



Leo J. Portman



Leo Portman is a partner in the Oklahoma City office of GableGotwals and brings more than 30 years of experience in the areas of title examination and oil and gas law. He also practices in the areas of corporate liquidation, estate planning, and corporate and securities law.

Prior to joining the Firm, Leo was a sole practitioner at Portman & Associates. He has previously served as President of an oil and gas company during bankruptcy liquidation and payment of creditors, all of whom were paid in full under his direction. He also fulfilled the role of sole practitioner for oil and gas corporations and outlined estate planning programs for clients.

Leo has been active in various civic organizations in Oklahoma, serving currently as a director of Downtown Kiwanis of Oklahoma City, President of Oklahoma City Real Property Lawyers Association, as a member of the Board of Directors for First National Bank of Oklahoma and the Last Frontier Council Executive Board of Directors, and previously as a member of the Board of Directors for the Oklahoma City Golf and Country Club, Baden Powell Boy Scout District of Last Frontier Council, Volunteer Center—United Way Agency, and as a Board of Trustees Member for World Neighbors.

He also served as a member of the Board of Directors for Charter National Bank and the Board of Directors for the YMCA at both the Northside and Metropolitan locations, holding leadership roles of President, Vice President and Treasurer during his tenure. Leo is a member of Leadership Oklahoma City Class XV.

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PRACTICE AREAS

- Energy, Oil & Gas
- Title Examination - Oil and Gas
- Business Restructuring, Workouts & Bankruptcy
- Wills, Trusts, Estate Planning & Probate
- Corporate and Securities
- Real Estate

EDUCATION

- J.D., University of Oklahoma, School of Law, 1980
- B. B. A., Accounting & Finance, Southern Methodist University, 1978

ADMISSIONS

- Oklahoma

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Oklahoma Bar Association
- Oklahoma County Bar Association
- Mineral Lawyers Society of Oklahoma City
- Robert J. Turner American Inn of Court
- Oklahoma City Real Property Lawyers Association

RECOGNITION HIGHLIGHTS

- **Best Lawyers in America**, 2018-2026
Energy Law, Corporate Law, Litigation - Trusts and Estates
- **Lawyer of the Year - Oklahoma City**
Corporate Law, 2019