

Mark Turner

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I treat each transaction, contract, and legal issue with great devotion. I want to help my clients achieve their goals in a timely and cost-effective manner.

Mark Turner has built a robust corporate practice over his 30 years as a business and transactional attorney. He counsels manufacturers and other companies on the sale and purchase of businesses, commercial and real estate contracts, financing transactions, and general corporate matters. He also represents banks and private equity firms in commercial loan transactions, real estate lending, and mezzanine financing. Mark's well-rounded knowledge of various substantive areas and his years of experience give him the ability and insight to identify issues, derive solutions, and implement his clients' goals in an efficient and effective manner. Mark focuses on his clients' needs and takes a pragmatic approach to the legal practice. He places great emphasis on being responsive and practical, and on being a good communicator. He values client satisfaction and maintaining a good relationship with all parties in a transaction.

Experience

Led the sale of Midwest Sport and Turf Systems to TenCate Grass, a global leader in synthetic turf components, by providing strategic legal counsel to ensure a seamless transition and support MWSTS's continued growth

Led the sale of Power Supply Company LLC to Cape Electrical Supply, a subsidiary of Graybar, expanding Cape's footprint into Tennessee while ensuring a seamless transition with retained staff and suppliers

Associations

Bar Associations

- Tennessee Bar Association, 2010 UCC Article 9 Amendments Joint Committee of the Business Law, Creditors Practice and Bankruptcy Sections

Services

- Business
- Commercial Lending and Financial Transactions
- Financial Institutions
- Mergers and Acquisitions
- Private Equity and Securities
- Real Estate

Industries

- Financial Services and E-commerce
- Manufacturing
- Real Estate
- Transportation and Logistics

Admissions

- Tennessee
- U.S. District Court Eastern District of Tennessee

Education

- J.D., University of Virginia School of Law, 1990
- B.S., Carson-Newman College, magna cum laude, 1987

- Chattanooga Bar Association
- American Bar Association

Noteworthy

- *Best Lawyers in America*, "Chattanooga Mergers and Acquisitions Law Lawyer of the Year," 2025
- *Best Lawyers in America*, "Chattanooga Real Estate Law Lawyer of the Year," 2023
- *Best Lawyers in America*, "Chattanooga Business Organizations (including LLCs and Partnerships) Lawyer of the Year," 2019, 2021, 2024
- *Best Lawyers in America*, "Chattanooga Securitization and Structured Finance Law Lawyer of the Year," 2017, 2019, 2022
- *Best Lawyers in America*, Banking and Finance Law, Business Organizations (including LLCs and Partnerships), Mergers and Acquisitions Law, Real Estate Law, Securitization and Structured Finance Law
- Martindale-Hubbell® AV® Preeminent™ Peer Review Rated

Community

- Mountain Education Foundation, Board of Directors, Chair
- Junior Achievement of Chattanooga, Inc., Board of Directors