



Bailey Barnes Johnson



Bailey Barnes is a transactional Associate at GableGotwals, where she represents clients in a wide range of corporate transactions with a focus on mergers and acquisitions and commercial finance. Bailey supports all stages of a transaction, from early negotiations, due diligence, and drafting definitive agreements to navigating closing requirements, securing regulatory approvals, and counseling post-closing disputes.

At the University of Oklahoma College of Law, Bailey served as Notes and Comments Editor for *Oklahoma Law Review*. Her student comment, *Software v. Software: How Section 230 of the Communications Decency Act Threatens to Undermine Antitrust Law*, appeared in the spring 2022 publication.

Representative Experience:

- Alliance Resource Partners, L.P. in its acquisition of AllDale Minerals III, LP and AllDale Minerals IV, LP, an oil and gas mineral and royalty acquisition company that holds vast acreage across the Permian, Anadarko, Bakken, and Haynesville basins, for approximately \$206.2 million.
- Boardwalk Pipelines, LP, in its acquisition of Spire Marketing Inc., a gas marketing business unit.
- Purchase of custom trailer manufacturer business.
- Sale of family-owned truck frame manufacturer, collision, and alignment corporation and related entities.
- Sale of family-owned tree-trimming company to a national acquisition and investment company.
- Purchase of an NGL transportation pipeline and related facilities in Texas and Louisiana.
- Purchase of a high-end carwash business with eleven locations in operation or under development.
- Purchase acquisition bids for oil and gas assets, including salt domes and mineral interests.
- Acquisition of a gas marketing business unit from a midstream energy company.

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SERVICES

- Mergers & Acquisitions
- Corporate Law
- Banking & Financial Institutions

EDUCATION

- J.D., University of Oklahoma College of Law with honors; Order of the Coif; two American Jurisprudence awards - Antitrust and Mergers & Acquisitions; Order of the Solicitors; Dean's Honor Roll; Marjorie P. Maute Memorial Public Service Fellow; Oklahoma Law Review, - Editorial Board: Notes and Comments Editor, Articles Review Board, and Gene H. & Jo Ann Sharp Outstanding 2L Award.
- B.A., Strategic Communications, Oklahoma State University

ADMISSIONS

- Oklahoma
- Texas

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Oklahoma Bar Association
- Tulsa County Bar Association
- Leadership Tulsa, Class 70
- Global Gardens, Board Member

RECOGNITION HIGHLIGHTS

- *NextGen Under 30*
2026 Law Honoree
- *Super Lawyer*, 2024-2025
Rising Star - Mergers & Acquisitions