



## IPB Selected as One of the 2018 Best Law Firms in America

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Ivins, Phillips & Barker, one of the leading law firms in the United States exclusively engaged in the practice of **federal income tax**, **employee benefits**, and **estate and gift tax law**, is pleased to announce that it has been selected as one of the *Best Law Firms in America* by U.S. News & World Report (2018 edition). Ivins, Phillips & Barker was selected as a Tier 1 firm nationally for Tax Litigation, and as a Tier 1 firm in Washington, D.C. for Tax Law, Tax Litigation, Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law, Closely Held Companies and Family Businesses Law, and Trusts & Estates Law.

In addition, *ten Ivins attorneys were selected by their peers for individual recognition as "Best Lawyers" for 2018.*

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