

2022 Partner in Excellence

David P. Lonski, Esq.



David is a lifelong resident of the Township of East Brunswick having moved along with his family to East Brunswick in February 1962. His wife, Jeannine, daughter, mother, father, sister, two brothers-in-law, a sister-in-law, a niece and her husband, and 3 nephews (along with the spouse of one) reside in the Township.

He received a Bachelor's of Science Degree in Industrial Engineering from Rutgers College of Engineering in 1983, graduating with Honors. He received awards for his research and presentations on Queuing theories and interned at the prestigious Mathematica, a Princeton based think tank group. He also developed the first PC based software for medical offices to transmit claims forms electronically to Blue Cross and Blue Shield of New Jersey in the mid-1980s.

David received his Juris Doctorate degree from Rutgers School of Law in Camden in 1986 where he graduated first in his class in the Tax Honors Program receiving the Prentice-Hall Award in Taxation at graduation. He continued his education obtaining an LLM in Taxation from New York University in 1989. In 1988, he joined a local law firm in New Brunswick and became a partner in 1993. He continues to practice with the firm of Shamy Shippers & Lonski, PC which is now located at 334 Milltown Road in East Brunswick. He is a member of the Bars of

the State of New Jersey State, the United States District Court of New Jersey, the United States Tax Court, the United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit, and the United States Supreme Court.

David has served as municipal prosecutor and has defended property tax appeals on behalf of several municipalities in Central Jersey. His private practice focuses on corporate law, business start-ups and transactions, estate planning and administration, real estate, land use and civil litigation.

David is also very actively involved in the community. He has coached youth sports in boys and girls basketball, baseball and softball, and still coaches youth football. He is a past president and currently serves as a member of the Board of Trustees and Treasurer for the St. Bart's Buffalos youth football organization, an organization in which he has been involved since its inception in 1970. He serves as President of the Township's Coalition of Athletic Organizations and has been serving on the Board of that organization since May 13, 2002. He also serves as the President of the East Brunswick Recreation and Parks Advisory Board and has been serving on that Board since February 11, 2004. He serves as the Presiding Justice for the East Brunswick Elks Lodge and has been a member of the Elks for the past 23 years.

He has assisted with the start-up of several youth sports groups including the Blackhawks Lacrosse program, the East Brunswick Youth Tennis program, and is currently assisting a Youth Cricket group. He was also a founding Trustee of the East Brunswick High School Athletic Booster Club.

David is the Chairman of the East Brunswick Democratic Organization and has served on the Township's Democratic Committee along with his wife, Jeannine, for the past 32 years. David and Jeannine have two wonderful children. Jonathan is a 2012 graduate of East Brunswick High School. He was the MVP of the high school baseball team and earned an academic scholarship to college. He was a National Science Foundation Fellow in graduate school. He holds Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Industrial Engineering. Their daughter, Kathleen, is a 2015 graduate of East Brunswick High School. Kathleen is a singer-songwriter who attributes realizing her gift for song-writing to a grant from the East Brunswick Education Foundation to the music department at EBHS. Kathleen started the acapella group at EBHS known as the "acabellas" and appeared in several plays while at EBHS. While in High School, she wrote an anti-bullying song called "Don't Let Them In" which won numerous music awards and scholarships. She was also a founding member of the Rachel's Challenge group at the High School which toured the Elementary Schools to deliver a message of anti-bullying often through her song. She gave a TED Talk on the power of music at EBHS prior to her graduation.

David and Jeannine are often heard promoting the mission and accomplishments of the EBEF and the affect that it has had on the life of their daughter. They have seen the impact of the programs sponsored by the EBEF first hand, as well as that of all the hard-working teachers and administrators that write for the grants. In an effort to give back just a little to the EBEF, David danced as Elvis Presley in the 2017 EBEFCelebrity Dance-Off competition, an honor that he will always remember.

