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Dilworth Paxson's tax attorneys focus on tax planning and tax controversy. Members of our group assist with federal, state and local tax planning issues including mergers and acquisitions; partnerships; pension and employee benefits; tax insurance underwriting; Chapter 11; real estate and other investment syndications. We also focus on estate disputes; gift tax disputes; corporation income tax; individual income tax and insolvencies.

### Related Lawyers

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A unique resource of Dilworth Paxson's Tax Group is that many of its lawyers have experience in tax controversy work, having served as trial lawyers at the IRS or the U.S. Department of Justice. These lawyers have represented many of the firm's clients in complex tax litigation and administrative settlements involving a wide range of tax controversy resolution. While the Tax Group lawyers occasionally draw upon the firm's Litigation Department for support, all tax litigation is handled by a tax lawyer, providing both tax litigation experience and technical acumen.

Dilworth Paxson's tax group has experience with the following tax matters:

- Tax controversy at the federal, state, and local level
- Estate tax disputes
- Gift tax disputes
- Corporation/individual income tax
- Insolvencies
- Complex civil and criminal tax litigation
- Tax-exempt financing

### NEWS / EVENTS

#### Press Releases

- Allentown Financings Win Bond Buyer Northeast Deal of the Year
- Dilworth Attorneys Named 2016 Pennsylvania Super Lawyers And Rising Stars
- Dilworth's Matthew Whitehorn Appointed Chair of Internal Revenue Service's Advisory Committee

#### E-Alerts

- Supreme Court Requires FICA Withholding for Certain Severance Payments in Quality Stores Ruling

- ACA Update: Why Your Company Should Be Tracking Employees' Hours Now
- Retirement Plan Amendments May Be Required To Reflect Supreme Court's Holding in Windsor Regarding Same-Sex Marriages
- Dilworth Paxson's Jennifer Cordes Writes Tax Appeal Bulletin Titled "Is a Property Tax Appeal the Correct Decision for You?"
- Dilworth's Matthew I. Whitehorn To Receive Award For Public Service From Villanova Law School Alumni Association
- Seminar on November 7 — "Preparing for 2018: What Employers Need to Know"
- Struck it Rich With Bitcoin? Don't Forget to Tell (And Pay) Uncle Sam
- Tax Reform Update
- New Mortality Table For Defined Benefit Plans
- Association Health Plan (AHP) Update
- Pennsylvania Businesses Subject to the New 1099-MISC Withholding Tax Requirements for Payments to Certain Out-of-State Contractors and Lessors
- Dilworth Paxson's Matthew Whitehorn and Stephanie Searles Vogel to Present Penjerdel Employee Benefits and Compensation Association's "2018 Retirement Boot Camp" on May 17
- SCOTUS Hands Down Landmark State Sales Tax Case: No More Physical Presence Standard
- Dilworth Paxson Tax Attorney Stephanie Searles Vogel on "What to Know About Trust Fund Taxes" in Super Lawyers Magazine
- Join Dilworth Paxson's Tax Group for a Seminar in Princeton, NJ on August 23: "Understanding the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act"
- IRS CURTAILS STATES' CONTINUED FIGHT FOLLOWING TAX REFORM: PER IRS LAST DAY FOR CONTRIBUTIONS IS TODAY.
- Join Dilworth Paxson & Citrin Cooperman for a Seminar on December 12: "Business Planning & Tax Reform Changes - Understanding The Impact to You & Your Business"