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> Thurgood Marshall once said "Mere access to the courthouse doors does not by itself assure a proper functioning of the adversary process". That tenant is what led Anthony Fantauzzi to leave behind the representation of Fortune 500 corporations to focus on the representation of small business by founding The Fantauzzi Law Firm. Anthony brings affordable legal support to small business owners with the pedigree of a large corporate lawyer, including an "AV" Preeminent® Peer Review Rating™ by Martindale-Hubbell®, a "Rising Star" designation by Super Lawyers magazine, and selections as one of Florida's "Legal Elite" by Florida Trend magazine in 2010, and "Tampa's Top Rated Lawyers"™ by Legal Leaders™ in 2013.

But what Anthony is most proud of is his 10.0 Superb rating by AVVO and the positive reviews left there by his former clients. "Although I appreciate when other lawyers and judges validate my abilities, it's the confirmation from my clients that fuels me." A former college football athlete with a commanding physical presence, it is the representation of the individual and small business "little guy" which is his passion. "I have always rooted for the underdog. I strongly believe that everyone has a right to equally competent and skilled representation regardless of financial means. My paternal grandfather was a physician and he preached that he was a healer first and a businessman second. I feel the same way about my own clients and I feel truly honored when someone comes to me asking for help with their legal problems".

In addition to his commercial and business litigation practice, Anthony also represents individuals who have suffered traumatic brain injuries or been involved in an accident with large commercial vehicle or trucks. Having previously represented a

number of large commercial carriers and corporations with commercial fleets, Anthony's experience with trucking companies helps navigate the numerous rules and regulations to which trucking companies must adhere. Combining this with his background experience with head and brain trauma development and diagnosis, has resulted in his lifetime admission to the Million Dollar Advocates Forum®.

This passion for helping others is seen in his dedication to community involvement. In addition to the monthly pro bono legal clinic conducted through his firm, Anthony has been heavily involved with Bar leadership. Anthony is a former President of the Hillsborough County Bar Association Young Lawyers Division and an Officer on the Hillsborough County Bar Association Board of Directors. He also previously served as a member of the Florida Bar Grievance Committee finishing his term as Committee Chair.

## Anthony's areas of practice include:

- Business and commercial disputes
- Business and commercial litigation
- Business torts, fraud, professional negligence
- Business consulting for legal risk management
- Healthcare transactions and litigation
- Individuals injured in truck accidents
- Individuals suffering from traumatic brain injuries
- Attorney ethical and grievance issues

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