Honorable Michael Alvey

Chairman Michael W. Alvey received his Bachelor's degree from Western Kentucky University, and his J.D. from the University of Kentucky College of Law. Admitted to the Kentucky Bar in 1988, Chairman Alvey practiced primarily defending workers' compensation, federal black lung and personal injury claims. On November 13, 2009 Chairman Alvey was appointed to serve as Chairman of the Kentucky Workers' Compensation Board effective January 5, 2010. Chair Alvey has served on the board of directors of the National Association of Workers' Compensation Judiciary, Inc., and is the President. Chairman Alvey retired from the Kentucky Army National Guard in 2000 where he served nearly 21 years as an armor officer and is a graduate of the Armor Officer Basic Course and Armor Office Advanced Course. Chairman Alvey resides in Owensboro, Kentucky where he has been involved in various church and civic activities as well as working with youth sports including both coaching and officiating.