

## News

### Linowes and Blocher Attorneys Recognized in The Best Lawyers in America©

#### Attorneys

James B. "Jim" Witkin

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Linowes and Blocher is pleased to announce that 9 of the firm's attorneys were selected by their peers for inclusion in *The Best Lawyers in America*© 2018. Attorneys recognized in this year's guide, which was released on August 15, are listed below alongside their respective practice areas.

"It is an honor for our firm and attorneys to receive ongoing recognition in *Best Lawyers*," said Linowes and Blocher Managing Partner Bob Dalrymple. "To know that our respected colleagues identify us for this list year after year is indeed an extraordinary compliment. Congratulations to all the attorneys who were named to the 2018 list."

#### C. Robert "Bob" Dalrymple

- Land Use and Zoning Law
- Litigation – Land Use and Zoning

#### Andrew M. Goldstein

- Real Estate Law

#### Gerald W. Heller

- Bet-the-Company Litigation
- Commercial Litigation
- Litigation – Environmental
- Litigation – Real Estate

In addition, Gerald W. Heller was also named the Best Lawyers' **2018 Washington, D.C. Litigation- Real Estate "Lawyer of the Year."** Only a single lawyer in each practice area in each community is honored as "Lawyer of the Year."

#### Stephen Z. Kaufman

Continued

- Land Use and Zoning Law
- Real Estate Law

**John “Jack” R. Orrick, Jr.**

- Corporate Law

**David M. Plott**

- Land Use and Zoning Law

**Barbara A. Sears**

- Land Use and Zoning Law
- Real Estate Law

**James B. Witkin**

- Environmental Law
- Real Estate Law

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**About Linowes and Blocher LLP**

Linowes and Blocher LLP ([www.linowes-law.com](http://www.linowes-law.com)) is an innovative and sophisticated commercial real estate law firm in the greater Washington, DC, metropolitan area and surrounding Maryland and Virginia jurisdictions. Founded in 1956, Linowes and Blocher attorneys have broad and deep commercial real estate industry experience in bankruptcy, business, condo/HOA, environmental, land use/zoning, litigation, real estate transactions and tax matters. The firm's clients include developers, property owners, business owners, nonprofits, investors and government entities represented by our offices in Bethesda, Annapolis, Frederick and Washington, D.C.