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Baird Holm Names Four New Partners

January 28, 2016 (OMAHA, Neb.) - Baird Holm LLP is proud to announce that Brent W. Beller, Michael W. Chase, Tyler J. Mullen and Nick K. Rudman have been named Partners with the Firm.

Brent's practice encompasses all areas of real estate development and real estate finance law, with a focus on traditional real estate acquisition and disposition, leasing, structured finance and secured lending, tax credit loan financing and equity investments, general construction and planned development, environmental compliance, water rights, mineral acquisition and sales, land use development and zoning. He received his Juris Doctor from the Creighton University School of Law.

Michael assists clients with issues including compliance with Federal health care program fraud and abuse laws, reimbursement, clinical research and institutional review board compliance, and governance. His practice also focuses on electronic health records (EHR) technology and issues under HIPAA, HITECH, Meaningful Use and other Federal and State laws regarding privacy of data. He received his Juris Doctor from the Saint Louis University School of Law.

Tyler focuses exclusively on public finance transactions, working with issuers, underwriters and other transaction parties to structure and close a variety of tax-exempt and tax-advantaged bond issues. He received his Juris Doctor from the Creighton University School of Law.

Nick represents businesses of all sizes in catastrophic fire, explosion, carbon monoxide poisoning and other high stakes litigation across the country. Nick has significant experience litigating commercial disputes, personal injury and wrongful death lawsuits, trucking accidents and transportation claims, premises liability claims, toxic torts, large-scale agricultural losses, and insurance coverage disputes. He received his Juris Doctor from the Creighton University School of Law.

"These attorneys are great additions to our Partnership," said Baird Holm LLP Managing Partner Richard E. Putnam. "They are providing great value to our clients today and will be key contributors to our growth and success in the future."

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