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Michael C. Wofford graduated from Mr. Wofford served on the staff of Governor David Boren as Associate General Counsel and served as the Governor's liaison to the state environmental agencies, including the Oklahoma Water Resources Board, State Department of Health, and Oklahoma Conservation Commission. While employed at the Oklahoma State Department of Health, Environmental Services, he managed the enforcement of the Safe Drinking Water Act and Clean Water Act and assisted with enforcement of Hazardous Waste Management statutes and other pollution control laws in Oklahoma. Mr. Wofford served as an administrative law judge on public health disputes and was a trial attorney for litigation defense for the State of Oklahoma in lawsuits related to these programs.

At Phillips Petroleum Company, he provided legal advice and litigation management of environmental issues and regulatory matters and managed the resolution of Superfund, Clean Water Act and other environmental disputes. He served on the Subcommittee for Environmental and Health Law of the American Petroleum Institute, and was the Chair of the Subcommittee on Environmental Law of the Texas Oil and Gas Association.

ConocoPhillips took him to Alaska where he served on the business development team for the proposed natural gas pipeline from Alaska's North Slope to the Lower 48 states. He managed environmental, regulatory, land, and Native and First Nation affairs for the Alaska Gas Pipeline Project in the U.S. and Canada. His duties included management of environmental, threatened and endangered species, archeological and air quality studies for the Alaska Pipeline Project as well as preparation of the draft application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity before the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission. He then moved back to Bartlesville, Oklahoma where he led a health, safety and environmental audit team for ConocoPhillips' facilities worldwide.

Mr. Wofford serves on the legislative committees of both the Oklahoma State Chamber of Commerce and the Environmental Federation of Oklahoma, a statewide industry group. His service on these committees provides the firm with timely information on legislative proposals that can affect our clients.

At Doerner, Saunders, Daniel & Anderson, Mr. Wofford's clients include industry, local governments, landowners, small businesses, and individuals. His services involve litigation and defense, permitting, and counseling for legal risk management. His practice often leads to the provision of associated legal services such as the production of commercial agreements, establishment of appropriate business organizations, consultation on public law compliance, retention of technical assistance, construction contracting, claims management, and legal matters related to strategic decision-making.

With his vast experience in the area of environmental and energy law, Mr. Wofford has been heavily involved in the following issues:

- Water Law
- Wastewater/Stormwater Discharges, Clean Water Act Permits
- Wetlands Dredge & Fill
- Flood and Drainage Damage Claims
- Oklahoma Master Conservancy Districts
- Hazardous/Solid Waste Management Issues and Permits
- Environment and Agriculture
- Industrial Air Quality and Credits
- Oil Pollution Act
- Brownfield Development
- Superfund, Spill Control, Contaminated Groundwater, Contaminated Property, Risk Management
- Leaking Underground Storage Tanks
- Interstate/Intrastate Pipeline Regulation
- Wind Energy Leases and Agreements
- Tribal Consultation
- Public Lands
- Environment Health and Safety Auditing

Mr. Wofford's lifelong interest in education has led him to serve as an adjunct professor of political science at Redlands Community College to be a guest lecturer in environmental classes at the University of Oklahoma and to provide ongoing assistance with the Mark Coleman Environmental Fellowship at the University of Oklahoma.

Areas of Practice:

Environmental Law

Water Law

Public Water Supply

Administrative Law

Regulatory

Tribal Consultation
Energy Projects
Environmental Health and Safety Audits
Public Health
Occupational Safety and Health
Real Estate/Land Law
Wastewater Recycling and Water Re-Use

Bar Admissions:

Oklahoma, 1977
U.S. District Court Western District of Oklahoma, 1977

Education:

University of Oklahoma College of Law, Norman, Oklahoma, 1977
Juris Doctor
University of Oklahoma, Norman, Oklahoma, 1974
Bachelor of Arts
Honors: Summa Cum Laude
Honors: Phi Beta Kappa
Major: Political Science

Published Works:

People v. General Motors--NPDES Permit Shield, OBA Environmental Law Newsletter, Second Quarter, 1996
Safe Drinking Water Act, Oklahoma Municipal League Conference on Municipal Law
Environmental Insurance, Oklahoma Bar Association, Oklahoma Environmental Law Handbook, Environmental Law Section, 1995
Environmental Compliance Audits, Oklahoma Bar Association, Oklahoma Environmental Law Handbook, Environmental Law Section, Third Edition, 2009
Article on Phase I Environmental Site Assessments prior to purchase of real estate (co-authored with Linda Martin), Oklahoma Bar Journal, February, 2012

Classes/Seminars Taught:

Safe Drinking Water Law, Oklahoma Municipal League
Environmental Workshop, Environmental Federation of Oklahoma
Environmental Workshop, Oklahoma Air and Waste Management Association
Energy Projects Conference, International Petroleum Industry Environmental Conservation Association (IPIECA)
Tribal Claims Affecting Municipal Water Supplies and Utilities, Oklahoma Municipal League and Oklahoma Municipal Utilities Providers Conference

Honors and Awards:

Chambers U.S.A. Ranked Attorney, Energy and Natural Resources - Band 2, 2011

Professional Associations and Memberships:

College of Arts & Sciences, University of Oklahoma - Board of Visitors

Mark Coleman Environmental Fellowship, University of Oklahoma - Founder, Sponsor, and
Chair of Board of Advisors
Oklahoma Bar Association - Committee on Law-Related Education, Vice Chair
Oklahoma Bar Association
Chair of Environmental Law Section - Oklahoma State Chamber of Commerce - Natural
Resources Committee
Environmental Federation of Oklahoma - Legislative Committee
Oklahoma City Neighborhood Alliance - Board of Directors, Member

Past Employment Positions:

ConocoPhillips, Bartlesville, Oklahoma, Health, Safety, Environmental Auditor, 2007 - 2008
ConocoPhillips, Anchorage, Alaska, Alaska North Slope Gas Development, Environmental and
Regulatory Manager, 2001 - 2007
Phillips Petroleum Company, Senior Attorney, 1991 - 2001
State of Oklahoma, Oklahoma State Dept. of Health, Environmental Services Division, Attorney,
1979 - 1991
State of Oklahoma, Office of the Governor, Assistant General Counsel, 1977 - 1978
State of Oklahoma, Office of the Governor, Assistant, Environmental Affairs, 1977 - 1978