

## Three Hedrick Gardner Attorneys Selected for Inclusion in 2026 Legal Elite

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M. Duane Jones – Appellate

Catherine E. Lee – Employment

Preston W. Rollero – Young Guns

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