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## Miller Starr Regalia Receives Tier 1 Ranking in Four Practice Areas by U.S. News-Best Lawyers® "Best Law Firms 2015 Edition"

Related Lawyers: Anthony Leones

Related Practices: Land Use & CEQA, Commercial & Business Litigation, Construction Claims & Litigation

Miller Starr Regalia, a leading California real estate law firm, announced today that for the fourth consecutive year it has been honored with a Tier 1 ranking in four key practice areas in U.S. News – Best Lawyers "Best Law Firms". The practices are commercial litigation, land use and zoning law, real estate litigation and real estate law. The firm also received a Tier 2 ranking for construction law for the second consecutive year.

"Consistently providing high quality legal counsel is our core mission and this recognition affirms that we excel at meeting the needs of our clients," said Anthony M. Leones, Miller Starr Regalia's managing shareholder. "The firm has been highly respected for decades in California for real property law and the quality of our lawyers is the reason."

In addition to providing legal counsel, a hallmark and distinguishing achievement of the firm is *Miller & Starr, California Real Estate*, a 12-volume treatise on California real estate law researched and written by Miller Starr Regalia attorneys. "THE BOOK" is the most widely used and judicially recognized real estate treatise in California and is continuously updated by MSR attorneys.

"The research and analysis needed to produce the book helps to build our attorneys' knowledge in the field of real estate law and enhances our credibility, resulting in a significant advantage for the firm's clients," said Mr. Leones.

The U.S. News – Best Lawyers "Best Law Firms" rankings are based on a rigorous evaluation process that includes the collection of client and lawyer evaluations, peer review from leading attorneys in their field and review of additional information provided by law firms. Clients are asked to provide feedback on firm practice groups, addressing expertise, responsiveness, understanding of a business and its needs, cost-effectiveness, civility and whether they would refer another client to the firm. Lawyers voted on a number of issues including whether they would refer a matter to a firm and whether they consider a firm a worthy competitor.

The 2015 rankings are available at: www.bestlawfirms.usnews.com.

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