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Twelve Lawyers Recognized as Best Lawyers® and Steve Cohen Wins Lawyer of the Year For the Second Time

Denver, Colorado –Twelve attorneys from Otten Johnson Robinson Neff + Ragonetti PC (Otten Johnson) have been recognized by Best Lawyers® for 2024. [Steve Cohen](#) received the special distinction of “Lawyer of the Year” for Business Organizations (including LLCs and Partnerships) in Denver for the second time. Only a single lawyer in each practice area and designated metropolitan area is honored as the “Lawyer of the Year,” making this accolade particularly significant.

These lawyers are selected based on recognition received during peer-review assessments conducted by Best Lawyers®. This designation reflects the reputation a lawyer has earned among other leading lawyers in the same communities and the same practice areas for their abilities, their professionalism, and their integrity. Individual recognition was bestowed upon the following attorneys:

[Munsey L. Ayers](#) (2010) – Land Use and Zoning Law; Litigation – Land Use and Zoning

[Steve Cohen](#) (2017) – Business Organizations (including LLCs and Partnerships); Real Estate Law

[Julie E. Gifford](#) (2020) – Real Estate Law

[Amanda Smith Greenberg](#) (2024) – Real Estate Law

[Emily A. Hippen](#) (2023) – Real Estate Law

[Bill E. Kyriagis](#) (2022) – Litigation – Real Estate

[J. Thomas Macdonald](#) (2009) – Litigation – Land Use and Zoning Law

[Kimberly A. Martin](#) (2019) – Economic Development Law; Land Use and Zoning

[Heather Meek](#) (2023) – Real Estate Law

[Thomas J. Ragonetti](#) (2006) – Land Use and Zoning Law; Real Estate Law

[Christopher T. Toll](#) (2019) – Real Estate Law

[Michael Westover](#) (2011) – Real Estate Law

(Year) First year the lawyer was listed in the published practice area.

Best Lawyers in America: Ones to Watch (2024 Edition)

[Allison P. Altaras](#) (2022) – Real Estate Law

[Matthew Bender](#) (2024) – Corporate Law

[Chelsea C. Brune](#) (2022) – Real Estate Law

[Andrew L.W. Peters](#) (2022) – Land Use and Zoning Law

[Cory Rutz](#) (2022) – Land Use and Zoning Law; Real Estate Law

ABOUT OTTEN JOHNSON:

Otten Johnson is a leading commercial law firm in Colorado, highly regarded for its real estate and land use practices. Our attorneys work with clients in a wide array of industries, with a particular emphasis on finding real world, business-minded solutions. In the real estate industry, Otten Johnson's clients include owners, developers, builders, investors, banks and financial institutions, commercial tenants, managers and brokers, whether in the multifamily, residential subdivision, office, retail, hotel and resort, mixed use, or industrial sectors. The firm provides legal services related to real estate and business transactions, financing, land use and entitlement matters, urban renewal and other public/private partnerships, mergers and acquisitions, eminent domain, regulatory compliance, workouts, restructuring, bankruptcy, and commercial litigation. For more information about Otten Johnson Robinson Neff + Ragonetti PC, please contact us at marketing@ottenjohnson.com or visit our website: www.ottenjohnson.com.

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