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Business Experience and High Standards Get Results

McDonald, McCann, Metcalf & Carwile Is Recognized for Business Savvy

Equally at home in the courtroom or the boardroom, McDonald, McCann, Metcalf & Carwile, LLP is a group of attorneys and counselors who understand the spirit of the entrepreneur and the complexities of business within the largest Fortune 500 companies to the smallest start-ups.

Rooted in Oklahoma with more than 175 years of combined experience among its 10 attorneys, the Firm has successfully litigated hundreds of cases, closed countless business deals, and has a long list of satisfied clients. Since the Firm's inception, it has been recognized among the top law firms in the country by *Best Lawyers in America*.

"To effectively advise business clients, a lawyer should understand the interplay between the business and litigation sides of a matter," says Gary McDonald. "We are adept at business transactions as well as litigation."

With extensive experience in business litigation and commercial transactions across a broad spectrum of industries, from construction and oil and gas to financial, retail and manufacturing, and real estate, the Firm has the breadth

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of knowledge to creatively solve problems for its commercial clients. The Firm's representation of its clients extends beyond Oklahoma, with appearances in Courts in 15 states over the past several years. The Firm also has a strong appellate practice, having successfully represented clients in arguments before the Third, Fifth, Seventh, Eighth and Tenth Circuit Courts of Appeals, as well as State Appellate Courts. Based on their knowledge and expertise, the Firm's attorneys are frequently hired by other law firms

and attorneys to serve as counsel as well as mediators and arbitrators in a variety of business disputes.

"We have a very strong commercial practice," says McDonald, "based upon our unique experience and judgment, and we're able to focus on client matters efficiently and collaboratively in a responsive and creative way."



Seated (left to right):

Mary E. Kindelt, Gary M. McDonald, Charlotte A. Muse. Standing: James P. McCann, John J. Carwile, William H. Spittler, Steven K. Metcalf, Chad J. Kutmas, Bethany N. Whitfield, Clayton J. Chamberlain.

The Firm's philosophy of service to its clients means that each interaction is unique and held to the highest standard of ethics and professionalism.

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"We love what we do," he adds. "We bring energy to our practice every day, and it shows in our work."



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