

ROGER MANNO



Roger Manno is an attorney and former Maryland senator who has spent decades in government service, working in the White House, on the U.S. House Judiciary Committee, as Legislative Director and Senior Counsel to members of Congress, and as an elected member of the Maryland House and senior member of the Maryland Senate. During his tenure in the Maryland Senate, Roger served as Senate Majority Whip, tasked with building strong voting majorities to advance a disciplined legislative agenda across the State of Maryland. As Senate Chair of both the Spending Affordability Committee and the "AELR," regulatory committee (Administrative, Executive and Legislative Review), Roger advanced reforms that streamlined Maryland's regulatory processes, and implemented landmark structural reforms that fundamentally transformed Maryland's budget forecasting, revenues, and overall baseline spending.

He has received numerous awards and recognitions, including by the Metropolitan Washington Employment Lawyers Association, United States Department of Defense, American Bar Association, Maryland Anesthesiologists Association, Maryland Consumer Rights Coalition, Lions Club International, International Association of Fire Fighters (Local 1664), Adventist Columbia Union Conference, Kiwanis Club International, National Federation of the Blind of Maryland, Fraternal Order of Police (Maryland State Lodge), Plumbers and Gasfitters United Association (Local 5), International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (Local 26), among many others. Twice awarded Legislator of the Year by Maryland Building and Construction Trades Council (AFL-CIO), Roger also has the unique distinction of being named an honorary member of International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local 26 and is a Journeyman member of Steamfitters United Association Local 602.

Roger's currently serves indigent criminal defendants as a Maryland Judiciary Court Appointed Attorney. He holds a joint Juris Doctor / Masters of Intellectual Property Law degree.