

#### PRACTICE AREAS

- Corporate/Mergers & Acquisitions/Securities
- Financial Services
- Mergers & Acquisitions
- Real Estate Finance

#### EDUCATION

- B.S., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 1976; Phi Beta Kappa
- J.D., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 1980, with high honors; Order of Coif; Managing Editor, North Carolina Law Review

#### BAR & COURT ADMISSIONS

- North Carolina, 1980

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A member of the MVA management committee since 1992 and head of the firm's nationally renowned Financial Services section, Jim Hovis brings years of sophisticated, high-level experience to his finance and capital markets practice.

He regularly represents national and regional financial institutions in complex financing transactions, including:

- Acquisition and leveraged buyout financing
- Subordinated debt facilities
- Syndicated finance facilities of all types
- Lease financings, utilizing both tax and synthetic structures
- Complex debt restructurings involving multiple classes of capital

#### OF NOTE

Active in numerous civic groups and youth sports organizations.

#### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- American Bar Association
- North Carolina Bar Association