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## **Louis T. Lozano Named to Super Lawyers**

*Long-time Attorney and Educator Receives Seventh Consecutive Super Lawyer Honor*

**Monterey, Calif., (July 19, 2012)** – Louis T. Lozano, respected education attorney practicing in Monterey County, has been named by California *Super Lawyers* magazine as one of the top attorneys in California for 2012. This is the seventh consecutive year that Mr. Lozano has received this honor of being named a Northern California Super Lawyer. Only five percent of attorneys in the state receive this honor. Mr. Lozano was the only recipient of this prestigious recognition in Northern California practicing in the area of Schools and Education law.

Mr. Lozano's career began as a school teacher in the Oakland Unified School District. For more than 30 years he has been at the forefront of important legal issues in education law including school funding, land use and developer fees. He is best known for his labor negotiation skills and has resolved many serious labor disputes, avoiding costly strikes for his clients.

Regarding this honor, Mr. Lozano says "I have a strong passion and love for public education, which initially brought me to this area of law. It is extremely satisfying to help improve the quality of education for our communities by working closely with school board members and administrators."

Each year the research team at *Super Lawyers* undertakes a rigorous multi-phase selection process that includes a statewide survey of lawyers, independent evaluation of candidates by attorney-led research staff, a peer review of candidates by practice area, and a good-standing and disciplinary check.

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