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PRACTICE AREAS

- Civil Rights
- Civil Litigation
- Appeals
- White Collar Defense & Investigations
- Political and Election Law
- Sexual Abuse Attorneys
- Commercial Litigation
- Real Estate Law
- Real Estate Litigation

Ms. Marion is an experienced trial attorney who has obtained successful and significant results for her clients. Beginning her career in the Criminal Defense Division of New York City's Legal Aid Society, Ms. Marion obtained numerous acquittals in what Court TV reported as unwinnable cases. To this day, she continues to defend serious felony offenses and related civil litigation. Ms. Marion also focuses her practice on false arrests, malicious prosecutions, employment discrimination, fair housing violations, voting rights, First Amendment torts, sexual assault, harassment, and religious corporation disputes.

Ms. Marion has obtained multi-million-dollar settlements in wrongful conviction cases; successfully tried and defended one of the state's first Child Victims Act trials; and has successfully established actual innocence in litigation brought pursuant to Criminal Procedure Law § 440.

Ms. Marion is a Commissioner for New York State's Commission on Prosecutorial Conduct. She serves on the legislative committee of the New York State Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers and is a past president of the Nassau County Criminal Courts Bar Association.

Ms. Marion is admitted to practice in New York State, the United States Second Circuit Court of Appeals, and the United States District Court for the Eastern and Southern Districts of New York.

Featured cases successfully litigated by Ms. Marion include the following:

Suffolk County Lawsuit Settlements Top $29 Million

https://www.newsday.com/long-island/politics/suffolk-police-settlement-payments-bmf8jh3u

Ex-Suffolk County police Chief James Burke accused of covering up revenge beating

https://www.courtlistener.com/docket/7986849/loeb-v-burke/

https://www.cbsnews.com/newyork/news/lawsuit-claims-suffolk-police-chief-beat-suspect-while-chained-to-floor/

Victim of the Empire State building shooting case

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2012_Empire_State_Building_shooting

Jail sexual assault case

https://www.longislandpress.com/2013/10/21/woman-sues-nassau-cop-for-alleged-sex-abuse/

Woman on Upper West Side calls 911 – and gets arrested

https://abc7ny.com/post/woman-calls-911-for-husbands-heart-emergency-gets-arrested/119668/

Man acquitted of criminal charges files lawsuit claiming Nassau law enforcement violated civil rights

https://www.newsday.com/long-island/nassau/man-accused-of-assault-resisting-cleared-as-cops-actions-put-on-trial-v95594

Mom sues Long Island police for shooting her unarmed son in his bedroom

https://www.irishcentral.com/news/mom-sues-long-island-police-for-shooting-her-unarmed-son-in-his-bedroom-159239865-237510941

https://www.newsday.com/long-island/suffolk/kevin-callahan-police-shooting-trial-wraps-up-p06212

Former soccer coach Nick Hillary has filed an intent to sue St. Lawrence County and the village of Potsdam for malicious prosecution.

https://www.northcountrypublicradio.org/news/story/33172/20170104/nick-hillary-moves-to-sue-slc-potsdam-and-48-individuals

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https://www.nydailynews.com/2014/07/12/long-island-man-20-beaten-by-cops-in-april-suffers-physical-pain-emotional-damage/

BAR ADMISSIONS

- New York State Bar Association
  - New York State Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers
    - Legislative Committee
  - Nassau County Criminal Courts Bar Association Foundation
    - Past President, Member
  - Federal Bar Council
    - Member

EDUCATION

- Hofstra University School of Law, Juris Doctorate
  - Honors: Inns of Court Scholarship Recipient
- University of Massachusetts, Amherst Massachusetts, Bachelor of Arts, Social Thought and Political Economics

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Long Island Business News Power 25 in Law List 2022
- New York Metro Super Lawyers – 2013 through 2025
- Top Women Attorneys in Metro New York – 2015, 2016, 2017
- The National Trial Lawyers Top 100 Lawyers – 2014

PUBLICATIONS

- Attacking the Introduction of Child Sexual Abuse Accommodation Syndrome Testimony (New York State Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, Atticus, Volume 25 Number 2, Summer 2013)
- Reasonableness: Has It Withstood the Test of Time? (New York Law Journal, Outside Counsel, September 12, 2013)
- Prison Reform: A Tug-of-War Between Business and Humanity (TheLaw.TV, October 9, 2013)
- How To Retain An Attorney (TheLaw.TV, 2013)
- Decisions and cases published in The New York Law Journal, The Wall Street Journal, The New York Times, Newsday, The Daily News, and The Associated Press.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS

- Brooklyn Democratic Party
  - Co-Law Chair
- New York State Association of Criminal Defense
  - Legislative Committee
- Nassau County Criminal Courts Bar Association Foundation
  - Past President, Member
- Nassau County Bar Association
  - Member
- Committee for a Sustainable Waterfront
  - Founding Member and Counsel
- Sea Cliff Open Government
  - Founding Member and Counsel
- Hempstead Harbor Democratic Club
  - Founding Member
- Nassau County Bar Association's Judiciary Committee
  - Member
- Federal Bar Council
  - Member
- Queens County Bar Association
  - Member
- Nassau County Women's Bar Association
  - Member

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

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FEATURED PUBLICATIONS

- **Abrams Fensterman Secures $10 Million Appellate Victory**
  https://www.abramslaw.com/media/notable-cases/abrams-fensterman-secures-10-million-appellate-victory

- **40 Abrams Fensterman Attorneys Named in 2025 New York Super Lawyers**
  https://www.abramslaw.com/media/awards/40-abrams-fensterman-attorneys-named-in-2025-new-york-super-lawyers
- **Amy Marion Secures Multi-Million Dollar Settlement for Client Wrongfully Convicted Due to Prosecutorial Misconduct**
  https://www.abramslaw.com/media/news/amy-marion-client-suffolk-lawsuit-settlement-29-million
- **Abrams Fensterman Secures Trial Victory for 10 Real Estate Entities Following Seven-Year Litigation** — 06/16/2026
  https://www.abramslaw.com/media/announcements/abrams-fensterman-secures-trial-victory-for-10-real-estate-entities-following-seven-year-litigation
- **New York Voting Rights Act Settlements: Newburgh and Mount Pleasant** — 03/13/2026
  https://www.abramslaw.com/media/announcements/new-york-voting-rights-act-settlements-newburgh-and-mount-pleasant
- **Mount Pleasant Voting Rights Case Featured in The New York Times** — 03/12/2026
  https://www.abramslaw.com/media/news/mount-pleasant-voting-rights-case-featured-in-the-new-york-times
- **Mount Pleasant to Adopt District-Based Elections in NY Voting Rights Act Settlement** — 03/11/2026
  https://www.abramslaw.com/media/announcements/mount-pleasant-to-adopt-district-based-elections-in-ny-voting-rights-act-settlement
- **Newburgh Adopts Ranked Choice Voting After NYVRA Lawsuit** — 02/27/2026
  https://www.abramslaw.com/media/announcements/newburgh-adopts-ranked-choice-voting-after-nyvra-lawsuit-abrams
- **33 Abrams Fensterman Attorneys Recognized on 2024 New York Metro Super Lawyers® and Rising Stars Lists** — 10/23/2024
  https://www.abramslaw.com/media/awards/33-abrams-fensterman-attorneys-recognized-on-2024-new-york-metro-super-lawyers-and-rising-stars-lists
- **Newsday Features Attorney Amy B. Marion in High-Profile Defamation Lawsuit** — 12/08/2023
  https://www.abramslaw.com/media/news/newsday-features-attorney-amy-b-marion-in-high-profile-defamation-lawsuit
- **Amy Marion Named to Long Island Business News' Power 25 Law List** — 03/31/2022
  https://lawnews.hofstra.edu/2022/03/31/hofstra-law-dean-and-alumni-named-2022-libn-power-25-law/
- **Abrams Fensterman, LLP Wins Defense Verdict for Article 10 Religious Corporation** — 06/10/2021
  https://www.abramslaw.com/media/announcements/client-alert-abrams-fensterman-wins-defense-verdict-for-article-10-religious-corporation
- **CLIENT ALERT: Abrams Fensterman, LLP Wins Summary Judgment for Plaintiff in Overtime Lawsuit** — 04/24/2021
  https://www.abramslaw.com/media/announcements/client-alert-abrams-fensterman-wins-summary-judgment-for-plaintiff-in-overtime-lawsuit
- **Congratulations to Our 2020 Super Lawyers & Rising Stars** — 11/30/2020
  https://www.abramslaw.com/media/announcements/congratulations-to-our-2020-super-lawyers-rising-stars