

## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: PDCM Insurance Announces New Partners**

Pedersen, Dowie, Clabby & McCausland Insurance (PDCM) is pleased to announce the elevation to partnership of Steve Clabby, Chris Fereday and Bart Harms. These three new partners join existing partners John Pedersen, Mac McCausland, and Frank Dowie. PDCM congratulates Steve, Chris and Bart for the manner in which they have distinguished themselves in serving their clients and the community. "We are delighted that these three outstanding insurance professionals have become partners," principal Mac McCausland said. "They are a great reflection of the experience and depth found throughout our firm."

**Steve Clabby** is a founding employee of PDCM. He has been serving his clients since 1984. Steve attended the University of Northern Iowa and has earned the Certified Insurance Counselor designation. Steve's insurance specialties focus on developing insurance solutions for a variety of industries. Steve is well known in Eastern Iowa for his insurance solutions for the construction industry.



**Chris Fereday** joined PDCM in 2001 after working six years as a broker in one of the world's largest insurance brokerages, focusing on providing property casualty insurance solutions to a variety of industries including manufacturing, technology, public entities, non-profits and higher education. Fereday received a BA degree in Marketing from the University of Notre Dame and has also earned the Certified Risk Manager designation. In every area, Fereday has earned a reputation for leveraging the marketplace and negotiating the best value in customized coverage for clients.



**Bart Harms** heads the PDCM Life and Health Division where he has focused on developing tailored healthcare solutions. The cost and availability of affordable health insurance has been a top priority for employers and employees across the nation. Harms has developed his practice to bring comprehensive and industry-leading group health insurance to Iowa businesses. Harms received his degree from Wartburg College.



### **About PDCM**

PDCM Insurance Inc. resulted from the merger of two successful agencies. Vaughan, Pedersen & McCausland Insurance, Inc. had its beginning in 1916. Bob Brown and Harry Dieckman formed the Brown and Dieckman Insurance Agency in 1936. Today, employing over 50 insurance professionals, PDCM serves commercial and personal clients from three offices in Iowa. Our focus is in property and casualty, workers' compensation, employee benefits, personal insurance and retirement planning. Our expertise, resources, reputation, and growth have gained us our client's loyalty and the industry's respect.

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