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**Andrea Donovan Napp Elected to Hartford Marathon Foundation's  
Board of Directors**

**HARTFORD, CT** (April 11, 2014) – The Hartford Marathon Foundation (HMF) has elected Robinson & Cole lawyer Andrea Donovan Napp to its Board of Directors. The foundation's 40+ events draw over 70,000 participants annually. Since 1994, HMF has injected over \$100 million into the Hartford area and facilitated more than \$5 million in fundraising for dozens of community charities.

"As a lifelong runner, I am honored to be a part of the Hartford Marathon Foundation, which, in addition to hosting great races throughout the year, also organizes programs for people of all ages and experience levels that demonstrate how health and fitness can be fun," said Ms. Napp. "Health and fitness shouldn't be intimidating, and HMF does a fantastic job of making its events accessible and welcoming to experienced runners and first-timers alike."

"Andrea Donovan Napp is a great fit for our Board of Directors, she provides valuable perspective as a passionate runner as well as through her professional experience," said Beth Shluger, founder and Executive Director of the Hartford Marathon Foundation. "We're pleased to have her join the Board as HMF continues to experience growth and increases positive impact on communities across the state."

Andrea Donovan Napp is a member of Robinson & Cole's Business Litigation Group and the chair of its Electronic Discovery and Information Management Governance Team. In addition to e-discovery, Ms. Napp focuses her practice on complex commercial matters involving a broad spectrum of issues, including intellectual property, data privacy and security, and unfair trade practices. She earned her J.D., *magna cum laude*, from Quinnipiac University School of Law and her B.S., *cum laude*, from Boston University in Journalism.

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**About the Hartford Marathon Foundation**

The Hartford Marathon Foundation, Inc. is a nonprofit organization founded in 1994 to create and manage fitness events that inspire people to be healthy and fit. Located in Glastonbury, Connecticut, the Hartford Marathon Foundation organizes nearly 42 annual athletic events, including the Hartford Marathon, and 25 training programs. For more information, visit [www.HartfordMarathon.com](http://www.HartfordMarathon.com) and on Facebook at HMF Events.

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