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**STEPHEN A. GOOD**

Steve Good enjoys being an attorney because it gives him the opportunity to read, write and solve puzzles, skills he effectively employs daily as a business, tax and estate planning attorney.

Steve assists our clients with structuring their businesses and negotiating commercial transactions, with an emphasis on advising clients regarding the associated income, estate and gift tax implications. He serves as outside general counsel for a number of closely held businesses, family investment groups, and a prominent and substantial private foundation headquartered in Phoenix. He also helps families and business owners accomplish their estate planning, succession and wealth preservation objectives in a tax-efficient manner.

A native of Pittsburgh, PA, Steve joined us right after graduating from law school. When he is not at work, Steve enjoys spending time with his wife and three children, and he is an avid college sports fan, especially of University of Miami football and Duke basketball.

**EDUCATION**

J.D., Duke University School of Law

B.B.A., University of Miami, *cum laude*

**AREAS OF PRACTICE**

**OTHER EXPERIENCE**

Estate Planning

Private Client and Wealth Preservation

Business & Finance

Estate Litigation

Estate Planning

Tax Law

Trusts & Estates

General Counsel Services

## AWARDS AND HONORS

*Best Lawyers in America*<sup>®</sup>, Lawyer of the Year, Closely Held Companies and Family Businesses Law, 2025

*Best Lawyers in America*<sup>®</sup>, Corporate Law, Tax Law, 2013-2025

*Best Lawyers in America*<sup>®</sup>, Closely Held Companies and Family Business Law, 2022-2025

Recommended in *The Legal 500 US*, Real Estate, 2011, 2014, 2019-2020

*Chambers USA*, Leading Lawyers for Business, 2014-2016

AV<sup>®</sup> Preeminent<sup>™</sup> Peer Review Rated (the highest rating available), by Martindale-Hubbell

## ARTICLES AND PRESENTATIONS

Co-Author, "Treasury Suspends Enforcement of Corporate Transparency Act & Proposes Narrowed Scope," Fennemore Blog, March 5, 2025

Co-Author, "Client Alert: Corporate Transparency Act Compliance – New Filing Deadline & Compliance Tool," Fennemore Blog, February 20, 2025

Co-Author, "Nationwide Injunction Temporarily Halts Corporate Transparency Act BOIR Filing Requirements: What You Need to Know," Fennemore Blog, December 5, 2024

Co-Author, Fennemore Notice To Clients – Corporate Transparency Act, Fennemore Client Alert, December 29, 2023

Co-author, "IRS and the Arizona Department of Revenue Extend Tax Filing Deadlines to July 15," Fennemore Client Alert, March 26, 2020

Co-author, "End-of-year Business Advice for Northern Nevada Businesses (Opinion)," *Northern Nevada Business View*, December 11, 2018

Co-author, "IRS Proposes Eliminating Charitable Deduction for Donations to State Tuition Tax Credit Programs," Fennemore Client Alert, August 24, 2018

Co-author, "Qualified Opportunity Zones: A New Program Allowing Taxpayers to Defer or Eliminate Capital Gains When Investing in Economically Disadvantaged Areas," Fennemore Client Alert, April 17, 2018

Speaker, "Phoenix Tax Workshop," Arizona Society of CPAs, June 16, 2018

Quoted, "Healthcare in Today's Workplace," *InBusiness*, April 2017

Co-Author, "When Do Targeted Allocations Need Economic Effect?" *Real Estate Taxation*, 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2016

## PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Board of Trustees, Arizona Science Center

Member, State Bar of Arizona

Ronald McDonald House Charities of Phoenix, Inc., Board of Directors, 1999-2009; President, 2007, 2008

Reporter – 69th Arizona Town Hall – “Building a Community of Citizens for Arizona,” 1996

## **ADMISSIONS**

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