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JOHNSTON ALLISON HORD ATTORNEYS NAMED AS BEST LAWYERS AND ONES TO WATCH, 2021

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Johnston Allison Hord would like to congratulate the following lawyers named to 2021 The Best Lawyers in America and Ones to Watch lists:

- **S. Kyle Agee** – Tax Law & Trusts and Estates
- **Greg C. Ahlum** – Construction Law, Litigation – Construction
- **John R. Buben** – Real Estate Law
- **Robert L. Burchette** – Construction Law, Litigation – Construction
- **B. David Carson** – Construction Law **Also recognized as Lawyer of the Year in Construction Law*
- **Ray S. Farris** – Trusts and Estates, Litigation – Trusts and Estates
- **Stephen P. Gennett** – Mergers and Acquisitions Law
- **Michael J. Hoefling** – Commercial Litigation
- **William C. Isenhour** – Real Estate Law

- **Patrick E. Kelly** – Commercial Litigation, Employment Law – Management, Employment Law – Individuals
- **Kenneth T. Lautenschlager** – Commercial Litigation
- **David T. Lewis** – Litigation – Trusts and Estates, Tax Law, Trusts and Estates **Also recognized as Lawyer of the Year in Trusts and Estates*
- **Robert G. Lindauer** – Real Estate Law
- **John A. Morrice** – Health Care Law, Nonprofit / Charities Law
- **Holly B. Norvell** – Litigation – Trusts and Estates, Nonprofit / Charities Law, Trusts and Estates
- **Jeanne A. Pearson** – Real Estate Law
- **Amy L. Rickers** – Litigation – Environmental
- **Brian J. Schoeck** – Real Estate Law
- **J. Darrell Shealy** – Trusts and Estates
- **N. Lucille Siler** – Trusts and Estates
- **Cameron Todd Ware** – Real Estate Law
- **Gary J. Welch** – Construction Law
- **Martin L. White** – Commercial Litigation

Ones to Watch

- David V. Brennan – Commercial Litigation, Construction Law
- **Kathleen D.B. Burchette** – Commercial Litigation, Litigation – Labor and Employment, Litigation – Real Estate, Litigation – Securities
- Heather G. Carson – Elder Law, Trusts and Estates
- Emma M. Chase – Commercial Litigation
- Mikail O. Clark – Corporate Law
- **Kevin A. Marshall** – Commercial Litigation, Construction Law
- James R. McLeod – Corporate Law, Real Estate Law

- Mary Fletcher K. Mullikin – Litigation – Labor and Employment
 - **Sheldon M. Stokes** – Corporate Law, Mergers and Acquisitions Law
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