

## Matthew D. Lowe

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## OVERVIEW

With over 20 years of experience serving as outside counsel for closely held and family-owned businesses and nonprofit organizations, Matt combines concrete business expertise with an intense ability to simplify complex issues to provide practical, actionable advice and solutions that further his client's business goals. Approaching his practice from the philosophy that every matter matters, Matt brings to his client relationships an extraordinary level of service and responsiveness, while also inserting a bit of humor that eases his clients through sticky situations.

Matt is also a recognized leader throughout the Pacific Northwest in the representation of public charter schools and helps clients in charter applications, negotiations, operational issues, facility issues, employment issues, education law, public contracting, and public meetings and records law.

Prior to joining Jordan Ramis PC, Matt worked as a staff member in the United States Senate and Oregon State Senate. This first-hand experience in politics, along with more than 20 years of experience representing political campaigns, public interest groups, trade associations, and other state and federal political organizations, contributes to Matt's ability to handle public policy, election, and campaign finance matters with a seasoned perspective.

What Matt enjoys most about practicing law is defining a common goal with his clients, navigating through challenging issues, and seeing clients succeed. And when he is not practicing law, he enjoys raising farm animals, golfing, and spending time with his family.

## Education

- B.A., Villanova University, 1991
- J.D., Willamette University College of Law, 2000

## Membership and Activities

- American Bar Association
- Oregon State Bar – Nonprofit Organizations Law Section
- Multnomah Bar Association
- Alliance of Public Charter School Attorneys
- Oregon Restaurant and Lodging Association, Board Member
- Oregon Society of Association Management, Board Member
- Pacific University, Board Member
- Faith Bible Christian School, Board Member (2009-2014)
- Dorchester Conference, Board Member and President (2004-2010)