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Re: Letter of Recommendation, Forty Under 40

Dear Nominating Committee,

I am writing this letter to recommend Nathaniel (Nate) Boulton be considered for nomination as a 2016 Forty Under 40 recipient.

I have known Nate since his days as an undergraduate at Simpson College in Indianola, Iowa and I can confidently say while his day-to-day activities have changed since then, his reputation has not. Those who know Nate frequently ask themselves, "how does he do it all?" Whether staying connected to Simpson, practicing law at Hedberg & Boulton where he is Attorney and Partner, or even completing his 32nd marathon, Nate does it all with conviction and dedication to being the best.

Not comfortable with being a bystander to those causes he believes in, Nate can always be counted on to help lead the charge with any activity he participates in and provide a solution to improvement – usually involving himself playing an active part in that improvement. Nothing reflects this desire to help those organizations he is involved with and the community he lives in more clearly than his current run for Iowa Senate.

Nate would be a fantastic addition to the 2016 Forty Under 40 class, not only for all he has done to-date, but the unyielding commitment he has to the success of our community in the future.

Sincerely,

Lauren Rasmussen