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TOLEDO'S TOP HIDDEN TREASURE & ADVOCATE: JOHNY D OF 1370 WSPD AM RADIO!

If you have lived in Detroit, Toledo or Cleveland, chances are you have heard the voice of Johny D on the airwaves of one of the many radio stations that he has startled over the years. Back in the early 90’s, Johny D was “sputtering the bits” in Cleveland on what used to be 102.5FM. Attorney Nick Dodosh from our office grew up in Cleveland and remembers tuning to Johny D in elementary school and junior high. “Johny D introduced me to pop music. I thought he was so cool!” Now that I live in Toledo, I was thrilled to learn that Johny D is on the air here with his own talk show!”

Since coming to Toledo in the mid 90’s, Johny has stated on 92.5 FM and now has a new home on Toledo’s 103.7 WCKY and 1370 WSPD. Johny is on the air from 3pm-6pm Monday through Friday on 1370 WSPD. His show is a must-listen and discusses a wide range of topics from news, politics, Toledo, sports, kids, and family. Some topics are more serious than others, and Johny says that his audience either loves him or hates him.

Chuck Boyk came to meet Johny through Johny’s younger sister, Julie, who used to work for Chuck as a top-notch legal secretary. Chuck has represented Johny and several of his brothers and sisters (Johny has seven siblings) over the years on a variety of matters, including home closings.

Johny thinks highly of Chuck. “I can call Chuck and within a half hour he will call me back. That is what makes a good lawyer, being good with people...Chuck may actually be too nice!” said Johny. It is no surprise that Chuck and Johny have become good friends. “Johny D is hilarious,” said Chuck. “He speaks for the common man but in a much funnier way. He is a treasure for Toledo radio.”

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