



## Devin L. Honbarger

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### RELATED SERVICES

- Construction
- Transportation
- Product Liability
- Commercial Litigation
- Aviation

### OFFICES

- Raleigh

### OVERVIEW

Civil litigation and construction attorney Devin L. Honbarger resolves disputes and defends claims and lawsuits involving companies, construction, general contractors, and sub-contractors. When companies face allegations, Devin protects their reputations and livelihoods with an all-in defense strategy. He has experience managing all stages of litigation including pre-suit negotiations, pleadings, discovery, depositions, mediations, motions practice, and trials.

Devin's experience includes litigating both commercial and general liability cases including construction defect, real property, premises liability, transportation, and commercial contract and business torts. In his construction defect work, Devin represents developers, manufacturers, general contractors, subcontractors, and design professionals. Devin has also represented clients in aviation accidents and incidents, premises liability, and transportation cases.

During his time at Campbell Law School, Devin excelled academically, graduating with honors, and engaging in a variety of extracurricular activities, including the Old Kivett Moot Court Competition, the Veterans' Pro Bono Project, and the Business Law Clinic. During law school, Devin interned with prominent organizations such as Verizon, the United States Attorney's Office for the Eastern District of North Carolina, Cranfill Sumner, and a small plaintiff's firm.

Before pursuing law, Devin served in the U.S. Army from 2008 to 2022, where he gained extensive leadership and high-pressure decision-making experience. As a combat medic, he earned the Soldier of the Year award twice, and later as a warrant officer, he served as an Apache helicopter pilot. His service included a combat deployment to Afghanistan, where he was awarded the Air Medal and an Army Achievement Medal. Devin's military background has helped shape his approach to legal practice, where he draws on his skills in effective communication, critical thinking, and working in high-stress environments.

Outside of work, Devin enjoys spending time with his wife, son and the family dog. Devin and his family love traveling, skiing and cheering on the Appalachian State Mountaineers.

## REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE

- Obtained a dismissal by motion at the opening of a bench trial on procedural grounds in a breach of contract and fraud case.
- Obtained a voluntary dismissal for a siding and insulation subcontractor in a residential construction defect case.
- Obtained a favorable ruling in federal court on aviation defendant's motion for judgment on the pleadings eviscerating the plaintiff's claims for damages.
- Negotiated a favorable settlement of a trespass to real property and drainage dispute case where the defendant was not required to pay any money and the plaintiff agreed to correct the issues on his own.
- Negotiated a favorable settlement of a premises liability case at mediation.

## CREDENTIALS

### Admissions

- North Carolina
- Tennessee
- U.S. District Court for the Eastern, Middle, and Western Districts of North Carolina

### Memberships

- State Bar of North Carolina
- North Carolina Bar Association

- Mecklenburg Bar Association
- 26th Judicial District Bar Association
- Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association (AOPA) LSP Panel Attorney

**Community Involvement**

- President of the Board of Directors, Glennwood North Homeowners Association, 2021-2023
- U.S. Army, North Carolina Army National Guard, 2008-2022

**Education**

- J.D., *cum laude*, Campbell Law School, 2022
- B.S., Political Science Pre-law, Appalachian State University, 2015
- B.S., International Criminal Justice, Appalachian State University, 2015