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## **SNELL & WILMER ATTORNEYS VOLUNTEER AT THE 10<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL ARIZONA STANDDOWN EVENT IN PHOENIX**

**PHOENIX (February 10, 2011)** – Snell & Wilmer is proud to announce that eleven of its attorneys volunteered their legal services at the 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Arizona StandDown, which began Friday, February 4 and ended on Sunday, February 6. The event brought together the Valley's homeless and at-risk military veterans to help connect them with services ranging from healthcare, food and legal aide. It was held at the Veterans Memorial Coliseum, which accommodated an estimated 1,000 veterans.

This year, criminal cases were heard at the StandDown by judges from superior court, justice courts, and city courts. The veterans were represented by volunteer lawyers, including those from Snell & Wilmer. The goal for everyone, including the participating judges, prosecutors, and probation officers, was to help as many veterans as possible find a solution to their legal issues that allowed them to successfully complete their sentences as well as continue on the path of rebuilding their lives.

“Lives were changed last Saturday,” said Billy Little, Colonel, United States Air Force Reserve. “None of this would have been possible without the critical role played by the attorney volunteers from Snell & Wilmer. These attorneys showed the courage to stand up and represent veterans who have already stood for the rest of us.”

Referring to the veterans, Snell & Wilmer partner Craig Logsdon said, “Lots of these men and women go into war with promising lives and come back with some deep rooted psychological issues. We owe it to them to help get their lives back on track. The Arizona StandDown has given hundreds of veterans this opportunity, thanks to the efforts of the volunteers.”

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