### AMANDA CORSENTINO HAMES, B.A., MPA, J.D.

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## **LAND USE LAW**

#### Researcher for Michael Sheehan, Esq., Scappoose, Oregon

• Land Use Litigation Research.

#### Legal Intern, City of St. Petersburg Legal Department

- Land Use and Building Code research and analysis.
- Land Use Policy Analyst for city boards and councils.

### **MUNICIPAL LAW**

### Legislative Aide, Hillsborough County Board of County Commissioners

- Public Affairs Liaison to County Commissioner
- Neighborhood Meeting Leader for County Commissioner.
- Housing Policy Analysis on behalf of County Commissioner.

#### Urban Planner Intern, City of Tampa Economic Development Department

- Urban Redevelopment Program Analyst.
- Geographic Information Systems Interpreter.

# **APPELLATE LAW**

# Appellate Intern, 6th Judicial Circuit Court of Florida

- Appellate Panel advisor.
- Court Memorandum and Order Writing.

### Moot Court Board Member, Stetson University College of Law

• National moot court brief writing and competition.

### **ADVOCACY**

### Moot Court Board Member, Stetson University College of Law

• National moot court competition oral advocate.

### Guardian Ad Litem, Voices for Children of Hillsborough County, Florida

• Court advocate for abused children.

## **EDUCATION**

#### Stetson University College of Law, Gulfport, FL

*Juris Doctor,* May 2012 GPA: 3.181, Top 42%

- Awards: Stetson University Law Opportunity Scholarship
- Memberships: Oregon Women Lawyers, Oregon Hispanic Bar Association
- Relevant Coursework: Administrative Law; Legislation; Water Law; Construction Law; Land Use Law; Federal Income Tax; Research & Writing; Advanced Legal Research

#### University of South Florida, Tampa, FL

Master of Public Administration, with Honors May 2007, GPA: 3.84

- Awards: USF Successful Latina Award, USF Graduate Fellowship
- Relevant Coursework: Policy Analysis, Implementation, and Program Evaluation; Political Economy for Public Managers; Human Resources Management; Public Administration Theory & Practice; Public Budgeting; Quantitative Aids for Public Managers; Ethics in Public Administration; Geographic Informational Systems; Community Development Strategies

#### University of South Florida, Tampa, FL

Bachelor of Arts in Political Science, Summa Cum Laude May 2005, GPA: 3.98

#### **VOLUNTEER WORK**

East Tampa Community Revitalization Partnership Corporation to Develop Communities of Tampa, Inc. Crochet Guild of America

#### **LANGUAGE**

Conversational Spanish; ability to read and write in Spanish.

#### OTHER SKILLS

LexisNexis-Certified; Westlaw-Certified; Versus Law; FastCase; HeinOnline; Microsoft Office