

# Media Release

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## **Prominent Estate Planning Attorney Named Five Star Professional** *Anthony J. Madonia Recognized for Exceptional Service and Overall Satisfaction*

Chicago, IL (November 29, 2011) – [Anthony J. Madonia](#), president of [Anthony J. Madonia and Associates, Ltd.](#) has been recognized as a 2011 Five Star Wealth Manager. The winners appear in the November 2011 issue of [Chicago Magazine. Five Star Professional](#), a Minneapolis-based research firm, partnered with *Chicago Magazine* to conduct research to identify a select group of wealth managers who are exceptional in both their ability and their commitment to overall satisfaction. Fewer than two percent of the 34,000 wealth managers in the Chicagoland area were selected.

An attorney and CPA, Madonia works with clients to develop estate plans that provide for their short- and long-term goals and successfully preserve and transition wealth. Madonia is also committed to sharing his key learnings and best practices to raise the professional bar. He serves as Chair of the Asset Protection Committee of the [Chicago Bar Association](#), is an adjunct faculty at The John Marshall Law School, Immediate Past President of the Rotary – Chicago Financial Chapter, serves of the Planned Giving Committee of Catholic Charities and is a member of the Justinian Society of Lawyers.

“What drives my decision-making day to day is our clients and their family situations. Having a family of my own and experiencing our life challenges as well as that of our extended family and friends has helped me gain perspective and allowed me to help our clients protect their legacy. I am thrilled that our clients recognize the dedication and commitment that remains the hallmark of our firm.”

Madonia is a guest-speaker to business organizations interested providing insight on Estate Planning and Taxation. He is a contributing author for four books. His most recent book, *Being Business is a Funny Thing – Getting Out is Not!* was released in September 2011.

### **About Anthony J. Madonia & Associates, Ltd.**

Every small- to medium-sized business needs corporate counsel and taxation advice. They especially need support in times of exponential growth and during economic challenges. Anthony J. Madonia & Associates, Ltd., a law firm located in downtown Chicago, *provides the right direction* to privately-held business and their families. Practice areas include Corporate Law, Estate Planning, Family Office, and Taxation. For over 15 years, the firm has successfully supported clients with *The 360° Formula™* - a customized plan, attention to detail, implementation, and communication. For more information about Anthony J. Madonia & Associates, Ltd., call 312.578.9300 or visit [www.Madonia.com](#).



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