

Is Your Estate in Order?

An unorganized estate can end up leaving significant legal and tax burdens, and create unnecessary grief and stress for your family before and after your death. Perhaps one of the most important questions one must ask themselves as their life changes over time is, "Is My Estate in Order?"

Estate planning: puts you in control of decision-making; saves on unnecessary costs; and relieves family members of extra stress during difficult times. A Personal Document Portfolio, customized to your particular circumstance, provides you with the peace of mind to know that your affairs are in order.

Three essential documents comprise Thiessen Law Group's Personal Document Portfolio package - an Enduring Power of Attorney, a Personal Directive and a Will.

- An Enduring Power of Attorney provides someone with the legal authority to make financial or legal decisions for you when you are no longer able to make them yourself;

- A Personal Directive assists others in providing personal care and making decisions if you no longer have the capacity to do so yourself;

- A Will provides direction and structure for your estate after your death.

Be sure to keep your Personal Document Portfolio as current as possible. Your estate plan may change with events like the acquisition of assets, changes in personal health needs, or a change in family structure such as the birth of a child or due to divorce or even the death of a loved one.

Thiessen Law Group would be happy to arrange an appointment to discuss and organize your Personal Document Portfolio.