



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
Joseph L. Gibbons

City of Lenoir

North Carolina

March 24, 2026

Dear Chairperson Liz Johnson & Nominating Committee,

I'm writing to recommend that Doug Matheson, Councilmember, Town of Blowing Rock be nominated to serve as a Director of the NCLM Board of Directors District 10.

I have known Doug for many years and he is a long-time Councilmember of Blowing Rock. We served together on the NCLM Risk Management Board of Trustees for several years, and I have always been impressed with his dedication and commitment to the League and to his town.

Doug has served as a long time Councilmember for the Town of Blowing Rock and served as Mayor Pro-Tem for several years.

Doug has served on the NCLM Board of Directors as a at large member and has also served on the High County Council of Governments and is the immediate Past Chairman.

Given his experience and commitment to serving his Town, the League, and the people of North Carolina, I think Doug would be a wonderful addition to the League Board of Directors leadership.

I encourage you to nominate Doug for the position of Director. I'm confident that he will ensure that the League continues to prosper and provide excellent service, training, and guidance to all of our members. I look forward to seeing him in this role.

Sincerely,

Joseph L. Gibbons, Mayor
City of Lenoir, North Carolina
Past Chairmen, NCLM Risk Management Board of Trustees
Current Member, NCLM Board of Directors