

2018 PHILADELPHIA BAR FOUNDATION PRO BONO AWARD

The **Philadelphia Bar Foundation Pro Bono Award**, first presented in 2003, is given annually to a <u>Philadelphia law firm or corporate legal</u> <u>department</u> that demonstrates outstanding volunteer efforts in providing legal services to those in need.

Criteria for the award include satisfying one or more of the following:

- Demonstrated dedication to the development and delivery of pro bono legal services in and around the City and County of Philadelphia;
- Contributed significantly to the development of innovative approaches to the delivery of volunteer legal services;
- Participated in an activity that addressed unmet needs for legal services, including underserved populations;
- Successfully litigated a pro bono case(s) that affected the provision of services to the indigent;
- Successfully supported legislation regarding the provision of legal services to the indigent;
- Demonstrated a significant pro bono commitment and contribution over time;
- Achieved other significant accomplishments or activities that have improved access to justice for residents of the Philadelphia area impacted by poverty, abuse and/or discrimination.

Nominator's Contact Information:

| Name: | Organization/Firm: |
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| Phone: | Email: |
| Law Firm/Corporate Legal Department Being Nominated: | |

A brief narrative supporting the nomination is required. Additional materials are encouraged.

All materials must be received at the Philadelphia Bar Foundation by **5:00 pm on Friday, June 1, 2018**. Nominations may be sent by email to <u>jhilburnholmes@philabarfoundation.org</u> with "**2018 Award Nomination**" as the subject, or by mail to:

Philadelphia Bar Foundation - Awards Committee, 1101 Market Street, 11th Floor, Philadelphia, PA 19107.

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