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Readler recognized by law foundation for community service

Columbus, OH– Chad A. Readler (43215), an attorney focusing in appellate litigation with Jones Day in Columbus, was presented with the Ohio State Bar Foundation Community Service Award for Attorneys 40 and Under in District 7 for his outstanding service to the community. He is a member of the Ohio State Bar Association District 7, which covers Franklin County.

Mr. Readler's community service has been concentrated in three areas: helping the public, helping children and pro bono legal services. He is a founding member and board Vice-Chairman of Directions for Youth and Families, an organization that provides counseling, educational and parental services to over 8,000 families in Ohio. Through his involvement in this organization, he helped create a charter school, Crittenton Community School, and later became Chairman of the school board. Readler is also a board member for Court Appointed Special Advocates of Columbus, providing guardians ad litem to children in domestic court cases. He is also the former co-chairman of the United Way of Central Ohio's Young Leadership Group, in which he worked to provide community support services to members and also recruited new members. Readler was recently appointed to the Commission on the Ohio Judicial Center by Chief Justice Moyer, and is a Fellow of the Foundation.

Readler earned his undergraduate degree and law degree, with honors, from the University of Michigan.

This award is presented to honorees in Ohio State Bar Association Districts across Ohio. It recognizes attorneys aged 40 or younger who contribute substantial time and effort to a local social service, or a local civic, artistic or cultural organization. The service must be outside the recipient's practice of law and must be given without compensation. Recipients should represent the ideals of the legal profession, be a credit to the profession and enjoy a fine professional reputation.

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