

Colin Wicker

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Colin represents clients in litigated and regulatory matters.

Colin is a senior attorney in Dorsey's Regulatory Affairs group. Currently, he largely represents energy industry clients in a variety of contexts, including proceedings before state utility commissions, transactional matters, and advice and representation with regard to disputes. Earlier in his career, Colin primarily practiced as a construction lawyer. He has substantial litigation experience before courts, arbitral tribunals, and in administrative proceedings. As both a construction lawyer and now in his energy law practice, Colin has significant transactional experience particularly with regard to the construction and co-ownership of energy infrastructure. Colin also has experience with government contracting and environmental law.

Select Experience

- Represent clients in state utility commission proceedings
- Advised client regarding issues arising out of joint ownership of power plant
- Advised client on the regulatory and environmental considerations for acquisition of power plant
- Provided advice and drafted contract amendments for joint ownership of transmission line

Court Admissions

- U.S. District Court for the District of Minnesota

Accolades

- MSBA, North Star Lawyer, 2012-2013, 2015, 2017-2019, 2021, 2023-2024
- Consistently providing pro bono legal assistance to those in need through Dorsey's Pro Bono program

Education

- University of Michigan (J.D., 2004)
 - *cum laude*
- Grinnell College (B.A., 1997)
 - Phi Beta Kappa

Bar Admissions

- Minnesota
- Colorado

Select Presentations

- Co-presented CLE on “Surety Bonds versus Letters of Credit,” Construction Law Section, Minnesota State Bar Association, March 13, 2009
 - Co-presented CLE on “Filing and Enforcing Mechanics’ Liens in Minnesota – A How-to-do-it Primer,” Minnesota CLE’s 2010 Real Estate Institute, November 13, 2010
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Insights

October 6, 2025

Energy Law: Month in Review - September 2025

September 23, 2019

FERC Proposes Major Changes to PURPA Regulations

April 24, 2017

EPA Requests Public Comments Recommending Regulations To Repeal, Replace, Or Modify By May 15, 2017