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Lee English is a member of the Environmental, Municipal, Expropriation and Regulatory practice group. Lee practices administrative law and represents municipalities, businesses, and landowners.

Lee advises clients on matters related to planning and development law, expropriation law, and municipal law and appears before the Ontario Land Tribunal and the Toronto Local Appeal Body.

Insights & Events

- Author, "Ontario introduces Bill 17 to build homes, communities and transit infrastructure faster", BLG Article, May 2025
- Author, "Condition critical: Ontario Land Tribunal confirms limits of conditions on minor variance approvals", BLG Article, May 2025
- Author, "Re-writing Ontario's planning policies – proposed Provincial Planning Statement 2023 and Bill 97", BLG Article, April 2023
- Author, "Bill 23 in Ontario: the More Homes Built Faster Act, 2022 receives Royal Assent", BLG Article, December 2022
- Author, "Re-imagining how planning and development works in Ontario: the More Homes Built Faster Act, 2022", BLG Article, October 2022
- Author, "Inclusionary Zoning Framework approved in Toronto", BLG Article, November 2021

- Author, "Proposed land use guidelines have consequences for Ontario planning approvals", BLG Article, June 2021
- Author, "Minister's zoning orders come to the fore in a pandemic", BLG Article, November 2020

Beyond Our Walls

Professional Involvement

- Member, Canadian Bar Association
- Member, Ontario Bar Association

Awards & Recognition

- Recognized in the 2026 edition of *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch* (Municipal Law)
- Recognized in the 2027 edition (and since 2025) of *Chambers Canada* (Real Estate: Zoning/Land Use (Ontario)).

Bar Admission & Education

- Newfoundland and Labrador, 2016
- Ontario, 2018
- BEd., Memorial University of Newfoundland, 2008
- JD, University of New Brunswick, 2015
- BA, Memorial University of Newfoundland, 2007

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