

A GOOD PLACE

James Zimmerman, partner-in-charge at Taft Law, says the firm is "fortunate to be in a good place" as the pandemic heads into its second year. Its 600 attorneys have continued serving clients in 12 offices—from Phoenix to Washington, D.C.—while embracing virtual court dates and video conferences. He says 30-40 percent of the staff are back in person at Taft's downtown headquarters, including him. - JOHN FOX

Taft Law was a founding tenant of the US Bank building across from Fountain Square, and its long history of service goes back to 1885.

Zimmerman laughs when realizing the family memorabilia in his office is at least 10 years old. "Your kids are stuck at a certain age in your mind."

Zimmerman and his wife Mary have four teenage children (Sarah and triplets Andrew, Elizabeth, and Megan), despite the photo evidence.

The Cincinnati Bengals are a longtime Taft client, leading to a signed Andy Dalton photo. Zimmerman says he probably should update that art as well.