



Robert G. McCampbell



Robert McCampbell is a shareholder in the Oklahoma City office of GableGotwals. A former United States Attorney, Robert brings more than 30 years of diverse experience to his practice. Alternating between private and government practice, he has been an active force in the Oklahoma City legal community. Robert has been recognized multiple times as a Local Litigation Star by *Benchmark Litigation*, Lawyer of the Year by *U.S. News and World Reports/Best Lawyers*, and Top 50 in Oklahoma by *Oklahoma Super Lawyers*. He was also featured in an article in *Super Lawyers Oklahoma*, "Justice Shall be Done: The Cases Robert McCampbell worked as U.S. Attorney," by Steph Weber (2022). *The Oklahoman* has noted that Robert is a "nationally recognized expert on the U.S. Constitution."

Prior to his four-year term as United States Attorney for the Western District of Oklahoma, Robert was an Assistant U.S. Attorney where he served as chief of the office's financial fraud unit. As an active courtroom prosecutor, he successfully tried numerous cases including trials for securities fraud, bank fraud, illegal internet drug prescribing, homicide, and child prostitution.

Robert's private practice clients have included numerous public officials and entities, including three Governors, the House of Representatives, the Oklahoma Senate, and the Oklahoma Highway Patrol. He is an experienced civil trial lawyer having represented both private companies and individuals in commercial litigation and administrative proceedings. In addition, Robert has represented defendants in white collar proceedings both in the courtroom and working with prosecutors to achieve non-prosecution or acceptable plea agreements.

Robert has been the lead trial lawyer in more than 25 jury trials and has also argued numerous cases before the Supreme Court of Oklahoma and the Tenth Circuit Court of Appeals. He has been a Fellow of the American College of Trial Lawyers since 2009.

Robert is active in the community and has served as chairman of the Oklahoma Public Employee Relations Board, the Oklahoma Center for the Advancement of Science and Technology, and Oklahoma Speaker's Ball, Inc.

Representative Experience:

- Successfully attacked the constitutionality of a statute concerning the distribution of wine and spirits
- Successfully attacked the constitutionality of an initiative petition to eliminate the Legislature's authority for redistricting legislation
- Successfully attacked the constitutionality of a tax on cigarettes that had been labeled as a "fee"
- Successfully defended the constitutionality of the CompSource Mutual Insurance Company Act

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SERVICES

- Litigation (State and Federal)
- White Collar Criminal Defense & Corporate Investigations
- Administrative and Regulatory
- Appellate
- Initiative Petitions

EDUCATION

- J.D., Yale Law School, 1983
- B.A., Vanderbilt University, 1980

ADMISSIONS

- Oklahoma

RECOGNITION HIGHLIGHTS

- **American College of Trial Lawyers**, Fellow
- **Chambers USA**, 2021 - 2026
Oklahoma Ranked Individual -
Litigation - General Commercial (Band 2)
- **Best Lawyers in America**, 2007-2026
Administrative/Regulatory Law, Bet-the-Company Litigation, Commercial Litigation, Criminal Defense: White-Collar, Government Contracts, Government Relations Practice, Health Care Law, Litigation - Regulatory Enforcement
Lawyer of the Year, OKC,
Bet-the-Company Litigation-2018, 2021
Administrative Law-2012, 2014, 2021, 2024
White Collar Criminal Defense-2016
Government Relations-2011, 2013, 2015, 2017, 2019, 2024
Healthcare Law-2023
- **Super Lawyers**, 2007-2025
Oklahoma Top 50 - 2016-2025
Business Litigation, Criminal Defense: White Collar, Government Relations

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Representative Experience (cont'd):

- Successfully represented the Governor's Office in connection with the use of lethal injection to impose the death penalty
- Successfully defended the House of Representatives in constitutional litigation brought by the Oklahoma Ethics Commission
- Successfully advocated at the State Election Board to prevent overturning an election in a congressional race
- Successfully challenged the constitutionality of an alcohol reform initiative petition
- Successfully represented the State Chamber of Commerce in defending the constitutionality of the Administrative Workers Compensation Act
- Successfully represented the Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce with respect to firearms legislation
- Successfully represented a public interest group opposing an initiative petition to impose a sales tax
- Successfully represented the Oklahoma House and Senate on redistricting issues following the Census of 2020
- Successfully represented candidates in petitions for recount and election irregularity
- Robert has participated as lead counsel for the defendant or the prosecution in numerous white collar criminal cases

RECOGNITION HIGHLIGHTS (cont'd)

- *Benchmark Litigation*, 2026
Litigation Star
- *Martindale-Hubbell Lawyer Ratings*, AV Preeminent
- U.S. Attorney's Office, 1990-1991, *Extra Mile Awards*
- Leadership Oklahoma City, 1997, *Paragon Award*
- Oklahoma City Police Department, 2005, *Honorary Officer*
- FBI, 2005, *Leadership and Commitment Award*
- Journal Record, 2007, *Leadership in Law Award*
- U.S. Department of Justice, 2005, *Dedicated Public Service Award*

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers
- Republican National Lawyers Association
- National Association of Former U.S. Attorneys
- Oklahoma Bar Association
- Oklahoma County Bar Association (Board of Directors, 2011-2014)
- Federal Bar Association
- Oklahoma Speaker's Ball, Inc. (Chairman, 2008-present)
- Oklahoma Public Employee Relations Board (Chairman, 2012-2017)
- U.S. Attorney General's Subcommittee on Sentencing (Chairman, 2004-2005)
- U.S. Attorney General's Subcommittee on White Collar Crime (2001-2005)