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**IRELAND STAPLETON'S BRIAN MEEGAN NAMED ONE OF DENVER'S
"FORTY UNDER 40"**

Denver, CO (March 15, 2011) –Brian Meegan, a shareholder and director with Denver law firm Ireland Stapleton, has been named one of Denver's "Forty Under 40" by the Denver Business Journal.

"As an attorney, Brian has the enviable combination of substantive expertise, sound judgment, and impeccable social skills," said K.C. Groves, Ireland Stapleton's co-managing director. "He has also generously donated his time and energy to our community, where he has been the champion of positive change for a number of causes. Brian really is the complete lawyer, and we are very proud of him."

The Forty Under 40 award recognizes a diverse group of young, dynamic business leaders whose efforts in the office and in the community are shaping the future of the Denver metro area. This year, more than 300 nominations were sent in for 197 individuals. A group of judges selected the 40 most outstanding individuals from those nominated based on business recognition and community leadership. Brian and 39 others were honored at an event with more than 400 in attendance on March 15.

As a business attorney with Ireland Stapleton, Brian represents a mix of entrepreneurs and established businesses. He has been named a Rising Star by Colorado Super Lawyers magazine every year since 2009, and is also a graduate of the Denver Metro Chamber of Commerce Foundation's Leadership Denver class of 2003. To learn more about Brian, please visit his biography [here](#).

About the firm

Ireland Stapleton Pryor & Pascoe, PC is a Colorado law firm providing legal services with an emphasis on bankruptcy, business, employment, environmental and energy, estate planning, litigation, real estate and special districts law. The firm has been in Denver since 1926 and is a member of the State Capital Group. Member firms of the State Capital Group practice independently and not in a relationship for the joint practice of law. To learn more about the firm visit www.irelandstapleton.com.

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