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Practice Areas: Business & Employment | General Litigation

Amily "Ami" Imbrogno is a Partner in the firm's Business & Employment and General Litigation practice groups, where she focuses her practice on litigation and compliance, bringing a client-centered approach to complex matters of public and private law. She represents governmental entities, businesses, and individuals across a broad range of practice areas, including employment and labor law, governmental tort liability, Ohio Sunshine Laws, local government law, energy law and regulation, and non-profit law.

Her work includes defending employers in litigation, responding to Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) and Ohio Civil Rights Commission (OCRC) charges, and advising public and private employers on workplace policies, compliance, and best practices. Her practice also spans U.S. and Ohio Constitutional issues — including First, Second, Fourth, and Fourteenth Amendment claims — as well as the Open Meetings Act, Public Records Act, and matters involving municipal, county, and quasi-governmental entities. Ami's combination of courtroom skill and policy fluency enables her to deliver both strategic litigation and proactive guidance, identifying legal risks before they escalate and helping clients achieve optimal outcomes.

Ami also has significant experience in appellate work, including before Ohio appellate courts, the Ohio Supreme Court, the Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals, and the Supreme Court of the United States.

Bar Admissions

- 2014, Ohio
- Supreme Court of the United States
- United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit
- United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio
- United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio

Education

- **Cleveland-Marshall College of Law** (J.D., magna cum laude, 2014)
- **Malone University** (B.A, cum laude, 2009)

Organizations

- Member, Northern Ohio Italian American Foundation – Cultural Committee
- Steering Committee, Defense Research Institute (DRI), Civil Rights & Government Liability & Appellate Skills subcommittees
 - Chair, Partnering with Industry Subcommittee
- FDCC Ladder Down Cleveland, Class of 2020

Honors

- Rising Star, Super Lawyers®, 2023, 2024
- Service-Before-Self Award, 2013
- Outstanding Editor of the Year, Journal of Law & Health

Certifications

- Board certified in Civil Practice Advocacy by the [National Board of Trial Advocacy](#)



Community

- Magistrate, Willoughby Municipal Court (part time)
- Former Volunteer Magistrate, Garfield Heights Municipal Court
- Member, Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association, Reach Out for Nonprofits Committee

Presentations & Thought Leadership

- FMLA and ADA Basics, Firm Clients throughout 2024
- Turning the Tables: Minimizing Risk in Government Litigation, Ohio Municipal Attorneys Association, 2023
- Parks & Rec: Public Recreation Liability & Immunity, NEO Law Directors Association, 2023 & 2024
- "Feeling Vexed: How Officials Can Respond to Harassing Litigators", Cities & Villages Magazine, 2022
- Section 1983 Litigation Duties & Indemnity, NEO Law Directors Association, 2019
- "SCOTUS Goes Digital: Carpenter v. United States", CMBA Journal, 2018
- Employment Law Overview, Independent Electrical Contractors, 2017 & 2018
- Digital Evidence in Court, Municipal Court CLE, 2017
- Fourth & Fifth Amendment Updates, CMBA & Ohio Mayor's Courts, 2014-2016
- "Changing Roles: Transgender Law in Ohio", CMBA Journal, 2016
- "The Changing Face of Gender Discrimination", For the Defense, 2016
- Contributor, Ohio Driver's License Suspensions and Restatement Handbook
- Co-Author, OVI Handbook