

Traffic & Criminal Law Experience

John Weiland is a fast-thinking trial attorney who focuses on DUI, criminal and traffic defense. He has successfully represented thousands of reckless driving, DUI/DWI, underage possession of alcohol, and drug possession and distribution clients across Virginia.

In each of the years from 2018-2021, John has been the only attorney in the Central Virginia area to be recognized for DUI/DWI Defense by Super Lawyers. Before defending those accused of crimes and traffic violations, John litigated complex civil cases in Virginia and Federal courts. This research and writing-intensive background has provided John a unique analytical skill set for applying new, creative and successful legal arguments to otherwise extremely difficult criminal and traffic cases.

Prior to becoming a lawyer, John served as a Green Beret with the U.S. Army Special Forces. He maintains an ongoing promise to each of his clients to always fight to achieve the best possible outcome. He has been published by The Journal of the Virginia Trial Lawyers Association regarding DUI / DWI defense. John has the necessary trial experience and fortitude to provide aggressive representation tailored to each specific client's needs.

Practice Areas:

- TRAFFIC DEFENSE
- SPEEDING
- RECKLESS DRIVING
- CRIMINAL DEFENSE
- MARIJUANA POSSESSION
- DRUNK DRIVING DEFENSE

John M. Weiland's Specialties

John M. Weiland defends individuals charged with any criminal offense or traffic infraction in Virginia including speeding, failure to obey a highway sign, reckless driving, DUI/DWI, hit and run, eluding a police officer, driving on a suspended license, driving without a license, underage possession of alcohol and drug possession.

- Commonwealth of Virginia Bar Admission
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Virginia Bar Admission
- U.S. District Court, Western District of Virginia Bar Admission

Education & Memberships

1. University of Richmond School of Law J.D., cum laude
2. Virginia Bar Association – Present Member
3. Virginia Trial Lawyers Association (VTLA) – Present Member
4. Virginia Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers (VACDL) – Present Member