

NC Equal Access to Justice
COMMISSION

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**Governor's Working Group on Veterans,
Service Members and Their Families**

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NC Equal Access to Justice COMMISSION

- **Commission of the NC Supreme Court;**
- **25 member Commission, chaired by the Chief Justice;**
- **Members include: judicial, executive and legislative branches, legal aid and law school representatives, members of the business and philanthropy communities.**

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Engaged in:

**Increasing resources for legal aid (legislative advocacy and fundraising coordination);
Increasing pro bono participation;
Exploring a civil right to counsel;
Rules changes to promote access to justice.**



Most recently, the Commission has convened stakeholders to coordinate pro bono legal services to veterans-the NC Pro Bono Veterans Network.



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Stakeholders include:

NC Bar Association and NC Equal Access to Justice Commission as coordinators.

Civil Legal Aid Providers, veterans organizations, law firms, law schools, judges and corporate counsel.





Activities of the NC Pro Bono Veterans Network:

Providing a forum to discuss issues of common interest to network members.

Coordinating Legal Representation at Stand Downs.

Identifying and Meeting Civil Legal Needs of Veterans, including Disability Appeals Claims.

NORTH CAROLINA BAR ASSOCIATION



NC Bar Association Activities:

Military and Veterans Affairs Committee

Family Law Pro Bono Project

Collaboration with State Bar's LAMP Committee



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