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## Butzel attorney George B. Donnini elected President, Federal Bar Association, Eastern District of Michigan Chapter

### Firm News

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TROY, Mich. – **Butzel** attorney **George B. Donnini** was elected **President of the Federal Bar Association, Eastern District of Michigan Chapter** on June 7, 2023 during the organization's recent Annual Dinner. The Federal Bar Association, founded in 1920 by a group of federal government lawyers, is recognized as the professional organization for private attorneys, government lawyers and judges involved in federal practice.

Donnini is a member of the Butzel Board of Directors. He currently serves as a Litigation Department Chair and Co-Chair of the firm's White-Collar Criminal Defense Practice.

Donnini is a Shareholder with 20 years of experience in Detroit as a white-collar criminal defense practitioner. Prior to that, he practiced for several years in New York and California – two additional states that he also is licensed to practice. He has handled a variety of cases including, but not limited to, health care fraud, public corruption, antitrust, environmental, tax, and securities fraud cases. In addition, a significant portion of his practice involves the handling of corporate internal investigations for public and private companies.

In 2020, Donnini was named a "Notable Veteran" by *Crain's Detroit Business*. Donnini, along with a group of local attorneys, formed the Detroit chapter of the Veteran's Bar Association, to gather for networking and mentorship.

He is a member of the American Bar Association (ABA), Criminal Justice Section, White Collar Crime Committee; Midwest Regional Co-Chair (2005–Present) and the ABA Criminal Justice Section, Book Board, Co-Chair (2008–Present).

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Donnini is a 1995 *phi beta kappa* graduate of The George Washington University and a 1998 graduate of the Duke University School of Law.