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Roger Manno is a legislative and regulatory architect 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. As *Senate Chairman* of both the Spending Affordability Committee and the “AELR” regulatory committee (Administrative, Executive and Legislative Review), Roger advanced reforms that streamlined and strengthened Maryland’s regulatory processes, and authored landmark structural reforms that fundamentally transformed Maryland’s budget forecasting, revenues, and overall baseline spending. As *Senate Majority Whip*, Roger worked to build strong voting majorities in order to advance a disciplined legislative agenda across the State of Maryland. An attorney admitted to practice in Maryland, the District of Columbia, the Supreme Court of the United States, the U.S. Court of Appeals for Armed Forces, and other federal courts, Roger served as *Of Counsel* to the general practice / civil litigation law firm of Karp, Frosh, Lapidus, Wigodsky & Norwind, P.A., during the period when (now) Maryland Attorney General Brian Frosh served as a named Partner. Roger’s consulting portfolio consists primarily of labor and workforce development issues, while his legal practice includes personal injury work, and service on behalf of indigent defendants as a Maryland Judiciary *Court Appointed Attorney*.

Practices

Appropriations
Regulatory Affairs
Antitrust
Intellectual Property
Transportation & Ports
Health Care
Energy
Manufacturing & Trade
Labor & Workforce Dev.

Education

University of New Hampshire
School of Law, JD / MIP; Hunter
College, BA Political Science

Bar Admissions

Maryland, District of Columbia,
Supreme Court of the United
States, U.S. Court of Appeals for
Armed Forces

Career Highlights

Majority Whip of Maryland Senate

Maryland Senate Chair,
Regulatory Committee (AELR)
and Spending Affordability
Committee

*Senior Counsel and Legislative
Director*, U.S. House of
Representatives

White House health reform
working group (Obama
Administration)

Recognitions

Roger Manno has received numerous awards and recognitions, including by the Metropolitan Washington Employment Lawyers Association, United States Department of Defense, Maryland Anesthesiologists Association, Maryland Consumer Rights Coalition, Fraternal Order of Police (Maryland State Lodge), International Association of Fire Fighters (Local 1664), Adventist Columbia Union Conference, Plumbers and Gasfitters United Association (Local 5), and International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (Local 26). 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 2 AFL-CIO building and construction trade unions – Steamfitters United Association Local 602, and International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local 26.