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John F. Walko, Esq. Joins Firm

MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PA. December 15, 2014: The law firm of Hamburg, Rubin, Mullin, Maxwell & Lupin is pleased to announce that John F. Walko has joined the firm as an Associate in the Municipal Law, Real Estate Law, and Criminal Defense departments.

Although John assists with the firm's array of municipal clients, John serves primarily as Assistant Solicitor to Upper Merion Township, and in the past has served as Assistant Solicitor to neighboring Bridgeport Borough. John started his legal career as an associate attorney for HRMM&L. In 2008, John left the firm to become an Assistant District Attorney in the Montgomery County District Attorney's Office. While serving as a county prosecutor, John gained a reputation as an honest, skilled and prepared trial attorney as he progressed through the Pretrials, Juvenile, and Major Crimes Units. In 2011, he was promoted to Captain of Economic Crimes for Montgomery County, where he worked with local law enforcement to investigate and prosecute complex, white collar, financial crimes. After leaving the District Attorney's Office in 2013, John worked for a local law firm where he focused on personal injury, estate, and criminal defense matters. In 2014, John was voted "Best of MontCo" in *The Times Herald* newspaper in three separate categories, Criminal Defense, Personal Injury and Wills & Estates.

John received his law degree from Villanova Law School in 2007, where he received awards for his pro bono service, trial team, and moot court board participation. Prior to law school, John received his Masters and Associates degrees from Bryn Athyn College, and his Bachelor's degree, *summa cum laude*, from West Virginia University in 2002. John is an active member of the Montgomery and Pennsylvania Bar Associations.

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