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Bill Powers Honored for Leadership Through D.C. Legal Awards

Spencer Fane was honored to have a presence at the 2026 ALM D.C. Legal Awards on October 20 at the Mayflower Hotel, celebrating Bill Powers as a Managing Partner of the Year finalist.

This distinction highlights Bill's industrywide reputation for exemplary business leadership, which encompasses both his work as a leading client advisor for high-stakes government and private roles and his service as office managing partner for the rapidly expanding Spencer Fane Washington, D.C., office. This success is a direct result of Bill's focus on professional development, communication and transparency, and organizational priorities.

"We take a growth mindset. The best thing I do for morale is help each attorney fully develop their practice," he shared. "With such rapid growth, I am also always looking to connect my D.C. colleagues with opportunities throughout our firm."

At the firm, Bill Powers advises nonprofits, PACs, and innovative companies on all aspects of political law and compliance, equipping them to leverage current legal and regulatory trends to maximize political and business outcomes. With almost 20 years in private practice and government, he adeptly guides clients on federal laws, including the Federal Election Campaign Act and Lobbying Disclosure Act; U.S. House and Senate Ethics Rules; Foreign Agents Registration Act, and similar rules at the state and local levels.

View the complete list of 2026 D.C. Legal Awards honorees here.