

#### **ESTATE PLANNING GUIDELINE**

### Make sure your Personal Information Form (PIF) is complete!

# Initial Client Meeting (1 hour)

Review "How to Become a Client" sheet from your initial meeting packet!

- Gather client's personal information
- Identify client's needs and goals
- **Review Estate Planning tools**
- Make recommendations
- Review Firm's process & fees

#### Engagement

A design meeting may not occur without a signed engagement letter

# Design Meeting (2 hours)

Flowchart MUST be reviewed by Client BEFORE review call!

\*Flowchart Review Call\* (30-45 min)

Confirmation of decisions MUST be given before delivery!

Delivery Meeting (1-2 hours)

Sign your documents and experience peace of mind!

Client Maintenance

- Collect asset and financial information from client
- Attorney confirms receipt of asset and financial information
- Attorney guides client through the interactive design process
- Attorney counsels client through Estate Planning options
- Review flowchart design diagram
- Confirm names, appointments, and distribution decisions
- Review Estate Planning documents with client
- Provide funding recommendations & instructions
- Optional enrollment in *Annual Maintenance Program* for all clients
- Ongoing Legal Checkups for all clients

<sup>\*</sup> Per pricing & engagement, Flowchart Review Calls are included in Spruce, Willow and Sequoia plans only.