

# Hunter Summerford Partner

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Hunter has extensive acquisition and divestiture experience with respect to upstream and midstream assets, and he counsels energy clients in their business operations and transactions.

## **OVERVIEW**

Hunter has particularly broad experience in the midstream space relating to the operation of pipelines, processing plants, storage facilities, and related assets. He represents a diverse range of clients, including oil and gas companies, private equity firms, and energy investment groups.

# REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

- Advised WildFire Energy in several transactions, including the:
- Acquisition of approximately 237,000 net acres and interests in 465 wells in the East Texas Eagle Ford from Apache Corporation and subsidiaries.
- Acquisition of Brazos Valley Region of Eagle Ford assets from Chesapeake Energy Corporation for \$1.425 billion.
- Acquisition of Eagle Ford assets from MD America.
- Acquisition of Hawkwood Energy.
- Counseled Rio Grande E&P LLC and Intrepid Investment Management, LLC, in the sale of all its oil and gas
  assets to two separate undisclosed buyers.
- Represented Enterprise Products Partners in acquiring Navitas Midstream Partners, LLC, for \$3.25 billion, significantly expanding Enterprise's midstream infrastructure.
- Advised Range Resources Corporation in the sale of oil and gas properties to Castleton Resources LLC for \$245 million.
- Assisted Enterprise Products Operating LLC in numerous gathering, processing, transportation, and similar transactions.

# **AWARDS**

Best Lawyers in America®: Oil and Gas Law (2023-2026)

- Legal 500 United States, Recommended Lawyer Energy Transactions: Oil and Gas (2023)
- Legal 500 United States: Energy: Energy Transactions: Oil and Gas (2025)

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## **EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS**

#### **EDUCATION**

- The University of Texas School of Law, J.D., with honors, 2008, editor-in-chief, Texas Review of Entertainment & Sports Law (2007-2008)
- The University of Mississippi, MTax, E.H. Patterson School of Accountancy, magna cum laude, 2003
- The University of Mississippi, Bachelor of Accountancy, summa cum laude, 2002, Taylor Medalist

## **BAR ADMISSIONS**

Texas