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## Federal Government Procurement Expert Joins Monument

Monument Expands Federal Procurement Policy and Sales Capabilities with the Addition of Julie Dunne

**Washington, DC** – Julie Dunne, a well-known federal procurement and IT modernization expert, is joining Monument Advocacy's federal sales and cybersecurity practices as a Principal on June 21st. In addition to recently serving as Commissioner of GSA's Federal Acquisition Service, Julie has two decades of experience in the executive and legislative branches, including on the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and the Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee. She will be based out of Monument's Washington, DC office.

Andrew Howell, who leads Monument's Technology and Cybersecurity practices, said, "We are thrilled Julie will be joining Monument and helping our clients with their federal procurement policy issues. She'll be a tremendous asset to our technology and cybersecurity clients that want to start, or grow, their federal business units."

Upon joining Monument, Julie said, "After serving in senior roles in the executive and legislative branches, I'm excited for this new chapter at Monument. While federal procurement can be challenging and complicated for companies of any size, I'm looking forward to helping the firm's clients serve the federal government, particularly when it comes to modernizing information and operational technology, and enhancing cybersecurity."

### **About Julie**

Julie is an established authority on federal procurement, federal IT modernization, cybersecurity and government management. Her government experience includes senior roles at three federal agencies: the General Services Administration, Department of Homeland Security and Department of Commerce. She also has had senior counsel roles at the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, Senate Special Committee on Aging, and Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee. Finally, she has practiced law at Wiley Rein LLP and Steptoe & Johnson LLP.

Most recently, Julie served as the Commissioner of GSA's Federal Acquisition Service where she led an organization of 3,500 staff with responsibility for government-wide acquisitions valued at \$75 billion. Since leaving government service, Julie established Dunne Strategic Solutions LLC and has served as Senior Advisor at The Chertoff Group and Counsel at Impresa Legal Group.

Julie holds a Bachelor of Science from James Madison University, a Master of International Commerce and Policy from George Mason University, and a Juris Doctor from American University.

### **About Monument**

Monument Advocacy is a bipartisan firm that offers government relations, public affairs, strategic and crisis communications, and digital services. We focus on providing our clients with the best advice on how to engage effectively in today's challenging and crowded public policy marketplace.

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