



Joseph A. MacLaren

Director of Special Districts

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PROFESSIONAL SYNOPSIS

Mr. MacLaren serves as the director of Fishkind & Associates, Inc.'s public finance department, where he has gained extensive experience in establishing and managing special districts. Mr. MacLaren has also served as financial advisor to numerous special districts throughout the state during the issuance of more than 400 million in bond debt. Mr. MacLaren remains a member of the Florida Bar, and his professional experience includes working as a prosecutor with the Florida State Attorney's Office for the Ninth Judicial Circuit. As a veteran of jury trials in Orange and Osceola counties, Mr. MacLaren possesses a unique perspective on the workings of the state judicial system. Mr. MacLaren also has experience conducting business valuations and in estimating damages in wrongful death and patent infringement cases in conjunction with pending lawsuits.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Special Districts – Formation and Financing
Litigation Support

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Director, Fishkind & Associates, Inc.	2005 - Present
Assistant State Attorney, State Attorney's Office	2004 - 2005
Supervisor, United Parcel Service	1997- 2000

EDUCATION

University of Kentucky College of Law, Juris Doctorate, 2004
University of Kentucky, B.S., Business Administration, 2000

SELECT CLIENT LIST

The Lake Nona "Family" of Improvement Districts in Orlando, Florida

The Villages "Family" of Community Development Districts in Lake and Sumter Counties, Florida