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David Kutik Receives Special Recognition from Legal Aid Society of Cleveland

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Cleveland - At the Legal Aid Society's Volunteer Recognition Breakfast in February 2007, [David Kutik](#), Jones Day Partner, received a special recognition award for his exceptional commitment to pro bono service. David, currently vice president of the Legal Aid Society of Cleveland's Board of Trustees and chair of Legal Aid's Pro Bono Committee, was recognized for his efforts while president of the Cleveland Bar Association to encourage lawyers to provide pro bono legal services and public service through an initiative called "Our Commitment to Our Community," or OCTOC. As a result of the many OCTOC programs David founded, the Cleveland community saw a surge in pro bono legal service and public service activities by lawyers, and the Cleveland Bar Association received the Harrison Tweed Award from the American Bar Association for "exceptional service" in the creation and expansion of pro bono and public service programs.