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Rick has more than 25 years of experience advising clients in various industries, including several investor-owned public utilities, food manufacturers and distributors, automobile original equipment manufacturers and telecommunications service providers. He serves as tax director of BKD's Dallas-Waco practice unit and has significant experience with federal tax due diligence and matters related to structuring transactions.

Before joining BKD, he served as managing director, tax practice leader, national leader of tax advisory and compliance and national leader of private client services of a large national firm.

Rick is a member of the American Institute of CPAs, Missouri Society of Certified Public Accountants and Kansas Society of CPAs. He serves on the Small Business Investor Alliance Tax and Accounting Committee. Rick is a former member of the Advisory Board of the S-Corporation Association of America and has testified before a congressional subcommittee and met with members of Congress on behalf of the S-Corporation Association. He also is a member of the Wartburg College Alumni Board.

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