

Roger Borgelt

Roger Borgelt is a widely known and experienced practitioner of administrative, utility, environmental and professional licensure law. Since joining Potts & Reilly in 2006, he has expanded the firm's general civil and commercial litigation and appellate practices, focusing on regulatory, local and county government, land and private property, energy, deceptive trade, public information and defamation matters.

Previously, as Deputy Chief of the Consumer Protection Division, Office of the Attorney General, then Assistant Attorney General, he defended consumer interests in deceptive trade matters and represented major public entities, including Texas A&M and The UT System, in major utility regulatory matters. This practice resulted in significant multi-million dollar tax savings annually for the citizens of Texas.

Prior to serving as Assistant Attorney General, he was general counsel of a small state environmental agency, where, through extensive involvement with state and national regulators and legislative and congressional committees, he became a national authority in pesticide law.

Mr. Borgelt has published and lectured extensively in administrative law, and is a 15-year member of the College of the State Bar of Texas. He is a past Chair of the 400-member Administrative Law Section and Board Member of the Austin Bar Association. He currently serves on the State Bar of Texas Public Utility Law Council and is a member of the Administrative & Public Law, Oil, Gas & Mineral, and Computer & Technology Sections. He is a Sustaining Life Fellow of the Texas Bar Foundation and a Founding Fellow of the Austin Bar Foundation, in addition to numerous current leadership positions and interests in the Austin community.

He attended UT as a National Merit Scholar, earning a BA degree in Psychology and graduating from The University of Texas School of Law in 1988.