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Uncle Julio's Named Best Mexican Restaurant in Northern Virginia

Readers of Virginia Living voted restaurant winner in Best of Virginia Living Awards

ARLINGTON, Va. (June 15, 2023) – Fresh, high-quality Mexican cuisine takes top honors, as readers of *Virginia Living* magazine award Uncle Julio's restaurants with an auspicious honor: **Best Mexican Restaurant in Northern Virginia**.

"This is a great honor for our team, people who work hard to create a memorable dining experience for our guests," said Dan Wheeler, chief marketing officer of Uncle Julio's. "We want to express our sincere appreciation for this recognition, and for the opportunity to continue bringing our signature hospitality to our guests in Virginia."

Uncle Julio's win was the result of a reader's choice competition, the "Best of Virginia Living" awards, announced in the magazine's 12th annual "Best of Virginia" issue. The 176-page statewide guide lists the more than 1,500 winners from the publication's January readers' survey. Nearly half a million votes were cast in 104 categories for the survey, which covered the best in food and drink, living and recreation, services and shopping across the Commonwealth's five regions.

"Without our reader and voters, this special issue wouldn't be the go-to reference that it is today," said Vayda Tarleton, associate editor of special projects for *Virginia Living*.

Uncle Julio's has restaurants in Arlington, Ashburn, Fairfax, Gainesville, Reston and Woodbridge, Virginia. More information can be found online at www.unclejulios.com.

Uncle Julio's serves made-from-scratch Mexican cuisine, using fresh ingredients and authentic recipes to create its signature taste in everything from mesquite-grilled meats to hand-crafted margaritas. Guests find memorable dining experiences through a welcoming atmosphere and interactive menu. Headquartered in the Dallas, Texas area, the first Uncle Julio's opened in 1986 and continues to expand to define the polished casual Mexican industry. To find a location near you or to peruse the mouth-watering menu, visit UncleJulios.com, or connect with Uncle Julio's on Facebook [@UncleJulios](https://www.facebook.com/UncleJulios) and Instagram [@UncleJuliosMexican](https://www.instagram.com/UncleJuliosMexican).