

# LARRY W. CAUDLE, JR.

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### Professional Accolades

Best Lawyers in America, Construction Law  
Category, 2010-2018  
Chambers USA, Construction, 2009-201

### Education

University of Richmond (J.D., 1994)  
James Madison University (B.B.A., 1982)

### Licenses & Admissions

Commonwealth of Virginia  
District of Columbia  
State of Iowa  
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit  
U.S. Court of Federal Claims  
U.S. District Court for the Eastern District  
of Virginia  
U.S. District Court for the Western District  
of Virginia  
U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District  
of Virginia  
U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Western District  
of Virginia  
D.C. Court of Appeals

### Professional Affiliations

Virginia Bar Association  
American Bar Association  
American Road and Transportation Builders  
Association  
Heavy Construction Contractors Association

### Publications & Presentations

*Subcontractor and Vendor Quotes to Prime  
Contractors: Application of the Doctrine of  
Promissory Estoppel in Virginia.* Virginia Bar  
Association Journal (Spring 1997).

*The Most Important Questions Asked About  
Performance Bonds.* Contributing Author,  
AB Tort & Insurance Law Practice Journal  
(Fall 1997).

Author of Monthly Column, Law:  
*The Contractor's Side*, Roads & Bridges  
magazine.



Larry W. Caudle, Jr. practices in the areas of construction law and government contracts with an emphasis in heavy civil/highway and transportation as well as federal contracting. He works with owners, contractors, subcontractors, and engineers in claim preparation and analysis, real-time advice during construction, claims avoidance, alternative dispute resolution, and litigation.

He has participated as legal counsel on several design-build and public-private venture proposals and has handled subsequent contract negotiations on such projects throughout the country.

Larry gained significant hands-on experience in heavy construction before attending law school. He grew up in a family-owned general contracting company and after receiving his undergraduate degree, worked as an estimator and project manager in the heavy construction industry for eight years.



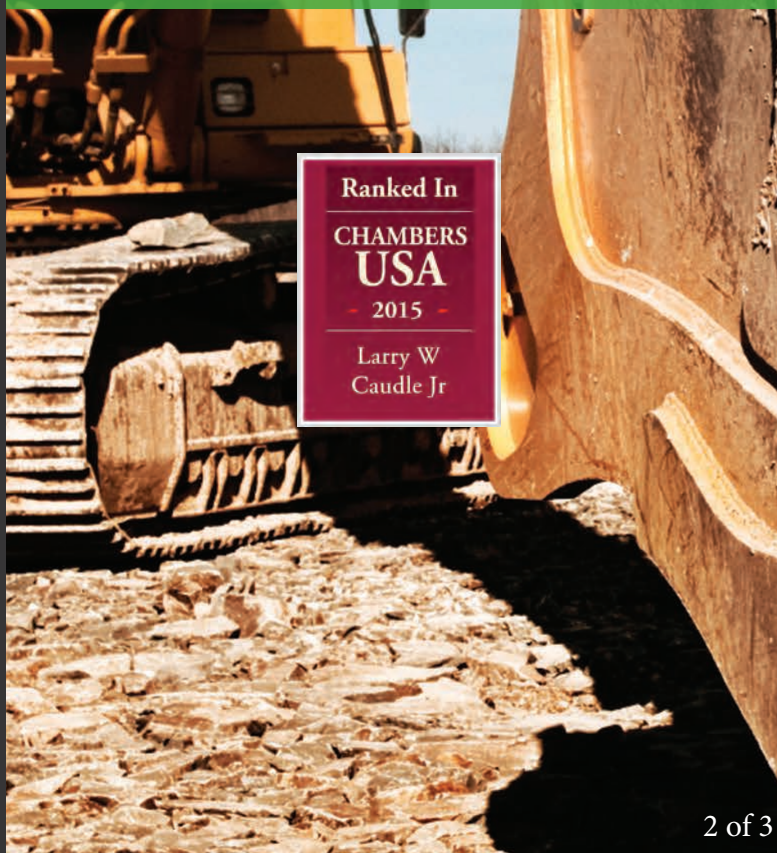
**Some of the construction and government contracts matters Larry has handled include:**

- Representing an ENR Top 10 Civil Contractor in a \$21.5 million claim against the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers on a design-build project in the Southeast U.S.;
- Representing a general contractor in claims and disputes in connection with the rehabilitation and modernization of a waste water treatment plant serving a population of over 22,000 in Western Virginia;
- Representing an ENR Top 10 Civil Contractor in the construction of a \$90 million hydro-electric power generation plant and related claims by and against a public utility in the Southwestern U.S.;
- Representing an ENR Top 5 civil contractor in a \$40 million claim on a light rail project;
- Serving as special counsel to a state attorney general's office involving construction of a community college fine arts facility;
- Representing an international contractor in a \$50 million dispute involving an off shore natural gas drilling platform and sub-sea pipeline project in the North Atlantic;
- Representing an ENR Top 10 Building Contractor in a \$20 million litigation involving the failure of a green roof system on a U.S. Library of Congress facility;



*"Larry Caudle is an expert in highway construction matters. He is a strong, nuts-and-bolts construction attorney. He knows this area very well. Caudle's hands-on knowledge is considered second to none."*

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- Representing an ENR Top 10 Contractor in a \$10 million claim and subsequent litigation on a hurricane protection and offshore storm water pumping station project with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers;
- Representing a mechanical subcontractor in litigation of its \$18 million claim against a general contractor on a combined cycle power plant project in Tiverton, Rhode Island;
- Representing an architectural firm in litigation against a consulting design professional on a convalescent home project in Richmond, Virginia;
- Representing an ENR Top 10 Contractor in arbitration of a \$12 million design-build contract dispute with the project owner;
- Representing an environmental mitigation contractor in arbitration of its \$600,000 claim against a project owner;
- Representing a heavy/highway contractor in litigation with the Virginia Occupational Safety and Health Administration involving a violation imposed in connection with a blasting death;
- Representing an ENR Top 15 Heavy/Civil contractor in a \$15 million claim and subsequent litigation involving damages from a defective design against a Builder' Risk insurance carrier;
- Drafting and negotiation of a contract on behalf of a developer/contractor on a \$1.5 billion Public-Private Venture highway contract; and
- Drafting and reviewing subcontracts and purchase orders for an ENR Top 10 Contractor on \$1.6 billion semi-conductor plant project in Virginia.



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