# **Tim Sellers**

## Sellers, Hinshaw, Ayers, Dortch & Lyons, P.A.

### **Experience**

Tim has been active in the practice of business, construction and real estate law since 1980. He was a civil litigator for 26 years during which time he appeared regularly as counsel for clients in both mediations and arbitrations. A substantial portion of his practice has been devoted to condominium and planned community association law since 1984 and he teaches frequently on that subject. He has extensive experience with mediation and arbitration of complex cases including family, business, employment, construction and organizational conflicts and disputes. In addition to his law practice, Tim is the President of PeacePoint, a Christian conflict and dispute resolution ministry formed in 1999. He is a member of the Institute for Christian Conciliation's National Mediator and Arbitrator panel.

#### **Background**

Licensed to practice law in both North and South Carolina, Tim has been active in the practice of business, construction and real estate law since 1980 and was a civil litigator for 26 years. Tim chaired the North Carolina Bar Association's legislative drafting committee for the North Carolina Planned Community Act. He has enjoyed an "AV" Peer Review Rating from Martindale-Hubbell for more than 10 years. In 2010, he joined the North Carolina Legal Elite Hall of Fame, having been identified by his peers in 2009 as the top lawyer in North Carolina in the real estate practice area. Tim also served the City of Charlotte from 1993 through 1999, first as a member of its Community Relations Committee, and later as a two term member of its City Council.

# Education & Training

Tim graduated with honors from the University of North Carolina School of Law in 1980 after earning a Bachelor Of Arts degree in Economics at Davidson College in 1977. Tim received his training as a Peace Advocate at the Institute of Christian Conciliation ("ICC") and was designated a Certified Christian Conciliator™ in 2000.

## **Employment**

Tim is the founding member of Sellers, Hinshaw, Ayers, Dortch and Lyons, P.A., a civil practice law firm located in Charlotte, North Carolina.

#### Personal

Tim and his wife, Charlene, were married in 1978. They have two great, grown children, one fine son-in-law and one delightful grandchild...so far.



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