

**STATUTORY SHORT FORM POWER OF ATTORNEY**

**Minnesota Statutes Section 523.23**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE: The powers granted by this document are broad and sweeping. They are defined in Minnesota Statutes Section 523.24. If you have any questions about these powers, obtain competent advice. This power of attorney may be revoked by you if you wish to do so. This Power of Attorney is automatically terminated if it is to your spouse and proceedings are commenced for dissolution, legal separation or annulment of your marriage. This power of attorney authorizes, but does not require, the attorney-in-fact to act for you.**

(Reserved for recording data)

PRINCIPAL (Name and address of person granting the power)

ATTORNEY(S)-IN-FACT  
(Name and Address)

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

SUCCESSOR ATTORNEY(S)-IN-FACT (Optional)

To act if any named attorney-in-facts, resigns or is otherwise unable to serve (Name and Address)

First Successor

Second Successor

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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**NOTICE:** If more than one attorney-in-fact is designated, make a check or "x" on the line in front of one of the following statements:

\_\_\_\_\_ Each attorney-in-fact may independently exercise the powers granted.

\_\_\_\_\_ All attorneys-in-fact must jointly exercise the powers granted.

**EXPIRATION DATE:** (Optional)

Use Specific Month

Day,

Year Only

I (the above named Principal), appoint the above named Attorney (s)-in-fact to act as my attorney (s)-in-fact:

**FOURTH:** (You may indicate below whether or not the attorney-in-fact is required to make an accounting. Make a check or "x" on the line in front of the statement that expresses your intent.) (Optional)

\_\_\_\_\_ My attorney-in-fact need not render an accounting unless I request it or the accounting is otherwise required by Minnesota Statutes Sections 523.21.

\_\_\_\_\_ My attorney-in-fact must render \_\_\_\_\_ accountings to me or  
(Monthly, Quarterly, Annual)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Name and Address)

During my lifetime, and a final accounting to the personal representatives of my estate, if any, is appointed, after my death.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto signed my name this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Principal)

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PRINCIPAL**

**STATE OF MINNESOTA**  
**COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_**

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_  
(Insert Name of Principal)

NOTARIAL STAMP OR SEAL (OR OTHER TITLE OR RANK):

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF NOTARY PUBLIC OR OTHER OFFICIAL

THIS INSTRUMENT WAS DRAFTED BY (NAME & ADDRESS):

Specimen Signature of Attorney(s)-in-Fact  
(Notarization not required)

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**FIRST:** To act for me in any way I myself could act with respect to the following matters, as each of them is defined in Minnesota Statutes, Section 523.24:

(To grant to the attorney-in-fact any of the following powers, make a check or "X", on the line in front of each power being granted. You may, but need not, cross out each power not granted. Failure to make a check or "X" on the line in front of the power will have the effect of deleting the power unless the line in front of the power of (n) is checked of X.)

**Check or "X"**

\_\_\_\_\_ (A) real property transactions;  
I choose to limit this power to real property in \_\_\_\_\_ County,  
Minnesota, described as follows: (Use legal description. Do not use street address)

(If more space is needed, continue on the back or on an attachment)

_____ (B) tangible personal property transactions	_____ (I) fiduciary transactions;
_____ (C) bond, share, and commodity transactions	_____ (J) claims and litigation;
_____ (D) banking transactions	_____ (K) family maintenance;
_____ (E) business operating transactions;	_____ (L) benefits from military service;
_____ (F) insurance transactions;	_____ (M) records, reports, and statements;
_____ (G) beneficiary transactions;	_____ (N) all of the powers listed in (A) through (B) above all other matters.
_____ (H) gift transactions;	

**SECOND:** (You must indicate below whether or not this power of attorney will be effective if you become incapacitated or incompetent. Make a check or "x" on the line in front of the statement that expresses your intent.)

\_\_\_\_\_ This power of attorney shall continue to be effective if I become incapacitated or incompetent.

\_\_\_\_\_ This power of attorney shall not be effective if I become incapacitated or incompetent.

**THIRD:** (You must indicate below whether or not this power of attorney authorizes the attorney-in-fact to transfer your property to the attorney-in-fact. Make a check or "X" on the line in front of the statement that expresses your intent.)

\_\_\_\_\_ This power of attorney authorizes the attorney-in-fact to transfer my property to the attorney-in-fact.

\_\_\_\_\_ This power of attorney does not authorize the attorney-in-fact to transfer my property to the attorney-in-fact.