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Practice Areas

Family Law

Municipal Law

Eminent Domain

Overview

Barbara M. Kirk is a partner in the Yardley, Pa. office of Hill Wallack LLP, where she is a member of the Family Law and Municipal Law practice groups.

Ms. Kirk is admitted to practice in Pennsylvania (1996) and New Jersey (1996). She earned her J.D. from Temple University Law School and her B.A., magna cum laude, from Holy Family College.

Leadership

Doris Jonas Freed American Inns of Court - Master of Bench (2025-present)

President, Bucks County Bar Association (2014)

Treasurer, Member, Board of Directors, Bucks County Bar Association

Former Board Member, Past President, Libertae (2004)

Former Member, Annual Salute to Women Committee,

Bucks County March of Dimes (1996-2000)

Member, Pennsylvania and Bucks County Bar Associations (continuous)

Presentations & Publications

Ms. Kirk has conducted several presentations for the Pennsylvania Bar Association related to family law issues and updates, and various presentations including CLE on zoning issues for the Bucks County Bar Association.

Seminar: Hill Wallack LLP Partner Barbara M. Kirk to present at Bucks County Bar Association

April 21, 2017

Seminar: Hill Wallack LLP Partner Barbara M. Kirk to present at Bucks County Bar Association

May 17, 2016

Barbara M. Kirk, Esq. Honored by YWCA Bucks County

May 12, 2016

Seminar: Hill Wallack LLP Partner Barbara M. Kirk to present at Pennsylvania Bar Institute

April 15, 2016

Seminar: Hill Wallack LLP Partner Barbara M. Kirk to present at Bucks County Bar Association

October 9, 2015

Speaking Engagement: HW Partners to present to Bensalem School District staff and administration

January 8, 2015

Hill Wallack LLP partner Barbara M. Kirk wins appeal on significant zoning case

April 19, 2017

Article: Hill Wallack LLP Family Law Attorneys featured in Suburban Life Magazine

June 1, 2016

News Release: Hill Wallack LLP Partner Barbara M. Kirk To Be Honored By YWCA Bucks County

April 14, 2016

Barbara M. Kirk Elected to Board of Directors of Pennsbury Manor Historical Society

November 13, 2014

Barbara M. Kirk Speaks At United States Naturalization Ceremony

July 25, 2014

Barbara M. Kirk Installed As 2014 Bucks County Bar Association President

December 9, 2013

Community Involvement

Pennsbury Manor Historical Society Board Member (2014-2025)

Former Member, Annual Salute to Women Committee,

Bucks County March of Dimes (1996-2000)

Volunteer CCD instructor for 6th graders - St. Ignatius Church (2003-2005)

Girl Scouts of America Volunteer & Scout Mother - (1996-2003)

Representative Matters

As a family law practitioner, Ms. Kirk has handled numerous cases in divorce, distribution of assets, support and custody, often dealing with complex issues such as self-employed business owners, limited partnerships, high salaried employees, tax ramifications and other issues.

Prior to joining the Hill Wallack team, Ms. Kirk was a partner with the law firm of Rudolph, Clarke & Kirk from 2004 through 2013, where she handled the firm's domestic and family law clients. She began her career in family law with her employment at the law firm of Groen, Laveson, Goldberg & Rubenstone in 1989, initially employed as a legal secretary through to a position as a paralegal to attorney after completing law school during the event. By 1995, Ms. Kirk was inducted as an attorney, where she assists clients in all aspects and elements of family law in addition to assisting clients in ancillary issues, such as sales of houses, financial investments, and other similarly related actions.

Ms. Kirk served as one of the solicitors for the Bucks County Children & Youth Social Services Agency from May 2018 until March 2020, representing the Agency in matters involving child welfare services in Bucks County.

In addition to representation of family law clients, Ms. Kirk also assists in the firm's municipal and zoning departments, representing various municipal entities and zoning hearing boards. As a municipal law practitioner, Ms. Kirk provides legal services to various townships and boroughs in Bucks County. Her representation includes general litigation of property violations, zoning code violations, contract disputes and other litigation involving municipalities. As solicitor for several Bucks County zoning hearing boards, Ms. Kirk has

handled multiple and sometimes complex zoning litigation through common pleas courts and Commonwealth Court.

Ms. Kirk has also served as legal counsel for various municipal authorities, having worked with Bucks County Water & Sewer Authority, Northampton Twp. Sewer Authority Lower Makefield Township Sewer Authority.

She is also the first woman chairperson for one of three Board of View panels for the Bucks County Court of Common Pleas, having been appointed in 2010 by the Bucks County CCP president judge.

Bar Admissions

Pennsylvania

New Jersey

Education

Holy Family College

Temple University School of Law