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Nevada Business Magazine Names Nine Fennemore Craig Attorneys to its 2019 Legal Elite List

Nevada Business Magazine also recognizes five Fennemore Craig attorneys on its list of Best Up & Coming Attorneys

LAS VEGAS AND RENO, NV - Fennemore Craig, a leading law firm in the Mountain West, announced that nine of its attorneys have been named to Nevada Business Magazine's 2019 Legal Elite list and five attorneys to its list of Best Up & Coming Attorneys. Compiled each year, the Legal Elite is a list that showcases Nevada's top attorney's chosen by their peers.

"It's an incredible honor for so many of our attorneys to be named a Legal Elite by *Nevada Business Magazine*," said <u>Craig Etem</u>, managing partner of Fennemore Craig's Reno, NV office. "This award is a testament to the incredible work Fennemore Craig attorneys do across the Silver State to help our clients thrive. I'd like to congratulate my fellow recipients for this well-deserved recognition."

Now in its twelfth year, the Legal Elite list recognizes only the top 3 percent of attorneys in Nevada. Nearly 5,000 nominations were submitted by Nevada lawyers, and each submission went through an extensive verification and scoring process based on the number received and weighted depending on if a nomination came from within the attorney's own firm or if they were selected by another firm.

"This list confirms what we have long known to be true: Fennemore Craig lawyers are in a class of their own and constantly go above and beyond for clients. I'd like to offer my congratulations to the 14 attorneys recognized by their peers as Nevada's Legal Elite and Up & Coming lawyers," said <u>James Goodnow</u>, Fennemore Craig's president and managing partner.

This year's list includes the following attorneys and their practice emphasis:

- Christopher Walther Business and Finance; Real Estate; Corporate
- Colleen Dolan Real Estate; Business and Finance; Gaming and Hospitality
- Craig Etem Corporate La;, Real Estate Finance and Lending; Mergers and Acquisitions

- Katherine Hoffman Government Affairs; Gaming and Hospitality; Natural Resources (Energy and Environmental)
- Ann Morgan Employment and Labor Relations; Business Litigation; Trusts and Estates
- Courtney O'Mara Business Litigation; Estate Planning; Trust and Estate Litigation
- Shannon Pierce Employment and Labor Relations; Business Litigation
- John Tennert Business Litigation; Litigation; Natural Resources (Energy and Environmental)
- Allen Wilt Business Litigation; Mining Litigation; Healthcare Litigation

The Best Up & Coming attorneys recognized include:

- Chelsie Adams Business Litigation; Healthcare Litigation and Regulation
- Wade Beavers Litigation; Business Litigation; Employment and Labor Relations
- Eric Duhon Real Estate; Business and Finance
- David Lewandowski Business and Finance; Intellectual Property; Real Estate
- Brandi Planet Business Litigation; Employment and Labor Relations; Cannabis Law

About Fennemore Craig

For over 130 years, Fennemore Craig, a NLJ 250 firm, has provided high quality legal counsel to help clients thrive in a complex and constantly evolving business and legal landscape. Fennemore Craig goes beyond the expected to generate maximum value for its clients and to help them keep pace with the rate of change, protect their legal interests and identify opportunities. Today, the firm is uniquely poised to help fulfill needs that range from general counsel to niche legal specialties, works on issues ranging from water rights in the West, business formation, mining, gaming and cross-border trade and offers a deep understanding of the issues facing The New West. Learn more about its legal services at FennemoreCraig.com