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EXPERIENCE

- 2009 – Present BEATTY & WOZNAK, P.C., Senior Counsel
- 2007 – 2009 FULBRIGHT & JAWORSKI L.L.P., Senior Counsel
- 2000 – 2007 COLORADO OIL & GAS ASSOCIATION, Senior Vice President & General Counsel
- 1997 – 2000 PATINA OIL & GAS CORPORATION, Manager of Environmental & Public Affairs
- 1992– 1997 GERRITY OIL & GAS CORPORATION, Vice President & Corporate Counsel
- 1990 – 1991 GORSUCH, KIRGIS, CAMPBELL, WALKER & GROVER, Special Counsel
- 1983 – 1990 INDEPENDENT PETROLEUM ASSOCIATION OF MOUNTAIN STATES, Executive Director & General Counsel
- 1978 – 1983 NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF STATE LEGISLATURES, Senior Project Manager

EDUCATION

- 1995 Master of Environmental Policy & Management, UNIVERSITY OF DENVER
- 1977 J.D., UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO SCHOOL OF LAW
- 1973 B.A., *magna cum laude*, UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK, ALBANY

Ken also obtained a Certificate in Utility Litigation from the Energy Law Institute at the Franklin Pierce Law School (New Hampshire) in 1981.

COURT ADMISSIONS

- Colorado Supreme Court
- United States District Court for the District of Colorado

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

Ken has more than 30 years of experience in energy policy and law, emphasizing oil and gas. He served in executive and counsel roles for IPAMS and COGA, oil and gas trade associations, and spent several years as a corporate officer responsible for public affairs and environmental compliance. He has a wide range of transactional experience and also represents his clients before administrative panels and the courts. Ken has testified on numerous occasions before the Colorado General Assembly and the U.S. Congress. In 2008, the Denver Business Journal named Ken one of the top ten energy leaders in Colorado.

Ken was a key member of corporate teams involved in initial public offerings of both equity and debt on the NYSE, including handling investor relations. His transactional experience, includes asset acquisition and disposition, mergers, and related environmental due diligence. He also has extensive environmental, health and safety management experience, including design, oversight and implementation of environmental, health and safety compliance plans; coordination of reporting and response to spills and accidents, negotiation of site remediation and closure plans; and oversight of environmental contractors.

He has special experience on permitting, spacing, well density, pooling, regulatory compliance and other oil and gas commission matters. Ken handles state and local permitting, as well as negotiation with landowners, neighborhood groups, local governments and commercial developers.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

"Annual Review of Significant Activities: 1976," (Parts I-IV) Hard Rock Minerals Committee, ABA Section of Natural Resources Law, 10 Natural Resources Law (1) pp. 102-110, 1977

"Legislative Policy Concerns in Small-Scale Hydropower," Proceedings of the National Conference on Renewable Energy, 1980

"Geothermal Heating: Penetration of Utility Monopolies," Geothermal Resources Council Transactions, Vol. 10 (307) 1986

"Oil and Gas Environmental Issues - the Producer Perspective," Proceedings of the Rocky Mountain Energy Conference, 1990

"Local Control Over Oil and Gas Development," Proceedings of the 27th Annual Institute of the Denver Association of Petroleum Landmen, 2000

"Local Regulation of Oil & Gas Development in Colorado," Rocky Mountain Mineral Law Foundation, Mineral Law Series, Vol. 2005, No. 1

"Providing Incentives and Removing Obstacles: An Overview of the Energy Policy Act of 2005," Rocky Mountain Mineral Law Foundation, Mineral Law Series, Vol. 2005, No. 4

"The Ozone Challenge: Where Are We? How Did We Get Here? Where Are We Going?" Rocky Mountain Mineral Law Foundation, Special Institute on Air Quality Challenges Facing the Natural Resources Industry, 2007

"Overview of the New Permitting Process: Form 2A Surface Disturbance Filing, Expanded Public Participation, Consultation with Other Agencies, Permit Conditions, and Permit Appeals," Rocky Mountain Mineral Law Foundation Workshop, 2009

"COGCC Rulemaking – The Road Behind and the Path Forward," CBA Natural Resources & Energy Law Conference, 2009

"Oil & Gas Permitting and Regulatory Compliance," Rocky Mountain Mineral Law Foundation, Special Institute on Due Diligence, 2010

PRESENTATIONS

- 2007 "The Royalty Mess – How Did We Get Here & Where are We?" Denver Association of Division Order Analysts
- 2006 & 2010 "Legislative & Regulatory Review," Colorado Bar Association, Natural Resources & Energy Section
- 2006 "Current Issues in Air & Water Regulation for Oil & Gas," Colorado Bar Association, Environmental Law Section
- 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010 "Colorado Energy Issue Update," Denver Association of Petroleum Landmen

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Colorado Bar Association
Denver Bar Association
Rocky Mountain Mineral Law Foundation
Independent Petroleum Association of America

PUBLIC AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Ken has served as pro bono legal counsel for a number of public organizations, including the Bolder Energy Conservation Center and the Colorado Renewable Energy Association.

Ken was instrumental in the drafting and passage of the Colorado Limited Winery Act, and in providing pro bono legal and legislative counsel to the Colorado Wine Board.

Ken has served as a youth sports coach in soccer, basketball and baseball.