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## **Practice Areas**

Real Estate Appeals of Land Use Approvals

### Education

Rutgers College (B.A., 1977)

Rutgers University School of Law-Newark (J.D., 1980)

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# Thomas J. O'Connor

## Member

Mr. O'Connor is a Senior Partner and has been with the firm since 1981. His primary area of expertise is land use and real estate development. He has extensive experience representing developers and business owners requiring Federal, State, and local governmental approvals for a wide range of commercial, industrial and residential projects, often involving very large and complex development applications.Mr. McPherson's municipal finance practice in taxable and tax-exempt issues, has included representing municipal entities, counties, independent authorities, and State agencies, and has encompassed representation as Bond Counsel, Underwriter's Counsel, Trustee's Counsel, General Counsel (to the Issuer) and Counsel to the Financial Advisor.

He has been actively involved for many years in the expanding areas of urban redevelopment, brownfields, transit villages and affordable housing.

In addition to appearing before planning and zoning boards throughout North Jersey, Mr. O'Connor has been very active in representing clients in matters before the New Jersey Meadowlands Commission. He has served on various advisory committees to the New Jersey Meadowlands Commission for proposed regulatory amendments and special projects.

#### **Bar Admissions**

State of New Jersey (1980)
United States District Court for the District of New Jersey (1980)

# Memberships

New Jersey State Bar Association, Land Use Law Section Hudson County Bar Association