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Horton & Mendez Injury Attorneys Launches "Best of NC Heroes 2025" Contest to Honor Everyday Heroes



Voting Now Open – \$2,000 in Prizes Available

Wilmington, NC – Following an overwhelming response to the *Best of NC Teachers 2025* campaign—with over 500 votes cast across the state—Horton & Mendez Injury Attorneys is proud to announce the launch of the **Best of NC Heroes 2025** contest. This time, the spotlight turns to our everyday heroes: lifeguards, nurses, firefighters, police officers, EMTs, and other first responders who go above and beyond to protect and serve our communities.

Voting is officially open now through September 15, 2025, at <u>BestofNCHeroes.com</u>, where community members can vote for their favorite local hero. The top three winners will receive cash prizes totaling **\$2,000**:

- 1st Place \$1,000
- 2nd Place \$700
- 3rd Place \$300

Winners will be **announced live on Facebook at the end of September**. Be sure to follow <u>Horton & Mendez Injury Attorneys on Facebook</u> to stay up to date and celebrate with us as we recognize these deserving individuals.

How to Participate:

- 1. Visit <u>BestofNCHeroes.com</u>
- 2. Vote for your favorite local hero



3. Share the campaign with friends, family, and coworkers to spread the word

"We were blown away by the stories and support shown during our teacher campaign," said **Nick Mendez**, founding partner of Horton & Mendez. "It reminded us how important it is to recognize the people making a difference every day. Now we're continuing that mission by celebrating heroes in every corner of our state."

This initiative is part of **Horton & Mendez Cares**, the firm's charitable program that donated more than \$50,000 to North Carolina nonprofits in 2024.

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