



2024 Ones to Watch Industry Leaders: Jesse Hiney, Forchelli Deegan Terrana LLP

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Jesse Hiney
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“Jesse is incredibly knowledgeable in his field, but it’s his ability to effectively communicate and navigate complex situations in a thoughtful and strategic way that sets him apart. He has become an invaluable member of our team for all our firm’s environmental law matters.” - Will Kogel, Vice President at Brent Mako.

In the last 12 months what accomplishment are you most proud of? Being entrusted to provide counsel and advice to achieve client goals is an immense responsibility. It’s always rewarding when a client is recommended by a friend or colleague. Last year, I provided advice as part of a transaction, resolving an issue with the sale of a client’s environmentally-compromised site. Recently, purchaser’s counsel from the earlier transaction, recommended me to one of his clients. I take great pride in opposing counsel’s recognition and endorsement.

Best advice for new leaders: Understand your strengths and weaknesses. Be trustworthy. Be accountable.