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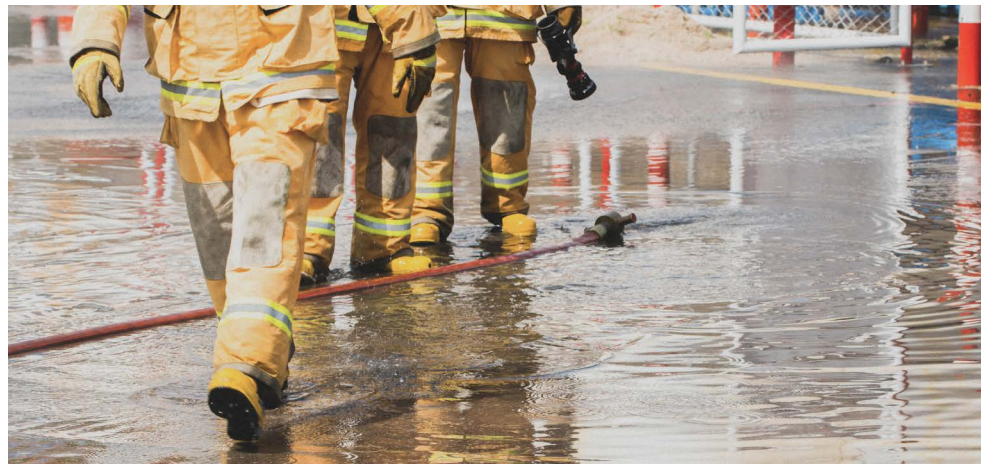
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## Years-Long Dispute with Kansas City First Responders End with Settlements

Boyd Kenter Thomas & Parrish attorneys, led by Ray Salva, Jr. recently won two multi-million-dollar settlements for Kansas City first responders for violations of the Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA) for the underpayment of firefighter overtime pay. Together, these settlements represent resolution of a years-long pay dispute between the firefighters and the City. The firm is extremely proud to have represented Kansas City's first responders in obtaining such a favorable outcome against the City while remaining true to our mission of helping working people achieve justice. [Click here to read more.](#)





## BKTP Provides Legal Expertise on Banning Captive Audience Speeches

Labor attorney Dana Apple was interviewed by radio station KKFI's Heartland Labor Forum program to discuss the National Labor Board's General Counsel's move to outlaw anti-union captive audience meetings where employers push workers to vote against union organizing.

[To listen to the full interview, click here.](#)

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## Meet Our New Law Clerks

Boyd Kenter Thomas & Parrish has recently added new law clerks to the firm. Please welcome Fiona Taus and Nick Hurt, both attending UMKC Law School as Juris Doctor candidates graduating in 2023.

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## BKTP Sponsors Firefighters Golf Tournament

Partners Jason Iezzi and JR Boyd, along with associate attorney and State Representative Robert Sauls and Minority Floor Leader Crystal Quade, participated in the Good & Welfare golf tournament for Local 781 of the International Association of Firefighters. The law firm was a sponsor of this event which benefitted the Independence community. Based upon their performance, it is highly unlikely the team will be able to give up their day jobs to play professionally any time soon!



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