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Former Richmond City Councilwoman, Former Mayor's Chief of Staff, join Roth Jackson

Richmond law firm rebrands, forms strategic consulting group for local government and economic development clients

RICHMOND, VA (FEBRUARY 28, 2017) – Former Richmond city councilwoman Kathy Graziano and former chief of staff to the Mayor Mark Kronenthal have joined Roth Jackson, a law firm focusing on a wide range of commercial, real estate, and economic development matters.

Kronenthal joined the firm as a partner in Roth Jackson's land use and real estate practice. Graziano has joined the newly formed Roth Jackson Strategies Group as a consultant. Established this month, the strategies group offers local government, economic development, and business consulting services.

With a background in commercial real estate, land use, and bank representation, Kronenthal most recently served as Richmond Mayor Dwight C. Jones' chief of staff and, prior to that, senior policy advisor. The Roth Jackson real estate team also includes partners Caroline E. Browder, Andrew M. Condlin, Joseph F. Jackson, Kim Lacy, and Jennifer Mullen.

After serving the City for over a decade, Graziano retired from City Council last year and was instrumental in encouraging economic growth and leading much of the development seen in Richmond and the metropolitan region during the past decade.

"For as long as I've known Kathy, she's been committed to finding solutions and removing roadblocks to encourage economic growth," Condlin said. "Her straightforward wisdom has served Richmond well for the last twelve years she served as a council member, and we are thrilled that Kathy will continue to serve the Richmond region as part of our strategies group."

In addition to the formation of Roth Jackson Strategies Group, the firm has streamlined its name and rebranded from Roth Jackson Gibbons Condlin, PLC to simply Roth Jackson.

ABOUT ROTH JACKSON

Roth Jackson is a law firm focusing on a wide range of business, employment, economic development, and real estate issues. With offices in Richmond and Tyson's Corner, Roth Jackson is well-versed and deeply experienced in commercial issues around Virginia and in local governments. Roth Jackson Strategies Group, LLC focuses on local government, economic and business consulting, and is based in Roth Jackson's Richmond office. For more information, visit RothJackson.com or the Strategies Group site at RJSgroup.com.

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