

Barnes & Thornburg Adds Misty Holcomb in Atlanta Office

Barnes & Thornburg has added Misty Holcomb as director of state government affairs-Georgia in its Atlanta office. Holcomb is the newest member of the firm's Government Services and Finance Department, which was joined by veteran government relations professional Zachary Johnson earlier this year.

In a release, the firm said Holcomb's main practice areas include healthcare and the entertainment industry. She works in legislative, regulatory and public affairs matters. Holcomb also advocates for the entertainment industry, with a particular focus on the film and video game industries and Georgia's entertainment tax incentive. In addition, she counsels healthcare clients regarding issues relating to independent physicians and medical records.

Holcomb previously worked in public affairs and as a legislative liaison with the Georgia Association of Health Plans, the Georgia Department of Corrections, the Georgia State Senate Press Office, and the Governor's Floor Leader's Office and in communications with the Office of the Lieutenant Governor and the Georgia General Assembly.

Holcomb is active in Atlanta's philanthropic and entertainment community, and works with the Georgia Studio & Infrastructure Alliance and is a sustainer member of Junior League of Atlanta and a former board adviser for the TAG Digital Media & Entertainment Society. She is also an actor with People Store Talent Agency and enjoys performing with Sketchworks Theatre Inc.

She earned her A.B.J. in broadcast news journalism from the University of Georgia.

