Pro Bono Nonprofit Honors Fried Frank During Annual Gala

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Pro Bono Partnership honored its 2025 Pro Bono Champions during its 28th Anniversary Gala on Sept. 30.

Patrick Tully moves around the crowd during a live auction to raise money for Pro Bono Partnership at the annual gala on September 30, 2025 in Manhattan, New York. Photo: Ryland West/ALM

An organization that connects nonprofits in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut to attorneys who can provide free legal services honored Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson and Prudential Financial Inc. for their pro bono work over the past year.

Pro Bono Partnership named the two its 2025 Pro Bono Champions during its 28th anniversary gala on Sept. 30. The event doubles as a fundraiser for the partnership, which has provided more than $200 million in free legal services in

the tri-state area since its founding in 1997, according to the organization's website.

Fried Frank's award was accepted by Steven Scheinfeld, the global chair of the firm's corporate department. Prudential's award was accepted by its general counsel, Ann Kappler.