

Resumé of

Jonathan Bronson



Jon Bronson is a registered municipal bond securities principal with over 31 years of experience in the investment banking industry. He has served as municipal advisor to the State of Utah, Salt Lake County and numerous other cities, counties, special service districts, local districts, and school districts across Utah - and has assisted with the financing of over \$17 billion in capital projects.

For 12 years, he was the Director of Public Finance overseeing all Zions Bank's public finance operations with offices in Utah, Idaho, Nevada, and Massachusetts. He stepped down from this role at the end of 2020 and is now semi-retired. He will be fully retired in the summer of 2022.

Mr. Bronson joined Zions Public Finance in 1995. Prior to his employment with Zions, he worked for five years as an investment banker in the Salt Lake City office of Dain Bosworth, Inc. Before that, he worked at the Utah Department of Financial Institutions as a bank examiner and quickly rose to become the State's Supervisor of Banks within that office, responsible for the state regulation of all state-chartered banks in Utah. While in this capacity, he also provided logistical support to the Utah Money Management Council.

Jon was the State of Utah's lead Municipal Advisor for over 10 years, completing 23 transactions (15 general obligation bond issues and 8 lease revenue issues for the State Building Ownership Authority). These issues totaled more than \$4.23 billion in par amount. He assisted in the creation of the State's Charter School Enhancement Program and did extensive work for Phase 3 (financing options) for the State's Point of the Mountain Commission.

Jon has a deep understanding of water districts and the financing of water projects. While serving as the State's municipal advisor, he served for over two years on the Governor's Executive Water Finance Board and was a central figure in helping develop the E&Y water financing model designed to be used by the Board of Water Resources to model the financing of large water projects such as the Lake Powell Pipeline.

Mr. Bronson served as a member of the Board of Directors of the Utah Association of Special Districts (UASD) for nearly 20 years and was chair of UASD's finance committee for most of that time. He performed the annual review of UASD's financial condition and reported the results annually to the Board and to UASD's membership. He developed the fee schedule that UASD currently employs with its district members.

In addition to the service noted above, Jon has also served on the Boards of the Jordan River Commission and Zions Public Finance, Inc. He has served as a member of the South Jordan Planning and Zoning Commission and is a past Vice–Chairman of the South Jordan Economic Development Committee. He also has been a member of the Board of Directors of Home Savings Bank in Salt Lake City for over 31 years. He was named to the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board’s Compliance Advisory Group for 2021.

Jon earned his undergraduate degree in Finance from the University of Utah with a minor in Russian. He also holds a Master of Business Administration degree from the U of U. He has held the following securities licenses: Series 7, 63, 50, 51, 52, 53, and 54.

Jon has been married to Renée Bytheway Bronson for over 41 years. They have four children and nine grandchildren and live in South Jordan, Utah.