

## Gregg Jones



### Partner

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Gregg has delivered tax opinions as bond counsel or special tax counsel in connection with financings for states, cities, counties, school districts and other political subdivisions. He has participated in all facets of the tax analysis associated with the issuance of qualified 501(c)(3) bonds, qualified hospital bonds, qualified student loan bonds and qualified small issue bonds.

Gregg also has extensive experience in IRS audits of tax-exempt bonds, representing issuers and other interested parties.

### REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE

- Obtained IRS Notice reopening Texas Permanent School Fund
- Obtained Closing Agreement from IRS Appeals for municipal issuer
- Obtained the Hotel Management Contract private letter ruling for a municipal client
- Obtained a “no-change” letter from the IRS on the financing of a fiber optic network with tax-exempt bonds
- Delivered the tax opinion on the bonds financing Minute Maid Park, Reliant Stadium and Toyota Center, as well as municipal sports parks like Big League Dreams—League City

### PUBLICATIONS

- Federal Agencies Looking Closely at Municipal Bonds: What You Need to Know (November 18, 2011)

### PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

- Profiled as one of “Texas’ Top Rated Lawyers” by *ALM* in Taxation (2012)
- *Best Lawyers in America*, Public Finance and Tax
- Texas Super Lawyer in Tax, *Texas Monthly*
- Fellow, American College of Bond Counsel

### BRIEFINGS, SEMINARS & SPEECHES

- Bond Attorneys’ Workshop (Steering Committee)
- National Association of Bond Lawyers, Tax and Securities Seminar (Former Faculty Member)

### INDUSTRIES

Government  
Health Care  
Public Finance

### PRACTICES

Economic Recovery and Government Opportunities  
Public Finance  
Public Law  
Tax  
Tax-Exempt Finance

### EDUCATION

JD, 1976, University of Michigan Law School  
AB, 1973, *magna cum laude*, Duke University

### ADMISSIONS

Texas 1976

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### AFFILIATIONS

- State Bar of Texas - Taxation Section (Tax-Exempt Bond Committee, Former Chair)
- American Bar Association - Taxation Section (Tax-Exempt Finance Committee)

### PRESS RELEASES

- 54 Andrews Kurth Lawyers Named Best Lawyers in America 2012 (September 22, 2011)
- 35 Andrews Kurth Lawyers Named in Texas Super Lawyers 2011 (September 12, 2011)
- 33 Andrews Kurth Lawyers Named in Texas Super Lawyers 2010 (September 10, 2010)
- 49 Andrews Kurth Lawyers Named Best Lawyers in America 2011 (August 16, 2010)
- 35 Andrews Kurth Lawyers Named in Texas Super Lawyers 2009 (September 16, 2009)
- 46 Andrews Kurth Lawyers Named Best Lawyers in America 2010 (August 10, 2009)
- Thirty-Five Andrews Kurth Partners Named in Texas Super Lawyers 2008 (October 3, 2008)
- Nationally Recognized Tax Lawyer Gregg Jones Moves Practice to Andrews Kurth (October 8, 2007)