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## Baird, Lightner, Millsap & Harpool PC Join the Claims & Litigation Management Alliance

Springfield, Missouri - Attorneys Doug Harpool, Warford "Trace" Johnson III and Paul D. Link, partners in the Springfield law firm of Baird, Lightner, Millsap & Harpool, P.C., have been named members of the prestigious Claims & Litigation Management Alliance. The Claims & Litigation Management Alliance (CLM) is an inclusive, collaborative organization that promotes the highest standards of claims and litigation management. They were nominated by clients based on outstanding service handling civil litigation. They are the first attorneys from Springfield to be awarded membership in the organization.

Doug Harpool has represented clients in jury trials and civil litigation for over 30 years in areas such as employment, medical negligence, civil rights, product liability and trucking litigation. Harpool is recognized as an A.M. Best's Recommended Attorney, and has an AV™ Preeminent rating by the Martindale Hubbell Association® Peer Review.

Trace Johnson is also an A.M. Best's Recommended Attorney. He has been practicing for over 11 years. His practice includes defense litigation involving automobile and personal injury, premises liability, professional negligence and construction litigation. Mr. Johnson defends employment cases involving claims of discrimination, harassment, retaliation, violation of state and federal employment laws, and wrongful discharge. He has also represented employers and insurers in workers compensation claims.

Paul D. Link has over 15 years of experience in civil litigation including insurance coverage defense, personal injury and slip and fall claims, bad faith cases, homeowner claims, real estate litigation and professional negligence claims. He is an A.M. Best's Recommended Attorney.

Baird, Lightner, Millsap & Harpool P.C. is a full-service firm practicing throughout Springfield and the state of Missouri. For almost 30 years the partnership has built its highly regarded, full-service law firm offering to include legal representation in banking, commercial litigation, corporate and general business, employment law, family law, government, insurance defense, intellectual property, nonprofit organization, personal injury, probate litigation, professional liability, real estate, trusts and estate planning. For more information on Doug Harpool, Trace Johnson, Paul D. Link and BLMH please visit http://www.blmhpc.com.

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