

HopperBlackwell
ATTORNEYS AT LAW, PC

A DIFFERENT APPROACH

TO BUSINESS LAW.

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ost established law firms are capable and do a good job. But being capable is not enough for us. At Hopper Blackwell, we address the ever-

changing needs of our business clients with a unique passion for innovative approaches, fast response and solid results—always fixing our eyes on the final goal. This singular focus makes us different, and that difference puts invaluable problem-solving capabilities at our clients' disposal.

We have over 25 years of experience in local and high-profile business bankruptcy and commercial litigation cases. While you may think that particular expertise labels us as “bankruptcy attorneys,” we think differently. Who better to structure new business start-ups, mergers and acquisitions than a firm that has seen the problems involved when a deal goes bad? Our experience in bankruptcy cases and transactions has given us concrete, first-hand knowledge needed to lay strong foundations for new and growing companies. When you take enough businesses apart, you learn better than anyone else how to avoid the pitfalls when putting one together.

It's not often that attorneys offering comprehensive business law services also litigate. In both state and federal courts, our attorneys litigate in a variety of commercial practice areas. And that makes us different.

When you come to Hopper Blackwell, you are not passed around from lawyer to lawyer. You will likely work with the same attorney—a highly experienced attorney—who is responsive to your questions and concerns. Different.

At Hopper Blackwell, we are focused on the goal, and we think strategically to get there. We are not just different to be different, we are different to achieve better results. And that should make a difference to you.



“WE THINK WE ARE UNIQUE IN OUR ABILITY TO COMBINE DEPTH AND EXPERTISE IN CREDITOR RIGHTS, COMMERCIAL LITIGATION, BUSINESS AND TRANSACTIONAL LAW.”

AT HOPPER BLACKWELL,
WE BELIEVE THAT WE,
LIKE MANY OF THE OTHER
VERY SUCCESSFUL LAW
FIRMS IN INDIANA, ARE A
GOOD LAW FIRM. BUT WHEN
YOU PRACTICE LAW AT THIS
LEVEL, COMPETING WITH
MANY OF THE BRIGHTEST
LEGAL ADVISORS IN THE
REGION, BEING GOOD DOES
NOT MAKE YOU DIFFERENT.
BEING DIFFERENT—
SEEING OPPORTUNITIES,
APPROACHING PROBLEMS
FROM A DIFFERENT
ANGLE—THAT'S WHAT
MAKES YOU BETTER. AND
WE ARE A DIFFERENT
KIND OF LAW FIRM.

BANKRUPTCY AND CREDITORS RIGHTS

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ecause not every business venture succeeds, it is imperative that lenders, creditors and business borrowers protect their assets, their claims and their value. Through the years, we have earned our solid reputation as experienced attorneys in the bankruptcy and creditors rights arena. We understand thoroughly how to navigate the intricacies involved in business insolvency and bankruptcy.

The difference we bring to the table is our ability to develop specific goals for each client, dependent on the situation. Our innovative techniques maximize value—your value—by minimizing loss and expense. Our attorneys practice in state, federal and bankruptcy courts, tackling and solving complex processes and problems—your problems—to find the best solutions. Problem solved. Back to business.

Bankruptcy and Creditors Rights

- Business Insolvency and Bankruptcy
- Collections
- Creditors Committee Representation
- Foreclosures and Replevins
- Prejudgment and Post Judgment Remedies
- Liquidations
- Receiverships
- Reorganization/Restructuring
- Trustee Representation
- Workouts



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Strong foundations lead to solid structures. Our knowledge and familiarity with common business problems enable us to foresee potential disputes and utilize creative and preventive solutions at the inception of your transaction and throughout the structuring of your business.

We practice this personalized approach with a singular goal in mind—to help you succeed. Recognizing your individual risks as well as your potential rewards is the touchstone of our advice and counsel. Such targeted and situation-specific guidance assists you in attaining your goals. We practice success—your success. Potential problems avoided.

Banking and Business Transactions

- Business Formation and Dissolutions
- Contracts
- Employment Contracts
- Leases
- Loan Documentation
- Mergers, Acquisitions and Divestment
- Mortgages
- Non Competition and Non Solicitation Agreements
- Real Estate
- Secured Transactions
- Shareholder Agreements



COMMERCIAL LITIGATION

In the courtroom and in the conference room, you can not have a better advocate than Hopper Blackwell. We know that business disputes are a distraction to you, causing disruption and expense to your business. We understand that business transactions have the potential to lead to future disputes between owners, shareholders, lenders, borrowers and guarantors, vendors and customers, employers and employees.

Choosing the most effective, beneficial and economical plan of action in and out of the courtroom yields the results our clients expect and deserve. We practice resourceful dispute resolution, bringing objective, practical advice and passionate advocacy to bear for our clients. Whether through litigation or mediation, our attorneys' primary concern is delivering finality to your disputes so you can get back to important business—your business. Distractions and disruptions eliminated.

Commercial Litigation

- Appeals
- Banking
- Bankruptcy
- Class Action
- Construction
- Creditors Rights
- Contracts
- Employment and EEOC Claims
- Fraud and Deceit
- Injunctions
- Shareholder Disputes
- Tort Claims



OUR DIFFERENCE

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Being better does not make you different. But being different can make you better. At Hopper Blackwell, our primary difference—the difference every client experiences—is our cohesive team approach. Unlike large law firms, we are not a loose confederation of competing practice areas with different goals.

We have a singular focus, one goal—to represent you and your business interests innovatively and effectively. Every one of our attorneys has years of personal experience in all of our practice areas. That makes us different, unique, effective and efficient. Hopper Blackwell. Experience the difference.

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