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Announcing The Midwest's Best Lawyers Publication

AUGUSTA, Ga., Oct. 1, 2020 -- Best Lawyers®, the oldest and most respected guide to the legal profession, released the first annual Midwest Digital Issue, *The Midwest's Best Lawyers* today.

The stand-alone publication, using information excerpted from the 2021 Editions of *The Best Lawyers in America* and *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch*, highlights more than 12,000 lawyers recognized for their top legal talent, along with 922 "Lawyer of the Year" recipients from the Midwest region. Additionally, the interactive publication features notable local news and profiles of firms and individuals across the region.

Published in partnership with the Chicago Tribune Media Group, the digital-only edition has a readership of more than 6.8 million people. Additionally, *The Midwest's Best Lawyers* is available in full at www.bestlawyers.com.

Also included in the publication is information on the award methodology process, the Best Lawyers metro areas map for the Midwest region, and a brief company overview.

For research purposes, smaller and more rural cities located within a reasonable distance to larger cities are combined into single geographical regions called "metro areas" to help collect as much feedback and data as possible. "Lawyer of the Year" awards are designated through these metro area distinctions. The Midwest region, as defined by Best Lawyers, includes thirty-three metro areas from six states: Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, and Wisconsin.

"Lawyer of the Year" honorees are based on extremely high overall feedback within specific practice areas and metropolitan regions. *The Midwest's Best Lawyers* 2021 "Lawyer of the Year" section includes a Q&A feature, highlighting numerous "Lawyer of the Year" recipients from the region.

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unbiased source of legal referrals worldwide,” says Best Lawyers CEO Phil Greer.

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