

MEN OF INFLUENCE

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THE MISSION

For Robert Miller, competition has always been second nature. That drive made his career at Wapner Newman feel like home from the start—the first and only firm of his career. Plaintiff's personal injury gave him a clear purpose, allowing him to use his voice to stand up for people and families in moments when they needed it most. The firm has set the same goal every year: to forge ahead. That means improving, staying relevant and standing out in a competitive industry, while always honoring the values and traditions on which Wapner Newman was built.

THE CHALLENGE

Wapner Newman has long carried a reputation for forward thinking. Many in Philadelphia remember it as one of the first firms to embrace advertising. Miller works to keep that tradition alive by ensuring the firm adapts to new technologies and changing demands, always looking for ways to elevate its work without losing sight of its roots.

THE PIVOT

Staying ahead of the curve, Miller says, comes down to conversations with the team. The lawyers at Wapner Newman bring a wide range of strengths, and while he strives to support them, he finds equal value in what he learns from them. That exchange keeps the firm strong. As the third managing partner in nearly 50 years, he also draws guidance from the leaders who came before him. He remains close with founder Robert A. Newman and past managing partner Marc G. Brecher, both of whom he considers mentors and giants in the Philadelphia legal field.

THE VICTORY

Miller sees this as a pivotal time for the firm. With outstanding lawyers and meaningful cases, the goal remains clear: give clients the voice they deserve while helping them through challenges with care. For him, the victory is in the trust that brings clients back again.

