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EDUCATION AND CREDENTIALS

University Of Denver, J.D.

Georgetown University, B.S.F.S.

Order of St. Ives

Editor-in-Chief, Denver Law Journal (1973)

AFFILIATIONS

Colorado Bar Association (including former Chair of Business Law Section)

Denver Bar Association

Member of Colorado Secretary of State's Advisory Committee for Corporate and Uniform Commercial Code

Former Chair, Financial Institutions Subsection of Colorado Bar Association

City Council Member, City of Cherry Hills Village, 1994 to 2002 (elective office)

Denver Regional Council of Governments, past Director

BIO

Ned is a general business lawyer who handles complex business, banking and real estate matters, and documentation of large loan transactions. He structures mergers, acquisitions and dispositions. In connection with this structuring, he counsels clients on the most appropriate type of entity to be used, and prepares the formation and governance documents for the chosen entity.

He provides legal counsel to Colorado financial institutions and often provides special representation for out-of-state lenders engaging in business in Colorado. He serves as Colorado counsel for very large lending transactions involving assets located in Colorado, and frequently provides lender legal opinions in connection with these transactions. His financial industry expertise covers the full spectrum from loan documentation, operational and regulatory issues, consumer lending issues, asset-based lending, problem loan resolution, acquisitions and dispositions, bank holding company formation and regulation, lender liability issues and more. Ned's extensive knowledge of the Colorado Uniform Consumer Credit Code is particularly useful to out-of-state consumer lenders.

Because of his experience in agricultural transactions throughout his entire career, and due to his long-term personal involvement in cattle ranching and irrigated farming in Colorado, Ned is particularly well versed in the intricacies of agricultural legal matters including farm and ranch acquisitions, dispositions and lending, and livestock disputes.