# Charles B. Lempesis, attorney at law



Charles "Chuck" Lempesis (Pronounced Limp'-a-sis) is a practicing trial lawyer with more than 30 years experience. His trial experience ranges from a dozen first degree murder cases to medical malpractice, personal injury and commercial litigation. Chuck is the founder of River's edge Center for Alternative Dispute Resolution<sub>TM</sub>, and is one of the most sought after mediators in the country. He now devotes the majority of his practice to alternative dispute resolution and has mediated and arbitrated over 3000 matters. In addition to his legal experience, he is a principal of several construction and real estate development related companies, including Garagetown USA<sub>TM</sub>, the world largest developer of condominium storage.

### **Awards and Distinction**

Best Lawyers in America

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## Experience

Charles B. Lempesis, Chtd. Attorney at Law/River's edge Mediation Center for Alternative Dispute Resolution

Chief Public Defender Kootenai County Idaho

City Attorney and Prosecutor Cities of Post Falls and Rathdrum, Idaho

United States Government Chief of Staff, Office of the Nuclear Waste Negotiator.

Special Agent Bureau of Criminal Investigation Bismarck, North Dakota

United States Air Force

### **Education**

University of California, Irvine Bachelor of Arts, Social Ecology Cum Laude
Gonzaga University Juris Doctor Cum Laude

Pepperdine University Straus Institute

#### **Publications**

- \* "The Art of Making Peace: Effective Strategies for reaching consensus and conciliation" Copyright 2013
- \* "The Ten P's of Mediation," NWLawyer Apr/May 2013

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