

## BRYAN WHITNEY

### Of Counsel

Bryan Whitney is an experienced first-chair trial attorney who focuses his practice on representing businesses and individuals in complex civil and criminal litigation in Arizona. He has extensive experience – including over 100 combined jury and bench trials – defending individuals in criminal cases and representing businesses and individuals in civil trials.

Bryan's experience includes representing clients in a variety of sophisticated and high-stakes matters ranging from pursuing the interests of corporations in litigated contract disputes to defending individuals facing serious felony charges. His experience also helps him craft out-of-court solutions for clients who know that, if the time comes, they have a partner willing to take their case to court.

Recently, Bryan served on the committee to select the next Mohave County Superior Court Commissioner.

Prior to private practice Bryan was recognized for his service as a prosecutor with the Mohave Area General Narcotics Enforcement Team ("MAGNET") where he received specialized training and experience in narcotics enforcement activities.

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### Career Highlights

- Lead Arizona counsel on behalf of 13 Arizona hospitals in connection with proactive attempt to recover damages for under compensated and uncompensated care related to the devastating consequences of the opioid crisis
- Represented health system in litigation involving a multimillion-dollar contract dispute requiring coordination of DEA compliance issue and resulting in favorable settlement for health system client



### Practice Areas

White Collar & Government Investigations

Healthcare Investigations & Enforcement Actions

Commercial Litigation

### Licensure

Arizona

U.S. District Court – Arizona

### Academic Credentials

Randolph-Macon College, B.A.

Ohio Northern University, J.D.

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- Defended individual charged with drug trafficking and facing decades of mandatory minimum prison time in multiday jury trial resulting in full acquittal
- Represented individual in government investigation and potential trial regarding allegations of first-degree murder resulting in pre-trial dismissal of all associated charges on the eve of trial
- Represented business in contract dispute at trial resulting in full recovery for client and opponent's responsibility for paying costs and attorneys' fees
- Defended individual charged with firearm-related offenses in multiday trial resulting in acquittal on all counts
- Achieved reversal of a criminal conviction on First Amendment grounds for an individual charged with speech-related offenses
- Resolved outstanding criminal and civil issues for American Music Award winning entertainer allowing client to return to Arizona to perform concerts and related revenue-earning performances