



Partner

## Maggie B. Burrus

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Maggie Burrus is a strategic adviser to her clients, guiding companies of all sizes through complex restructurings and chapter 11 bankruptcies. Maggie advises debtors, creditors, investors, and other interested parties in the context of out-of-court and in-court corporate restructurings, liquidations, and distressed financings, acquisitions and receiverships. Maggie represents her clients' important interests in bankruptcy courts throughout the country, representing a diverse array of clients from asset management and energy trading firms to REITs, state regulatory agencies, and unsecured creditors' committees. Moreover, Maggie provides strategic counsel to debtors and creditors in a variety of industries including coal, oil & gas, retail, automobile and hospitality sectors.

In addition to her bankruptcy practice, Maggie uses her litigation skills and prowess to prosecute and defend complex civil litigation cases on behalf of her corporate and individual clients in state and federal courts. Maggie's broad experience in this litigation arena includes complicated products liability, contract disputes, and environmental litigation.

Maggie is deeply committed to her clients' success and is honored that her clients trust her with their high-stakes litigation matters.

### **Awards & Accolades**

*Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch (2021-2022)* – Banking and Finance Law, Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights/Insolvency and Reorganization Law, Commercial Litigation, and Litigation-Bankruptcy

*Super Lawyers, West Virginia, "Rising Star," Bankruptcy: Business (2021-222)*

*Best Lawyers, Spring 2021, Women in the Law*

## Clerkships

Law Clerk, Hon. Joseph R. Goodwin, US District Court for the Southern District of West Virginia (2017 - 2018)

## Practice Areas

Appellate and Supreme Court Practice

Banking & Financial Services

Bankruptcy & Business Reorganization

Commercial Litigation

Energy - Mining

Energy - Oil & Gas

Environmental

## Education

J.D., Washington and Lee University School of Law, 2014 / Moot Court Board - Mock Trial Chair;  
*Journal of Energy, Climate and the Environment* - Lead Articles Editor

B.A., University of South Carolina, 2011, *magna cum laude*

## Admissions

District of Columbia

West Virginia

Virginia

US Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit

US Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit

US District Court, Eastern District of Virginia

US District Court, Northern District of West Virginia

US District Court, Southern District of West Virginia

## Representative Matters

- LTL Management LLC: Co-counsel to the Official Committee of Talc Claimants in the chapter 11 case of LTL Management LLC in the US Bankruptcy Court for the District of New Jersey. LTL is a newly created subsidiary of Johnson & Johnson (J&J) to hold all of J&J's tort liabilities arising

from its asbestos-contaminated baby powder.

- West Virginia State Tax Department: Trial counsel for West Virginia State Tax Department in defending against the Liquidating Trustee's \$5 million refund claims arising out of the *Patriot Coal* bankruptcy case in the Eastern District of Missouri.
- Nine Point Energy Holdings, Inc.: Counsel for Caliber Measurement Services, LLC, Caliber Midstream Fresh Water Partners LLC, and Caliber North Dakota LLC in the US Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware.
- White Stallion Energy, LLC: represents the agent for the term loan lenders, Riverstone Credit Management, in the US Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware.
- Blackjewel, LLC: Counsel for Riverstone Credit Partners, Blackjewel LLC's senior secured lender in the US Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of West Virginia
- Timberline Four Seasons Resort: Counsel to the Statutory Committee of Unsecured Creditors in the Chapter 11 cases of Timberline Four Seasons Resort and its affiliated entities pending before the US Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania
- Mission Coal Company, Inc.: Counsel for the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection and West Virginia Tax Department in the Chapter 11 cases of Mission Coal Company, LLC and its affiliates in the US Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Alabama
- Citizens Conservation Corps: Counsel for senior secured lender United Bank in the US Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of West Virginia
- Royal Automotive Company: Counsel to Royal Automotive Company and its affiliates in their Chapter 11 cases in the US Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of West Virginia
- Represented the West Virginia State Tax Department in ground-breaking litigation to recover sales taxes from two money center banks

## News & Insights

J&J/LTL "Texas Two-Step" Asbestos Bankruptcy Litigation

Bailey Glasser Announces Partner Elevations for 2022

01.05.2022

18 Bailey Glasser Lawyers Named To *The Best Lawyers in America* 2022 Guide

08.23.2021

Bailey Glasser Lawyers Recognized Best Lawyers in Spring 2021 Edition of *Women in the Law*

06.25.2021

Bailey Glasser Lawyers Recognized for Inclusion in 2021 Super Lawyers List  
05.12.2021

Third Circuit Signals Possible Limitations On Setoff Rights  
05.07.2021

New Bankruptcy Code Section Protects Commercial Landlords and Contract Vendors from Avoidance Actions for Pandemic-Related Deferred Payments of Tenants and Customers  
02.26.2021

Bailey Glasser Representing Riverstone Credit Management in White Stallion Chapter 11 Bankruptcy Proceeding  
02.01.2021

US Supreme Court Holds That Merely Holding Estate Property Is Not A Violation of the Automatic Stay  
01.27.2021

Bailey Glasser Representing Riverstone Credit Management in White Stallion Chapter 11 Bankruptcy Proceeding  
12.08.2020

Bailey Glasser Lawyers Named to 2021 Best Lawyers  
08.20.2020

Bailey Glasser Files Motion to Dismiss Suit Challenging West Virginia's Bonding System  
08.14.2020

The Rise of Defaults in the Commercial Real Estate Market: How the Uniform Commercial Real Estate Receivership Act Can Protect and Maximize the Value of Lenders' Security Interests  
06.11.2020

Bankruptcy Courts Splitting on the Small Business Administration's Authority to Deny PPP Funds to Bankrupt Debtors  
05.04.2020

New Developments Impacting Bankrupt Debtors in Applying for PPP Loans under New SBA Authority  
05.01.2020

COVID-19: The Small Business Reorganization Act and CARES Act  
04.02.2020

WVDEP Files Lawsuit Against and Obtains Special Receiver over ERP Environmental Fund  
03.30.2020

Timberline Resort Sold for \$2.2 Million  
01.06.2020

### **Community and Professional Activities**

International Women's Insolvency & Restructuring Confederation

American Bankruptcy Institute

Washington and Lee University School of Law Young Alumni Council