



# Lathrop GPM Attorneys in Minnesota Recognized for Pro Bono Service

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**Minneapolis** (June 30, 2020) - The Minnesota State Bar Association honored 20 Minnesota-based Lathrop GPM attorneys as 2019 North Star Lawyers, certifying these individuals provided at least 50 hours of pro bono legal services in the past year to low-income people. Lathrop GPM attorneys nationwide across the firm's 14 offices provide pro bono counsel to numerous organizations and individuals in need of legal services, and several of the firm's Minnesota attorneys are named to the North Star Lawyer list annually.

The Lathrop GPM 2019 North Star Lawyers for Minnesota are as follows:

- Catie Bitzan Amundsen
- Eric Brown
- Julia Dayton Klein
- Maria de Sam Lazaro
- Liz Dillon
- Dean Eyler
- Dion Farganis
- Hannah Holloran Fotsch
- Susan Gaertner
- Wade Hauser
- Dorraine Larison
- Greg Larson
- Mark Mathison
- Amanda McAllister
- Gregory Merz
- Catlin Miles
- Bruce Mooty
- David Morehouse
- Kathryn Nash



- Julia Reiland

These attorneys assisted children, adults and organizations in a wide range of legal service areas, including adoption, business, copyright, entrepreneurial, environmental, financial, housing, human rights, real estate, tax and more.

The Minnesota State Bar Association recognized 884 North Star Lawyers in 2019. Together, the North Star Lawyers contributed more than 97,500 hours of service at an estimated value of \$24.3 million for the past year. Each North Star Lawyer certified to providing at least 50 or more hours of legal service, as defined in Rule 6.1(a), (b)(1) and (b)(2) of the Rules of Professional Conduct, in the given calendar year. A complete list of all Minnesota North Star Lawyers, as well as additional information on the program, is available online at [www.mnbar.org/NorthStar](http://www.mnbar.org/NorthStar).

Lathrop GPM considers pro bono legal services a professional responsibility and a community obligation of the firm. To learn more about the firm's pro bono services and initiatives, visit [www.lathropgpm.com/social-probono.html](http://www.lathropgpm.com/social-probono.html).