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Catherine has a varied practice representing both public and private clients in the public arena. She provides legal and strategic business advice and support across a broad spectrum of internal functions. She drafts, negotiates, and advises clients on contracts in areas including public works, services, purchase and sale of goods and real estate, intergovernmental agreements, funding and grant agreements,

software licensing and maintenance contracts, and software as a service. She regularly works closely with clients, collaborating to provide support to technical experts and executive-level staff.

Catherine also provides client training on the Brown Act, Public Records Act, records retention, and government ethics and governance laws. Additionally, she assists clients in complying with Federal Transit Administration grant conditions, funding agreements, and compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). Her clients include cities and special districts.

Catherine has particular enthusiasm for, and expertise in, the evolving legal landscape of data protection and privacy laws. Catherine is passionate about providing pro bono assistance to various organizations and serves as the Deputy-Chair of the firm's Pro Bono Committee.