We would like to recognize Mr. Michael George for his pro bono work. Michael George, a trial attorney with Polsinelli PC, is KCMBF’s August Military Matters Spotlight honoree. Michael’s practice is focused on medical malpractice, as well as general business and liability litigation. He has represented health care organizations, institutions, and professionals in disputes involving technical and complex subject matter. Mike works with clients that require more than a strong trial lawyer—they want an attorney who understands the relationships between law, technology and medicine, and is able to apply these understandings to protect their rights, interests, and bottom line. Prior to joining Polsinelli PC, Michael defended physicians and physician practice groups in all phases of disputes, from pre-litigation negotiations through trial. And as a former Assistant District Attorney, Michael prosecuted numerous jury trials including cases involving business fraud and embezzlement—invaluable experience that afforded him first-hand insight into how juries consider the evidence and issues of a case.

Michael has been a dedicated Military Matters volunteer attorney since the program’s launch in 2016 and has performed more than 100 hours of pro-bono service to our men and women in the military. Not only has his service been recognized by Military Matters, but he is also a recent recipient of the Project Pro Bono Champion award.

Below are just a few of the cases Mike has taken on for the Military Matters program.
PRO BONO SPOTLIGHT

1. Assisted Vietnam veteran in becoming licensed and insured after having been suspended from driving for a number of years.
2. Helped resolve several traffic offenses for a young veteran who recently returned from service in Iraq.
3. Helped resolve several traffic offenses for a young female veteran so that she could successfully pass a background check for a new job as a security officer.
4. Helped resolve various traffic offenses for a Vietnam veteran (and paid the small court costs on his behalf because the veteran was unable to).
5. Counseled a Vietnam veteran after an encounter with law enforcement that never materialized into any case or charges being filed.
6. Reached a fair resolution in a DUI case in which the veteran is able to focus on treatment and other VA services instead of serving jail time.

KCMBF greatly appreciates all of his service throughout the years!