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Norfolk attorney L. Clayton Magee focuses on the practices of maritime law and labor law. Clay is a 2008 graduate of the United States Naval Academy and is an alumna of Tulane University School of Law, where she gained both a law degree and a Maritime Law Certificate. While at Tulane, Clay served as an Editor of the *Tulane Maritime Law Journal*. She continues her academic pursuits as a Legal Research Fellow for the Naval War College Conference for Civilian-Military Humanitarian Response. Prior to life as an attorney, Clay was a Surface Warfare and Maritime Security Officer in the United States Navy. She remains actively drilling as a Lieutenant Commander in the United States Navy Reserves.

In 2019, Clay moved from New Orleans to Norfolk to join Waters Law Firm as a litigation practitioner and labor attorney. At Waters Law, she focuses on Jones Act claims, general maritime third-party claims, and Death on the High Seas Act claims as well as labor union representation. She is Associate General Counsel to the affiliated Locals of the International Longshoremen's Association in the Commonwealth of Virginia.

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