

A focus on law with a passion for customer service

Magellan Law Group LLP is focused on client relationships, not billable hours. The idea to create a client-centered law firm came when the partners recognized their common desire to satisfy and service clients while doing the best job possible.

As a full-service law firm, Magellan offers a diverse range of skills and expertise. From commercial needs to litigation (court work) and everything in between, the team works together in a holistic fashion, to ensure clients have the support and knowledge they need to make educated choices and more forward.

“The three of us have good synergy,” said Steve Fruitman of fellow partners Duncan Magnus and Don G. Burrell. “We created Magellan because we knew we could meet our clients’ needs better through our own firm. We have the talent and the skills to ensure every client gets what they need.” With more than 50 years’ combined experience and a commitment to professional development, these are lawyers who know the law and care about people.

There are no egos at Magellan. Everything comes down to delivering the best experience to the client. “Some firms are built on a structure that leads to fighting over clients,” Fruitman said. “That’s not best for the client. We structured our firm so that we all play an equal part in servicing clients the best way possible.”

This philosophy runs throughout the team from partners and lawyers to support staff, including the IT department. If IT sounds like an after-thought for a law firm, you’ll be surprised by Magellan’s approach.

“We do everything we can to make the client experience better. Efficiency and accessibility are part of how we do

business.” Duncan said. “Sometimes that comes down to the little things like having secure Wi-Fi in the office or dual screens on staff desks.

“We try to resolve disputes and problems for people,” Duncan said. “We want to help our clients sleep better at night. We offer advice about what can happen in certain situations, and if clients come to us with problems or issues, we work to resolve the issues, and we advocate on behalf of clients to try to prevent problems from arising.”

If a client’s needs fall outside the expertise of the firm, Magellan is ready to recommend the best professional for the job. While that might seem unusual, you may be surprised to learn that the partners at Magellan also meet with clients wherever is convenient.

“We do what needs to be done,” said Don. “We build relationships. It’s not about billable hours. Sometimes that means spending time with clients on a more personal level.”

Steve, Don and Duncan all live in the region and know Langley is where they want to be for the long-term.

“We want our kids and families to grow up here,” Duncan noted.

There is a theme of giving back to the community that naturally flows out of the firm’s principle of putting the client first. From serving on numerous boards of charitable organizations to taking part in activities for Langley Big Brothers and Big Sisters as well as raising more than \$70,000 for the BC Lung Association over five years, the team at Magellan knows what it means to be part of Langley.

Let the innovative approach of Magellan Law Group help you make informed decisions that will get you the most desired results.

“The partners at Magellan Law Group LLP came together because of their common commitment to their clients.”



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