

# FOULSTON

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AGRIBUSINESS

## OVERVIEW

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The attorneys at Foulston Siefkin have provided counsel in the agricultural industry for more than 90 years. Our firm is experienced and equipped to handle the issues and challenges that our clients face in all sectors of agribusiness: contracts, leases, employment and labor, immigration, litigation, government programs and regulation, the environment, water and mineral rights, business succession, tax and estate planning, intellectual property and lending and creditor's rights.

Foulston Siefkin is proud of its tradition for legal excellence in Kansas since 1919. Foulston Siefkin is the state's largest law firm and has three offices strategically located throughout Kansas. We understand the economic, business and legal framework in which Kansas companies compete and have the resources of the state's largest law firm to commit to the legal needs of Kansans involved in agribusiness.

## AREAS OF REPRESENTATION

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### General Business

- Incorporation, LLC's, Partnerships
- Capital Formation - Equity / Debt / Private Placement / Venture Capital
- Contracts
- Dairy and Concentrated Animal Feed Operations - Organization and Joint Ventures, Finance, Permitting, Environmental Compliance and Counseling
- Leases
- Ag Finance - Lending / Borrowing / Equipment Leasing
- Securities / Private Placements
- Land Transactions - Acquisitions and Dispositions / Leases

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- Intellectual Property - Licensing
- Creditors' Rights
- Mergers & Acquisitions
- Cooperatives

### **Tax Law**

- Entity (LLC, Corporate Partnership)
- Income
- Estate
- Program Payments

### **Estate & Succession Planning**

#### **Government Programs & Regulations**

- Conservation Reserve Program (CRP)
- Deficiency Payments
- Disaster Payments
- Production, Safety & Market Regulations

### **Environmental**

- Water Law
- Water Rights
- Pollution Control Compliance & Litigation
- Pesticides

### **Litigation**

- Land Owner & Business Disputes
- Product Liability
- Contract Disputes
- Class Action
- Nuisance Disputes

### **Employment & Labor**

- Immigration
- Employee Manuals
- Employment
- Employee Benefits

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- OSHA
- Workers Compensation
- Wage & Hour Claims

## **Oil, Gas & Minerals**

## **Wind Leases**

## **Real Estate**

## RELATED LINKS

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- Kansas Beef Council
- Kansas State Research and Extension
- Kansas Farm Bureau
- Kansas Department of Agriculture Division of Animal Health
- Kansas Corn Commission
- Kansas Soybean Association
- Kansas State Conservation Commission
- Kansas Wheat Commission
- Kansas Water Office
- Kansas Department of Agriculture
- Agriculture News
- Kansas Livestock Association
- United States Department of Agriculture
- Kansas Association of Wheat Growers
- Kansas Corn Growers Association
- Kansas Grain Sorghum

## PUBLICATIONS

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### **Issue Alerts**

**2014**

Why Did The Lesser Prairie Chicken Cross The Road?

### **Articles**

**2014**

Kansas Case Law Update  
-KBA Agricultural Law Section

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PRESENTATIONS

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**2007**

The Nuts & Bolts of Obtaining New Water Rights and Changing the Use of Existing Water Rights in Kansas (Lorman Conference, Water Rights Sales and Transfers in Kansas)

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