



### **John Foley**

John is a native of Kerry and is a resident of Easton, CT. Married to Patricia from Co. Tyrone and Dad to Grace (15), Farah (13) and Joseph (10).

He is a graduate of Cork CIT where he studied Architecture. He is currently the Vice President at First Service Project Management in New York City, a subsidiary of First Service Residential, the largest property management company in North America.

John has been heavily involved in the Irish Community for many years and is well known for his time as Chairman of the Irish Open Golf tournament in Atlantic City New Jersey which has become the largest singles golf tournament for the Irish community in the tri-state area. He is a former "Irish Dance Dad" and travelled all over the country with his daughter Grace who was a member of the Fitzpatrick Irish Dance Academy in New York. He's an avid follower of the GAA and especially his former club of Laune Rangers, with which he played at every under-age level until he emigrated in 1995.

In his professional life, John focuses on the restoration and improvement of residential properties throughout the tri-state area. He is responsible for the design of many Irish bars and restaurants in New York City, including, The Beer Authority, The Penny Farthing, The Linen Hall and The Gem Saloon to name a few. His calm demeanor makes him a specialist in crisis management, and he has been recognized for emergency restoration work during Tropical Storm Sandy in Rockaway New York, and Hurricane Harvey in Texas.

**"I am honored to be considered for a position on the Board. I feel my experience in connecting with people, understanding needs, and forward thinking, allows me to provide valuable insight and service to the club and it's members."**

**- John D. Foley.**