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PRACTICE AREAS:

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STATE ADMISSIONS:

Pennsylvania

COURT ADMISSIONS:

U.S. District Court for the Middle
District of Pennsylvania

EDUCATION:

J.D., Widener University Delaware
Law School, 1993

M.P.A., University of Pittsburgh,
Graduate School of Public and
International Affairs, 1981

B.A., University of Pittsburgh,
1974

David J. Mayernik

MEMBER

Dave Mayernik focuses his practice on the firm's Business and Government Affairs Practice, including corporate clients from a variety of industries, non-profits, municipalities, associations, and authorities. He takes a balanced, bipartisan, and broad approach to lobbying and government relations services providing legislative consulting services that include development, implementation and management of strategic relationships and issue advocacy. He is a member of a multidisciplinary team of lawyers and government affairs professionals who advise clients establishing and operating businesses involved in the financing and manufacturing.

Dave also focuses on public and municipal finance matters, assisting the Firm's Public Finance Group as bond counsel in municipal financings. Dave has experience representing various counties, cities, townships, boroughs, school districts and municipal authorities in a wide range of matters, including transactions that span the Commonwealth.

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

- Served as a member of the Pennsylvania General Assembly for two decades.
- Former 10-term member of the Judiciary Committee.
- Formerly seated on the House Appropriations Committee.
- Served on 13 standing committees, serving as chairman of two.
- Boasts 11 prime sponsored bills and 21 amendments signed into law by four governors.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Allegheny County Bar Association
- Pennsylvania Bar Association
- Allegheny County Executive Fitzgerald's Intergovernmental Cooperation Vision Team
- University of Pittsburgh School of Law, Board of Visitors
- The Pennsylvania Society
- University of Pittsburgh Medical Center (UPMC) Board Member; Former Member Informational Technology Committee
- Greater Pittsburgh International Airport Authority (GPIA) Former Vice Chairperson; Operating and Facilities Committee,

Former Chairperson

- University of Pittsburgh (PITT), Former Member of the Board of Trustees
- Marian Hall Home, Inc. (nonprofit), Former Member of the Board of Directors
- University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, Former Board Member

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public and International Affairs, Adjunct Professor
- Allegheny County Police Academy, Former Instructor

NEWS AND INSIGHTS

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- “Budget and Building Construction Legislative Issues,” presentation to the Building Owners and Managers Association, February 2017.
- “Balancing Safety, Justice and Privacy: Body-Worn Cameras, Forensic Evidence and the Right to Know,” co-presenter for Duquesne University’s Cyril H. Wecht Institute of Forensic Science and Law program, January 2017.
- “Pennsylvania Constitutional Issues and the Legislative Process,” Eckert Seamans’ Continuing Legal Education Seminar, September 2015.
- “The Rules of the Game: Complying with State and Local Lobbyists Disclosure and Campaign Finance Law,” co-presenter, Eckert Seamans’ Continuing Legal Education Seminar, August 2010.