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Shumaker Attorney James E. Fanto Graduates from Leadership Sarasota

SARASOTA, FL– James E. Fanto, an associate in Shumaker’s Litigation & Disputes Service Line, has graduated from Leadership Sarasota, a foremost community leadership program hosted by the Greater Sarasota Chamber of Commerce.

Graduating from Leadership Sarasota places James among an accomplished group of professionals dedicated to driving meaningful change in the Sarasota community. His participation reflects Shumaker’s ongoing commitment to leadership, professional growth, and community involvement.

“Leadership Sarasota cultivates a deep understanding of the region’s challenges and opportunities, and we’re proud to see James contribute to that dialogue while further developing his own leadership path,” said Jan Pitchford, Managing Partner of Shumaker’s Sarasota office.

James focuses his legal practice on representing large financial institutions and high-net-worth individuals in complex securities litigation and contractual covenant disputes. His ability to navigate high-stakes litigation with precision and strategy has made him a trusted advisor to sophisticated clients across Florida and beyond.

Leadership Sarasota aims to develop leadership skills while providing participants with an in-depth understanding of the issues facing the Sarasota region, fostering relationships with local leaders, and encouraging civic engagement.

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