



# LEGAL SERVICES THAT FUEL OPPORTUNITY

# OUR PROJECT DEVELOPMENT AND FINANCE TEAM Putting together an infrastructure project can feel like assembling a complex jigsaw puzzle. Our lawyers work side by side with our clients to build strong projects piece by piece. Because our clients often involve us right from the inception of a project, we are uniquely positioned to anticipate the full scope of our clients' business goals. Our extensive experience developing, financing, and buying and selling projects also allows us to step in at any stage of a project's life-cycle to help complete the development of a facility, a financing, sale, or other transaction. We tailor each team to seamlessly coordinate all of the pieces of the project puzzle, delivering comprehensive coverage of environmental, regulatory, real estate and transactional concerns.

### STRATEGIC TRANSACTIONS

Our team works to satisfy our clients' strategic goals and advises investors, lenders, service providers and other project stakeholders in all types of infrastructure development and financing transactions including:

- Entity Selection and Formation
- Tax Review and Considerations
- Partnering and Joint Ventures
- Auction Processes
- Acquisition and Divestiture
   Transactions
- Equity Financings
- Tax Credit Monetization
- Construction and Term Debt Financing
- Single-Project and Portfolio Lending
- Master Limited Partnerships
- Financial Swaps and Hedges

# DEVELOPMENT CONTRACTS

We have broad experience in all pieces of a project life cycle and regularly assist clients in the negotiation and implementation of:

- Equipment Supply Agreements
- Fuel Supply Contracts
- Utility Power Purchase Agreements
- Corporate, Pre-Paid, and other Non-Traditional Power Purchase Agreements
- Operation and Maintenance Agreements
- Shared Facilities Arrangements
- Interconnection and Transmission Agreements
- Gathering, Processing, and Transportation Agreements
- Product Sale and Marketing

### **EPC CONTRACTS**

Holland & Hart brings a wealth of experience representing both owner and contractor clients in the negotiation of:

- Complex Engineering, Procurement, and Construction Agreements (EPC) for Solar, Wind, and Other Generation Projects
- EPC Contracts for the Electricity Industry
- EPC Contracts for Mining, Oil & Gas, and Manufacturing Clients

### **ENVIRONMENTAL**

Our nationally recognized environmental attorneys provide comprehensive environmental compliance services including:

- Environmental Site Assessments
- Permits and Approvals on Private and Public Lands
- Protected Species Authorizations
- Climate Change Impacts Analysis
- M&A and Financing Transaction Diligence and Opinions

### REGULATORY

Our team delivers targeted, practical advice and advocacy on virtually all aspects of public utility regulation including representing our clients before state public utility commissions, the FERC, and state legislatures in connection with:

- PURPA Compliance and Avoided Costs
- PUCHA Compliance
- Federal Power Act Compliance
- Utility Resource Planning and Competitive Bidding
- Rate and Tariff Issues

## LAND USE & ACQUISITION

Our real estate attorneys assist our clients with every aspect of securing strategic site control including:

- Title Examination
- Easements and Rights-of-Way
- Land Use, Zoning, and Subdivision Approvals
- Private and Public Land/Resource Leases
- Surface Use Agreements

### **EXPERT CAPABILITIES**

As a full service firm, we can support every aspect of your business, calling on additional experts when you need them, including:

- General Corporate
- Federal, State, and Local Tax
- Commercial Contracts
- Litigation
- Capital Markets
- Workplace Safety/Emergency Response
- Labor and Employment
- Employee Benefits
- Recognized by Chambers
   USA as a national
   leader in Renewables
   and Alternative Energy
   Projects since 2011
- Recognized by US News Best Lawyers® "Best Law Firms" for Energy Law



### **ABOUT THE FIRM**

Holland & Hart is a full-service law firm that today has approximately 500 lawyers across eight states and in Washington, D.C. delivering integrated legal solutions to regional, national, and international clients of all sizes in a diverse range of industries.

Our attorneys have consistently been recognized by leading national and international peer and industry review organizations for innovation and dedication to the practice of law. From startups to Fortune 500 companies, we serve clients in a diverse range of industries from energy and resources, to food and beverage, to technology, communications, and media, and more.

### RECOGNITION

- 183 attorneys and 21 "Lawyers of the Year" named The Best Lawyers in America® 2018
- 94 attorneys and 32 of the firm's practice areas (by market) recognized by Chambers USA 2017
- 68 attorneys named to the 2017 Super Lawyers or Rising Stars lists by Mountain States Super Lawyers®
- 63 attorneys named to the 2017 Super Lawyers or Rising Stars lists by Colorado Super Lawyers®
- One of nine firms nationwide with "standout collaboration" on BTI Consulting's "Law Firms with the Best Collaboration 2017"
- For the 7th consecutive year, named to BTI Consulting Group's list of BTI Most Recommended Law Firms 2017 by corporate counsel
- Named one of the 50 Best Law Firms for Women by Working Mother and Flex-Time Lawyers 2017 for the 7th time
- Gold Standard Certification by the Women in Law Empowerment Forum for seven consecutive years, 2011-2017
- Recipient of the 2017 Inclusiveness@Work Award for a Law Firm/Legal Department by the Center for Legal Inclusiveness, that recognizes organizations dedicated to advancing diversity and creating inclusive workplace cultures