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## **Topsfield resident, Peabody attorney to serve as treasurer of the Massachusetts Bar Association**

BOSTON, Mass. — Topsfield resident Robert L. Holloway Jr. has been elected treasurer of the Massachusetts Bar Association for the 2009-10 year, beginning on Sept. 1. Holloway is a shareholder and president of MacLean, Holloway, Doherty, Ardiff & Morse PC in Peabody.

Holloway is a long-term member of the MBA's Ethics Committee, a member and past chair of the MBA's Civil Litigation Section Council and a former regional delegate to the MBA House of Delegates, the governing body of the MBA. Holloway also received the MBA's Community Service Award in 1993 and served on the Joint Bar Committee on Judicial Nominations for six years. Also, in August, Holloway began a three-year appointment to the Supreme Judicial Court's Standing Committee on Pro Bono Legal Services.

Holloway regularly volunteers as a judge for moot court arguments at Boston University School of Law and Harvard Law School and as a trial advisor in the Harvard Trial Workshop program. A regular panelist for continuing legal education programs, Holloway participates in MCLE's reoccurring "How To Try A Civil Case In Superior Court" program. Holloway is an emeritus member of the Board of Editors of *Massachusetts Lawyers Weekly*, having served on that board since 1981. Recognized by *Boston Magazine* as a "Super Lawyer" in the area of business litigation, Holloway is also a past president of the Essex County Bar Association.

He has served as a member of the Town of Topsfield Board of Health and as an elected representative to the Masconomet Regional School Committee from 1990 to 1999. For many years, Holloway was the director of the Topsfield Athletic Association and also served as the organization's president. Prior to that, he served as member and chair of the Danvers Recreation Committee. In addition, he was a founding member of Hospice of the North Shore and served for many years as a corporator of Beverly Hospital.

Holloway received his B.A. from Amherst College in 1968 and went on to earn his J.D. from Boston University School of Law in 1973.

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Alongside Holloway, the other 2009-10 MBA officers include: Valerie A. Yarashus, president, Boston; Denise Squillante, president-elect, Fall River; Richard P. Campbell, vice president, Boston; Douglas K. Sheff, vice president, Boston and Jeffrey N. Catalano, secretary, Boston.

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