



OVERVIEW

Smith Anderson is a prominent North Carolina law firm for borrower and lender representation, providing legal advice that is grounded in national and international experience. Our team includes finance lawyers with extensive experience representing banks, non-bank lenders, and borrowers across the country as well as lawyers who practiced with global law firms in money centers worldwide before joining Smith Anderson.

Client service is a hallmark of Smith Anderson. *Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business*, one of the leading ranking agencies for law firms and lawyers, has recognized our Finance practice as among the best in the state. A source who was interviewed by *Chambers* commented: "**We are very satisfied with the work they perform and the advice they give. They are always very responsive and have people ready to address our needs in a lot of different areas.**" In addition to our *Chambers* accolades, a client recently shared with us that that our team is "**one of the best**" she has worked with in her nearly 30 years of commercial banking experience and a second client commented "**I really appreciate your help, especially on closing day with a lot of attention needed and lots of documents to deliver...proving once again why the Smith Anderson team is top of the podium for us on legal partners we work with.**"

Since 2011, Smith Anderson has been one of the only North Carolina-based law firms to place in multiple years among the top firms in the nation in law firm league tables published by Thomson Reuters LPC. Smith Anderson has placed in the league tables for volume and number of borrower-side leveraged transactions.

Our Banking & Finance practice is backed by the strength of a full-service business and litigation law firm, including lawyers in our Mergers and Acquisitions, Tax, Employment, Labor and Human Resources, and other practices as needed for each transaction.

Core areas of our Banking & Finance practice include Corporate and Syndicated Finance, Mezzanine Finance, Real Estate Finance, and Venture Debt and Technology Finance.

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