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THE MISSION

The mission of Legal Resources is to provide high-quality legal services to our members, enabling them to lead lives free of major legal expenses.

THIS MONTH'S EDITION

- Stevie Award Wins
- At-Home Summer Camp
- Lawsuit Pay-outs, and more!

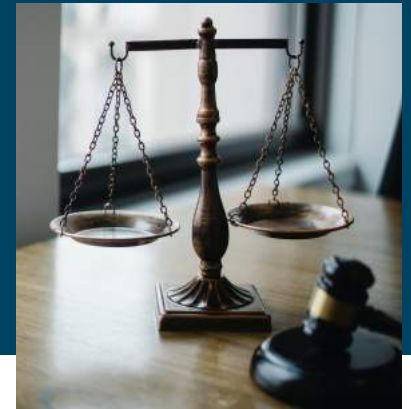
Featured in this issue:

Legal Resources Celebrates BIG Wins

Join us in celebrating the Legal Resources team for a record-breaking year! The judges of the 21st Annual American Business Awards recognized our staff's dedication to service and honored them with two Stevie Awards: **Gold Stevie Award Winner for Most Valuable Response by a Business Development Team and Bronze Stevie Award Winner for Customer Service Department of the Year**. This year's honors were based on Legal Resources' swift response to the immediate and long-term impacts of COVID-19 and mark the business' tenth consecutive year claiming a medal for Customer Service Department of the Year.

Legal Resources also celebrates becoming **Great Place to Work Certified!** Great Place to Work is the global authority on workplace culture and recognizes Legal Resources for its excellence in leadership, employee support and service.

"Our team is honored and humbled to receive this prestigious award. It's a testament to the hard work and dedication of each and every member of our team," says Jennifer Mariani, Legal Resources' Director of Member Services. "We take great pride in providing outstanding customer service to our members, and earning this recognition for the tenth year in a row is a validation of our efforts. We remain focused on meeting and exceeding the expectations of our members and providing them with the best possible service."



#TRENDINGNOW

Crab Driving Vehicles

CrabWalk is the latest in vehicular technology. The 4-wheel steering setting allows certain vehicles - namely the GMC Hummer EV Pickup - to move diagonally. As its namesake suggests, CrabWalk mimics the movements of the famous red creatures. CrabWalk's purpose is to aid in off-roading sessions and assist with tricky parking maneuvers. Korean manufacturer, Hyundai, is also developing a crab walking technology that allows all four wheels to pivot 90 degrees. See it here: [MOBIS TECH] e-Corner System



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Something Different

It's Picking Season

The only thing sweeter than summer sunshine is the fresh produce that grows on local vines. In many areas across the United States, strawberries, blackberries, peaches, tomatoes and other fruits are in peak season. Procuring produce from local fields and markets not only supports local growers, but ensures you are getting the freshest eats possible.

None of these fresh picks need doctoring up, but if you wish to explore your culinary creativity, consider trying your hand at homemade jams and jellies. Jams pair perfectly with from-scratch biscuits, thumbprint cookies or as an accompaniment to a cheese and charcuterie board. Make your own caprese salad or a fiery marinara sauce with freshly picked tomatoes too.

Sunflowers are also in season. Snag a few for a tasteful bouquet to display on your kitchen table or on your front porch.

DID YOU KNOW.....

Father's Day is June 18. Here's a definitive list of the perfect gift for every kind of dad:

- Bookworms - Premium Membership to Barnes & Noble
- Grilling Guys - seasoning salts and flavored barbecue wood chips
- Sport Lovers - a round of golf or a trip to the bowling alley
- World Travelers - custom luggage tag
- Craft Beverage Connoisseurs - membership to local a Mug Club or wine subscription



Tip of The Month!

Legal Spring Cleaning

Now that lockers are cleaned out and school supplies are stored away, it's time for summer fun! Save money and maximize bonding time by hosting at-home camps. Give each week a special theme and take the opportunity to explore your hometown. Engage in a Grows & Grub activity, for example, by visiting local farms and using the produce as part of a from-scratch recipe. Get creative - the possibilities are endless!

Frequently Asked Questions:

Q: I've already contacted my Plan Attorney once this year to discuss a traffic violation. Am I limited in the number of times I can contact him?

A: You may contact your Plan Attorney as frequently as you need. With the Legal Resources Legal Plan, there are no annual usage limitations.

Have a question?

Please contact our Member Services Department with questions regarding your plan coverage, or attorney/law firm-related questions at 800.728.5768.

CYBER CORNER

Meta Owes Mega Funds in \$725 Lawsuit

Did you have an active Facebook account between May 2007 and December 2022? If so, you may be eligible for compensation. Meta, Facebook's parent company, recently settled a \$725 lawsuit over privacy concerns. According to NPR, Facebook accepted payment from the Britain-based Cambridge Analytica in exchange for access to the personal data of roughly 87 million users. The personal information was allegedly used to target voters in the 2016 election.

Eligible users can apply for funds online at [FacebookPrivacySettlement.com](https://www.facebook.com/privacysettlement) or submit a mail-in application by the August 25 deadline.

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