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Michael's public finance practice consists of traditional governmental, economic development, non-profit healthcare, and non-profit higher education financings, as well as assisting organizations with federal and state securities law compliance. In addition, Michael's practice includes assisting commercial lenders and for-profit borrowers with traditional lending activities. He has worked as bond counsel, bank counsel, underwriter counsel, disclosure counsel, and corporate counsel on various tax-exempt and traditional taxable financings, as well as special counsel to governmental entities and developers in connection with economic development projects.

He began his career with a specific focus on economic development issues and related incentive programs. With his accumulated experience, Michael is frequently asked to assist governmental entities and developers throughout Ohio on matters such as Community Reinvestment Area (CRA) tax exemption programs, Tax Increment Financing (TIF) programs, and other property tax-based incentive programs.

Services

- Public Finance
- Economic Development
- Traditional Governmental Finance
- Public Finance Public Utilities
- Public Finance Education
- Public Finance Health Care

Education

- University of Cincinnati College of Law (J.D., 2014)
 - Moot Court Honor Board
- Anderson University (B.A., 2011)
 - Finance
 - Dean's list

Bar Admissions

- Ohio

Affiliations/Memberships

- Cincinnati Opera, Center Stage Board associate
- Ohio State Bar Association
- Cincinnati Bar Association
- National Association of Bond Lawyers

Distinctions

- *Best Lawyers*®, Ones to Watch, Public Finance Law (2021)

Publications

August 17, 2020

Ohio Gives Temporary Authorization for Municipalities and Townships to Use TIF Funds for Expanded Purposes

May 27, 2020

Continuing Disclosure Amid the COVID-19 Pandemic

April 13, 2020

SEC Guidance: Public Statements of Municipal Issuers Subject to Antifraud Provisions

February 19, 2019

SEC to Implement Two Additional Material Event Disclosures

August 24, 2018

SEC Approves Two Additional Material Event Disclosures

May 24, 2018

CUSIP Clarity: MSRB Amends Rule to Exclude Direct Purchase Transactions from CUSIP Requirements

November 6, 2017

Tax Reform Bill to Increase Borrowing Costs for 501(c)(3) Organizations and Other Public Purpose Projects; Prohibit Advance Refundings

August 9, 2016

Arbitration Up for Debate: New Rules Propose Banning the Use of Class-Prohibitive Arbitration Provisions, West Virginia Banker

February 16, 2016

SEC Contacting Issuers Regarding MDCD Settlements

