

## Press Release

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### **Freeborn & Peters LLP Moves Up “Best of Best” List for Commercial Real Estate Law**

**CHICAGO – (September 28, 2016)** – Freeborn & Peters LLP is proud to be named again to Midwest Real Estate News’ list of best law firms for real estate, moving up in the rankings in 2016 to the 13<sup>th</sup> best of the 36 law firms named. In 2015, Freeborn & Peters was named 18<sup>th</sup> on the list.

Each year, Midwest Real Estate News issues its “Best of the Best” edition, naming the top regional law firms, owners, financial intermediaries, brokers, property managers, direct lenders and construction companies. The complete issue can be read at [www.rejournals.com](http://www.rejournals.com).

“The Freeborn & Peters Real Estate Practice Group has stayed busy through tumultuous times in the real estate market by focusing on the needs of its clients and trends in the real estate industry,” said Richard J. Traub, partner and co-chair of Freeborn & Peters Real Estate Practice Group. “While our development practice remains steady, our attorneys have been engaged in the purchase and sale of core assets in all real estate classes and have established valued relationships with capital sources.”

Freeborn intentionally built its Real Estate Group so that its attorneys had special knowledge and working relationships in the various areas of the law which are demanded in today’s market. Each attorney focuses on a major asset class and builds relationships with the market members of each class. Freeborn’s strong collegial atmosphere allows its attorneys to service its clients in an effective and efficient manner.

The Real Estate Group at Freeborn includes some of the most experienced and highly regarded experts from national and boutique law firms, as well as successful professionals from all areas of the real estate industry. Among the ranks are former developers, city planners, accountants, business owners and general counsel. The group works locally, regionally and nationally, providing timely, thorough and smart counsel to help clients make the most of their real estate assets. Clients are offered the full spectrum of real estate-related legal services:

- Acquisition, Disposition and Asset Management
- Construction Services
- Development
- Environmental Regulation
- Fund Formation
- Land Use and Zoning
- Leasing
- Like-kind Exchanges
- Litigation and Dispute Resolution
- Management, Brokerage and Other Real Estate Consultancies

- Partnership and Other Entity Structure and Formation
- Real Estate Finance
- Renewable Energy
- Tax Planning for Real Estate Transactions
- Tenant and Corporate Real Estate
- Tenant in Common Structures
- TIC Workouts

To learn more about the Freeborn & Peters Real Estate Practice Group visit <http://www.freeborn.com/practice-area/real-estate>.

For additional information or to arrange interviews contact:

Kate Patterson  
Freeborn & Peters LLP  
kpatterson@freeborn.com  
o: 312-360-6478

#### **ABOUT FREEBORN & PETERS**

Freeborn & Peters LLP is a full-service law firm, headquartered in Chicago, with international capabilities. Freeborn is always looking ahead and seeking to find better ways to serve its clients. It takes a proactive approach to ensure its clients are more informed, prepared and able to achieve greater success – not just now, but also in the future. While the firm serves clients across a very broad range of sectors, it has also pioneered an interdisciplinary approach that serves the specific needs of targeted industries, including credit unions, food, healthcare, transportation, private equity and venture capital, and insurance and reinsurance.

Freeborn is a firm that genuinely lives up to its core values of integrity, caring, effectiveness, teamwork, and commitment, and embodies them through high standards of client service and responsive action. Its lawyers build close and lasting relationships with clients and are driven to help them achieve their legal and business objectives.

For more information, please visit [www.freeborn.com](http://www.freeborn.com).

###