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Dallas Bar Association

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Robert Tobey Elected Dallas Bar Association President

The **Dallas Bar Association** (DBA), a 147-year-old professional, voluntary organization comprised of more than 11,000 lawyers in the DFW Metroplex, recently elected its incoming Board. **Robert Tobey**, of Johnston Tobey Baruch, P.C., will lead the association in 2020. He was sworn in as the 111th President of the DBA on January 11, 2020.

Mr. Tobey began his service on the DBA Board of Directors in 2012. He was later elected Chair of the Board in 2016. In addition, Mr. Tobey was the Co-Chair of the 2014-2015 *Equal Access to Justice Campaign*. He has served as Chair and Board Advisor to various DBA Committee and Sections and also serves as Chair of the Advisory Board of the Greater Dallas Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association.

Mr. Tobey has been featured by *Texas Monthly* as one of the Top 100 Attorneys in Texas, listed as a Texas Super Lawyer, *Texas Best Lawyers*, and in *D Magazine's* Best Lawyers in Dallas.

Other officers serving on the Board are as follows: President-Elect— **Aaron Tobin**, of Condon Tobin Sladek Thornton; First Vice President— **Karen McCloud**, of Karen D. McCloud, P.C.; Second Vice President—**Cheryl Camin Murray**, of Katten Muchin Rosenman; Secretary/Treasurer—**Monica Lira Bravo**, of Lira Bravo Law, PLLC.; and Immediate Past President—**Laura Benitez Geisler**, of Sommerman, McCaffity, Quesada & Geisler, L.L.P.

Directors serving on the Board include: **Vicki D. Blanton**, AT&T; **Rob Cañas, Jr.**, Lisa E. McKnight, P.C.; **Jonathan Childers**, Lynn Pinker Cox & Hurst; **Stephanie Gause Culpepper**, ORIX USA Corp, Dallas Women Lawyers Association President; **Rocio Garcia Espinoza**, Rosewood Property Company; **Isaac Faz**, Dallas County Community College District, Dallas Hispanic Bar Association President; **Sakina Rasheed Foster**, Haynes and Boone, LLP; **Justin Gobert**, Education Futures Group, LLC, Dallas Association of Young Lawyers President; Hon. **Martin Hoffman**, 68th District Court; **Krisi Kastl**, Kastl Law, P.C.; **Kathleen Kilanowski**, Cagle Carpenter Hazelwood; **Bill Mateja**, Sheppard Mullin Richter & Hampton LLP; Hon. **Audrey Moorehead**, County Criminal Court 3; **Lindsey Rames**, Rames Law Firm, P.C.; **Mary Scott**, LeBoeuf Law PLLC; **Andrew Spaniol**, Howard & Spaniol, PLLC, Dallas Asian American Bar Association President; **KoiEles (Koi) Spurlock**, Parkland Health & Hospital System, J.L. Turner Legal Association President; and **Amy M. Stewart**, Stewart Law Group PLLC.

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