Bradley Partner Robert Maddox Named Fellow of American College of Mortgage Attorneys

News

Bradley Arant Boult Cummings LLP Birmingham, Alabama, partner Robert Maddox has been accepted as a Fellow in the American College of Mortgage Attorneys (ACMA).

Greensfelder Establishes Diversity Scholarship in Memory of Former Firm President and CEO Tim Thornton

News>

Greensfelder, Hemker & Gale created a scholarship fund with Washington University in St. Louis School of Law to support diverse law students, in recognition of the first anniversary of the passing of Tim Thornton, the firm’s former president and CEO.

Critical Financial Information Located, Analyzed and Explained

News

Larry Kanter welcomes seasoned veteran Darrell Lane to his forensic accounting team.

Dykema’s Heidi Naasko Wins State Bar of Michigan’s Cummiskey Award for Pro Bono Service

News

Dykema Pro Bono and Diversity Counsel member, Heidi Naasko, was selected to receive the State Bar of Michigan’s John W. Cummiskey Pro Bono Award for 2020.

Late Bradley Partner Ellene Winn Inducted Into Alabama

Lawyers Hall of Fame

News

Ellene Glenn Winn, a late partner at Bradley Arant Boult Cummings LLP, has been inducted into the 2019 Alabama Lawyers Hall of Fame. A native of Clayton, Alabama, she became the first female partner at Bradley in 1957.

Chesapeake Energy Skips Interest Payment; Borrowing Base Slashed

Insights

Chesapeake Energy Corp, the shale pioneer widely anticipated to seek bankruptcy protection, said on Thursday it had skipped an interest payment due June 15 on some of its notes and its capacity to borrow money was slashed by lenders.

Akima Hires Barbara Doherty as VP of Contracts, Procurement

Insights

Government solutions provider Akima has named Barbara Doherty vice president of contracts and procurement to oversee the

company’s corporate contracts, subcontracts and purchasing operations.

What Should an Estate Plan Include?

Insights

The Huffington Post’s recent article entitled ‘A Guide To Estate Planning During The Coronavirus Pandemic’ says that almost everyone should have an estate plan—even if there’s no major health threat.

Is A Poorly Written Force Majeure Clause Worth the Ink?

Insights

We’ve all seen, or perhaps been assaulted by, a surfeit of articles about force majeure clauses and how all of our agreements should include one. Other pundits have gotten way ahead of this one by explaining how we will have a better world if the advice to include such clauses would be taken by all.

N.J. Corruption Scheme Involving Pay-to-Play Contracts Leads to Charges Against Law Firm Partner

News

The law partner of the tax attorney believed to be a cooperating witness in a sweeping New Jersey pay-to-play corruption investigation has been charged with lying about thousands in political contributions made to secure lucrative municipal contracts.

Utah Immigration Lawyer Accused of Making Threats Amid Weeks of Erratic Behavior

News

A no bail arrest warrant has been issued for a prominent immigration attorney in Utah whose increasingly erratic behavior, according to police and prosecutors, culminated with him making terroristic threats against his wife in addition to making several bizarre statement.

Coalition of State Attorneys General Secures $550M Settlement with Subprime Auto Lender

News

“A coalition of 34 state attorneys general announced on May 19, 2020, that it had secured a settlement with one of the nation’s largest subprime auto financing companies for alleged violations of state consumer protection laws.

LegalShield Appoints Lori Ann Fox as General Counsel

News

LegalShield, the world’s leading provider of affordable legal and privacy protection plans, announced the appointment of Lori Ann Fox as General Counsel, reporting to Keri C. Norris, Executive Vice President and Chief Legal Officer.

Trade Secret

Misappropriation: When and How to Take Action

Webinar

Fitch, Even, Tabin & Flannery LLP will present a free webinar, “Trade Secret Misappropriation: When and How to Take Action,” featuring Fitch Even attorneys Joseph F. Marinelli and Thomas A. James.

New Lawsuit Accuses DLA Piper Of ‘Strident Double-Dealing’

News

A new lawsuit filed in Kansas state court by propane supply company Ferrellgas Partners, an ex-client of Biglaw firm DLA Piper, alleges the firm engaged in ‘strident double-dealing’ that was only revealed when the wrong invoice was mistakenly sent to Ferrellgas.

Citing COVID, Sutter Pushes to Revisit $575M Antitrust Settlement

News

Six months after agreeing to a $575 million settlement in a

closely watched antitrust case filed by California Attorney General Xavier Becerra, Sutter Health has yet to pay a single dollar, and no operational changes have gone into effect.

WiLAN Issued Final Judgment Against Apple Totaling $108.98 Million

News

Following a jury verdict win of $85.23 million in a damages-only re-trial, the Court ruled on all post-trial motions and entered final judgment in favor of WiLAN, maintaining the full jury verdict and denying Apple's motions for retrial or lowering the damages award.

Twitter Hires Former FBI General Counsel

News

Twitter Inc. has brought on former FBI general counsel James Baker to its growing legal department as the company remains locked in a highly public battle with President Donald Trump over guidelines on its popular social media platform.

State Street Taps General Counsel to Succeed Veteran Legal Chief

News

State Street Corp. will promote executive vice president and general counsel David Phelan to replace its longtime legal chief once he retires next month.

Texas Trophy Hunters Association Accuses Rival Groups of Poaching Proprietary Information

News

One of the oldest and most-respected hunting advocacy groups in Texas – the Texas Trophy Hunters Association – has filed for a temporary restraining order against two rival groups, charging that Safari Club International stole its proprietary membership list and provided it to Buckmasters to solicit new members.