MEMORIAL RESOLUTION UPON THE DEATH OF ANTHONY J. NESTICO

Anthony J. Nestico, better known to his friends as Tony, and by his children affectionately as "Toe," "Frodo," and "Superman," died on Thanksgiving Day, November 22, 2018. Tony was born on May 31, 1963, in Harrisburg and was raised in Hershey along with his four sisters, Ann Drobnock, Theresa Polly, Kathleen Giovanniello, and Patricia Kain, by his parents, Patricia and the late Joseph "Big Joe" Nestico. He attended St. Joan of Arc Catholic School, Hershey Junior High School, and Hershey High School, graduating in 1981. He graduated from Shippensburg University in 1985. He worked briefly for the state legislature before deciding to attend law school. He attended Vermont Law School, was a member of the Vermont Law Review and graduated, *magna cum laude*, in 1990.

He returned to the Hershey area following graduation and worked at larger law firms in Harrisburg, before starting his own firm in 1996. In 1999, he formed a law partnership with Richard Druby that continues today as Nestico Druby, P.C.

The breadth of Tony's practice is illustrated through the various matters that crossed his desk on any given day. He handled many real estate matters, such as land acquisition, sale, and development. He also served as Solicitor of many local municipalities' zoning hearing boards. In addition, he formed many business entities for his clients and assisted them with such items as acquisitions, licenses, business disputes, and general contract matters. He assisted individuals with their estate plans and their beneficiaries with estate administration. No matter the area of law, Tony was hard working and devoted to serving his clients. It should be noted that Tony prided himself on being a problem solver, trying to find a rational and practical solution for his

clients. He was respected by other lawyers, including opposing counsel. For these reasons, Tony had the reputation with his clients, colleagues, and the Courts for which the Bar strives.

He would tell you that his accomplished career would not have been possible without the love and support of his family. The best decision he made in his life was marrying his wife, Deborah Bodenhorn, in 1987. They were married for 31 years. They had three children, Kara Nestico, Angela Dietz, wife of Frederick, and Joseph Nestico. Deb and his children were Tony's greatest joy. He gauged his success by their happiness. He joyously shared his pride in them and their accomplishments, big and small. His spirit is evidenced through his children as they demonstrate his and Deb's attributes of hard work, loyalty, and kindness.

Tony was a long-time Hershey Bears season ticket holder, and he spent many evenings with his family watching the Bears. He and his family enjoyed regular trips to South Bend to watch Notre Dame football. Tony enjoyed returning to Vermont with his family for memorable vacations. He spent many hours working in his yard and took great pride in his well-manicured lawn and in his tomato plants.

Tony took his work and his duties to his clients seriously. However, he understood that we, as lawyers, should not take ourselves too seriously. He had a great sense of humor. Tony would be known to quote lines from many Mel Brooks' classic films and would never pass on an opportunity to tell a good joke to brighten your day. Beyond all, Tony was fiercely loyal to family and friends. He would move mountains to protect them.

Unfortunately, Tony was struck with an aggressive autoimmune disorder that devastated him physically and plagued him for the rest of his life. He endured multiple major surgeries with the love and support of Deb and his children, who were by his side throughout the ordeal.

During this time, he was his own best advocate, researching treatment options.

His strength and courage were awe-inspiring. He fought the good fight. He is missed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that with the passing of Anthony J. Nestico, his family has lost a devoted husband, father, son, and brother, and the members of the Dauphin County Bar Association, the Court, and the community have lost a highly respected attorney, friend, colleague, and valued citizen.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the members of the Bar, in meeting assembled mourn the death of our esteemed colleague, and tender our sympathy and condolences to his family.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this Resolution be spread upon the records of our Court, with the original to be filed in the Office of the Prothonotary, and a copy to become part of the records of the Dauphin County Bar Association, with copies to be transmitted to his widow, Deborah Nestico, and family.

Respectfully Submitted this 20th day of March, 2019.

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