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Marshall launches law firm

PAWTUCKET — Marlene (Samra) Marshall, Esq., of Cumberland, recently partnered with Attorney Philip J. Laffey to form and launch Marshall & Laffey Ltd., based in Pawtucket. Marshall oversees residential and commercial real estate transactions, property development; land use, planning and zoning; landlord-tenant law; the formation, regulation and licensing of business entities; and estate planning in the form of wills, powers of attorney and health care proxies.

Prior to forming Marshall & Laffey, she was responsible for drafting and negotiating multi-

million-dollar agreements associated with residential and mixed-use projects and worked with individuals and small business owners as a senior associate with a Providence-based law firm.

Marshall is a 1995 graduate of Cumberland High School and earned her bachelor's degree in economics from Wheaton College in Norton, Mass. She received her juris doctor from Suffolk University Law School and a master's in finance from Suffolk University's Sawyer School of Management in 2003. She is licensed to practice in Rhode Island and Massachusetts.



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