# Donna M. Brewer

### **PARTNER**

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# **MEMBER OF THE BAR**

Massachusetts
United States District Court
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United States Southern and Eastern
Districts of New York
United States Court of Appeals,
First Circuit
United States Court of Appeals,
DC Circuit
Supreme Court of the United States

Our partner, Ms. Brewer is experienced in the broad range of matters of particular concern to towns and regional school districts, including budget disputes, labor, citizens' petitions, Proposition 2 1/2, local board practice and procedure, Open Meeting Law, Public Records Act, intermunicipal agreements, public works and construction projects, elections, and zoning and non-zoning land use matters. She has advised municipalities and lectured on local regulation of Small Wireless Facilities in light of FCC Rulings.

In addition to her background in litigation, Ms. Brewer has substantial litigation experience in such varied fields as zoning and land use, 5G, real estate, business contracts, civil rights, consumer protection, professional malpractice, products liability, guardianship and conservatorship, employment, surety and insurance coverage disputes on behalf of individuals, corporations, partnerships, non-profit organizations and municipal clients. She has experience in all levels of regional federal and state courts and alternative dispute resolution forums.

Ms. Brewer is a member of the Massachusetts Municipal Lawyers Association and the International Municipal Lawyers Association. She is a board member of the Lawyers for Civil Rights.

Ms. Brewer is rated AV in Martindale-Hubbell®, assessed by her peers as holding the highest ethical standards and professional ability. She received her A.B. degree, cum laude, from Middlebury College and her J.D. from New York University School of Law.

## ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

Juris Doctor

New York University School of Law

**Bachelor of Arts** 

Middlebury College (cum laude)

# **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

#### Partner

Harrington Heep, LLP 2014-present (formerly Miyares and Harrington, LLP)

Partner 2001-2014 Associate 1984-2000 Casner & Edwards LLP

Cushel & Luwulus LLF

**Associate** 1982-1984

Hughes Hubbard & Reed New York, NY

## **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

**Board Member** Lawyers for Civil Rights 2011-present

### Contributor

Massachusetts Municipal Lawyers Association

#### Co-Author

"Municipal Code Enforcement," Massachusetts Municipal Law, Ch. 25 (MCLE 2020)

#### Lecturer

**MCLE** 

Municipal Law Issues

**Dive Volunteer** New England Aquarium 2017-present

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