

Felicia Kitzmiller Honored with the Environmental and Land Use Law Section of the Florida Bar's Stephens/Register Award

Tallahassee, FL – July 17, 2023 – Stearns Weaver Miller announced that [Land Development, Zoning & Environmental](#) attorney [Felicia Kitzmiller](#) has earned the Environmental and Land Use Law Section (“ELULS”) of the Florida Bar’s Stephens/Register Award. The honor, named after W. Daniel Stephens, III and William M. Register, is awarded to a non-officer member of the Executive Council who has provided consistent leadership and invaluable contribution to the Section.

Felicia has been involved with the Section for nearly five years, including previously serving on the Executive Council and currently as the Co-Editor of The Reporter, the Section’s newsletter. In addition to her involvement with ELULS, Felicia also serves on the Board of Directors for Tallahassee Women Lawyers and has previously held positions as Meetings Coordinator, Public Relations Director and Judicial Reception Director. She is also an active member of the Tallahassee Bar Association.

Felicia focuses her practice on all aspects of land development, and helping clients resolve multi-faceted issues through the administrative process, litigation, or legislation. She works on issues involving wetland and imperiled species permitting and compliance, along with real property issues regarding title analysis, easements, sovereign submerged lands authorizations and more. Felicia has particular experience in a variety of issues associated with mining and mineral extraction. Felicia believes the law should work for the people it governs and is a strategic and creative problem solver. Prior to pursuing her legal career, she was a newspaper journalist covering state and local government in Florida and South Carolina. That experience provides her unique insight to operations of governmental permitting and regulatory bodies. Felicia is recognized as a Rising Star in *Florida Super Lawyers* and on the Ones to Watch list for *The Best Lawyers in America*.

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