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PROFESSIONAL OVERVIEW

Jerry W. Conaty is a Partner in HFA's Government Assurance & Attestation Department, and serves as the firm's Secretary. HFA is a regional certified public accounting firm of over 75 professionals serving the New Jersey, New York, and Pennsylvania markets.

Mr. Conaty has over 20 years of experience in serving diverse sectors, including governmental entities, construction and real estate developers, not-for-profit organizations, and a variety of other industries.

He holds memberships in prestigious professional organizations, including the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA), the New Jersey Society of Certified Public Accountants (NJCPA), and the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners (ACFE). Mr. Conaty currently holds the positions of Chairperson for the NJCPA Governmental Accounting and Auditing Interest Group and Treasurer of the Monmouth/Ocean Chapter of the NJCPA.

Outside of the office, Mr. Conaty believes strongly in giving back to the community. He currently serves on the Board of Trustees of the Count Basie Center for the Arts whose mission is to inspire, educate and entertain through its distinct and engaging cultural and artistic offering that reflect the diversity of the region.

He also serves as Treasurer for the CSM Gallagher Charitable Foundation, an organization established to further the benevolent ideologies and leadership espoused by Mr. Conaty's late uncle, Command Sergeant Major Robert Gallagher.

Mr. Conaty earned a Bachelor of Science in Accounting from Ramapo College of New Jersey and then went on to earn a Master of Accounting and Professional Consultancy from Villanova University.

PUBLICATIONS

New Jersey Certified Public Accountants, "Six Reasons Why Your Organization Needs an Anti-Fraud Hotline."

New Jersey Certified Public Accountants, "Are You Getting The Most Out of Your Audits?"

HONORS & ACHIEVEMENTS

NJCPA Ovation Award 2023 Impact