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## NEUTRAL BIO

Hon. Thomas D. Atkinson is a New York State Magistrate, Lynbrook Village Justice in the 8th busiest village court in New York State. He also practices personal injury law, representing both plaintiffs and insurance companies and has had vast experience in commercial litigation, corporate finance and various areas in business law.

Practicing law for decades, Judge Atkinson has served in the capacity as Justice, Mediator and Arbitrator and has developed a reputation for understanding and tending to the needs of his clients. With his dispute resolution experience, he has instituted many new programs in the courts to help a wide range of underrepresented individuals. He is passionate about his work as a mediator and arbitrator and believes that building trust is the cornerstone to successful mediation.

### EXPERTISE

- Personal Injury
- Medical Malpractice
- Wrongful Death
- Product Liability
- Tax Certiorari
- Commercial Disputes
- Corporate Finance
- Securities
- M & A

### LOCATION

NY Metro

### JUDICIAL/LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Village Justice, Lynbrook, New York (2015 – Present)  
Partner, Ledwith & Atkinson, Lynbrook, New York (2006 – Present)  
Shaub, Ahmuty, Citrin and Spratt, LLP, Lake Success New York (2002 – 2006)  
Giordano, Halleran and Ciesla, LLP, Middletown, New Jersey

### EDUCATION

Rutgers University of Law, J.D. (1998)  
Villanova University, B.A. *cum laude* (1992)

### ADMISSIONS

New York State  
New Jersey State  
United States District Court: So. Dist. of NY, East. Dist. of NY, Dist. of New Jersey

### OTHER

Lynbrook Trustee (2011 – 2015)  
Counsel to the Lynbrook Chamber of Commerce  
Our Lady of Peace CYO Basketball Coach  
St. Raymonds CYO Swim Coach  
Lynbrook Titans Lacrosse Coach  
Our Lady of Peace Golf Outing Chairman

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