

## **Richard Cummings III**

Columbia Economic Development Corporation Board of Directors

Richard Cummings III was elected to the Columbia Economic Development Corporation Board of Directors on January 29, 2019.

Richard Cummings III is Vice President of Mulhern Gas Co., Inc., a position he has held since 1990. He is the fourth generation of the 100 year old family business based in Hudson, NY. Prior to that, Cummings was a financial consultant with Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc. for four years.

Committed to community service, Cummings has served on several boards and committees including the Stuyvesant Town Board and Zoning Board of Appeals, and the Columbia County Agricultural Society. He was a member of the Stuyvesant Fire Company, having served as president for 7 years. Cummings is the current legislative committee chairman and former president of the New York Propane Gas Association. He is a member of the Ancient Order of Hibernianis and the Adirondack Forty-Sixers. Cummings holds a B.A. in Economics, Cum Laude from St. Lawrence University.