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Business Record 2014 Forty Under 40 Award Committee

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RE: Nomination of Christy Jones for the 2014 Forty Under 40 Award

Dear Business Record 2014 Forty Under 40 Award Committee,

It is an honor and privilege to write a letter to recommend Christy Jones for the 2014 Forty Under 40 Award.

In her role at R. Jones Collision Repair, Christy makes critical business decisions on a daily basis while making sure the office is run in a most efficient manner. Her skills do not end with her office work. She also projects a warm, cheerful attitude to the customers. I have seen her resolve conflicts and handle other difficult situations with remarkable patience and admirable tact.

In the community, Christy goes out of her way to help people in need by volunteering at church or on various boards. She loves people, works hard, and always tries to lift the spirits of those around her. I believe these characteristics represent all that is good in our community.

She is the kind of leader we all wish for when we look to fill a seat on a board or work with someone in business. Not only is she professional, but she works very well with her employees or board members to reach or surpass goals. Christy leads by example and always encourages those around her to be better.

I have always found her dependable, efficient, and unfailingly punctual. Her willingness to take on difficult projects and seeing them to successful completion has repeatedly impressed me over the years.

A few highlights include: organizing a major fundraising activity where all proceeds benefitted The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, supporting The Johnston Community School Foundation, actively participating in The Urbandale Community Action Network, adopting a family at church, and volunteering at networking activities. No matter the group, Christy is always giving back.

If you have never met Christy Jones, you should meet her. Or better yet, sit on a board with her. You’ll be glad you did!!

Most Sincerely,

Jennifer Boldt