers teaching them how to be good lawyers, but more importantly how to be good people.

Few employees in County government exhibited more integrity or devotion to the public than Mike.

Board Chairman Anthony Vainieri, the Board of Commissioners and the County Executive join with the entire County family in wishing Mike years of good cheer and good health with his beloved wife Anna Marie, his children, Hope and Mia, in the enjoyment of their retirement years.

The Board also is letting Mike know that no matter how far he may travel or wherever he may be, he will always have a home in the County Law Department.

Release #68