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# LEGAL CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

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shareholder disputes, construction defects and business tort litigation. Before joining Markowitz Herbold, she litigated hundreds of cases including construction service and defect, product liability, personal injury, premises liability, employment, and other commercial claims at her previous firm. Levy specializes in complex litigation and appeals. He is the



author of *Part of the Appeal*, an appellate newsletter on Substack.



**Seth Row** has joined Stoel Rives as a litigation partner in Portland. Row brings decades of experience in policyholder-side insurance recovery to the firm. Row's practice involves a

mix of litigation, counseling and behind-the-scenes advocacy to clients in multiple industries. Over more than 20 years of practice, Row has helped clients to recover millions of dollars under multiple kinds of insurance policies including pollution liability, property, builder's risk, business income, directors and officers, representations and warranties, marine, and cyber-risk, among others. He also has broad experience in business litigation, including commercial disputes, theft of trade secrets, products liability and employment.



**Román Hernández** has joined Cable Huston as a partner. Hernández has a national litigation practice and focuses on employment law and commercial litigation. He represents clients

in a variety of industries including energy, retail, telecommunications, agribusiness, health and hygiene, software development, manufacturing, logistics, transportation, in addition to educational institutions.

**VF Law** has moved into new office space located at 6000 Meadows Road, Suite 500,

Lake Oswego, effective immediately. This new corporate location is less than three miles from the firm's former office and is conveniently located near I-5 and Highway 217. VF Law hired additional attorneys across all of its areas of practice in 2023, and opened new offices in Boise as its litigation, estate planning, construction defect and insurance practices expanded throughout the Pacific Northwest and Rocky Mountain regions. In addition to Idaho and Oregon, the firm also operates within six other states across the western United States.



Sussman Shank has welcomed the lawyers and paralegals from the bankruptcy boutique Vanden Bos & Chapman to the firm effective Jan. 1, 2024. The new lawyers include **Ann K. Chapman, Christopher N. Coyle, Douglas R. Ricks** and **Colleen A. Lowry**. The new team brings a wealth of experience, depth and a proven track record for handling a diverse range of cases, from consumer and small business bankruptcies (Chapter 7 and 13), bankruptcies for family farmers and fisherman (Chapter 12), as well as complex business restructuring matters (Chapter 11). They also specialize in creditor representation across all chapters.



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Gleaves Swearingen has named **Shawn I. Walker** a partner in the firm and **Naveed A. Khan** has joined as an associate. Walker is a member of the trust and estates practice group and specializes

in assisting clients through the probate process and administering trusts and estates. Khan's practice focuses on litigation.