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Carol has been an attorney for 38 years. She is AV-rated and a 2015 Southern California Super Lawyer. After having her own law firm for 18 years, she became a partner in the law firm of Alleguez & Newman, LLP in 2012. Her practice focuses on real estate litigation, business litigation, and legal issues relating to unmarried couples ("palimony" or "*Marvin*" cases). She began practicing law as an antitrust prosecutor in the United States Department of Justice in 1977, and spent 3 years in that position before going into the private sector. Before opening her own law firm in 1994, she was a partner in two law firms, Rosen, Wachtell and Gilbert and the national law firm Keck, Mahin & Cate.

Carol is currently the President-Elect of the San Fernando Valley Bar Association and a member of the Lake Balboa Neighborhood Council. She is also a former board member of Commercial Real Estate Women (CREW)-LA and California Women Lawyers. She was the first president of the Los Angeles City Board of Taxicab Commissioners and vice president of the Los Angeles City Board of Transportation Commissioners during the term of Mayor Richard Riordan. She ran for Attorney General of the State of California in 1986.

Carol is a summa cum laude graduate of Brown University, class of 1971, with a BA and MA in English and American Literature, and a graduate of George Washington University Law School, class of 1977, where she was awarded the Order of the Coif and was an editor of the Law Review. She also attended Harvard Law School.