



ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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(Phoenix) The Corporation Commission names Andy Kvesic General Counsel and Director of the Legal Division. Kvesic has a prestigious background in law and has been widely recognized for his professional excellence.

Kvesic joins the Commission after serving almost two years as an Assistant Attorney General, where he prosecuted organized crime and public corruption matters."

Prior, Kvesic worked for Ryley Carlock and Applewhite in Phoenix as a shareholder practicing state and federal litigation including prosecution and defense of financial offenses including loan fraud, securities fraud, real estate law disputes, and water rights and infrastructure disputes.

"Andy Kvesic brings a wide array of experience that will be vital to the Arizona Corporation Commission," said Chairman Tom Forese. "He is a natural fit for providing the highest level of legal counsel regarding complex Commission issues as well as having the highest ethical standards."

Kvesic graduated from the University of San Diego School of Law and completed his undergraduate work at the University of Arizona. He has been awarded the *Superlawyers* Southwest Rising Star four times from 2012 to through 2015. That award honors less than 2.5% of lawyers in Arizona and New Mexico under 40 or practicing law less than 10 years. He also ranked in Arizona's Top Lawyers list for construction law.

Kvesic is a member of both the Arizona State Bar and the State Bar of New York. He also serves on the Croatian-American Bar Association, and has served on the Board of Directors with the Phoenix Art Museum and volunteered with fundraising.

Kvesic is a Tucson native. He is married to his wife Danielle and they have a one-year old boy. He starts with the Commission on April 3rd.

Established by Article 15 of the state's constitution, the Arizona Corporation Commission is responsible for the regulation of public utilities, overseeing the incorporation or registration of companies wishing to do business in Arizona. Additionally, the Corporation Commission registers and oversees securities offerings and dealers, and enforces railroad and pipeline safety. The five commissioners that make up the Commission are elected by the people of Arizona for a four-year term, with the option of serving for two consecutive terms. To learn more about the Arizona Corporation Commission and the Commissioners, please check out <http://www.azcc.gov/Divisions/Administration/about.asp>

