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As both the US and Global leader of Deloitte Private, Tone works with a broad team of professionals who are focused on serving the unique needs of privately held businesses, family enterprises, private equity funds, portfolio companies, and emerging growth companies.

Deloitte Private meets these clients' needs by providing audit and assurance, tax, consulting, and risk and financial advisory

services to help them address today's complex challenges and identify tomorrow's opportunities. Deloitte Private connects organizations and their owners to a network of ideas, tailored solutions and industry expertise unmatched in depth or breadth by any global professional services advisor.

Tone is also a client service leader either as a senior Tax partner or an overall lead engagement partner serving some of the largest privately held and family-owned businesses in the country.

During his career, he has authored numerous articles regarding tax issues that impact private companies and has been regularly interviewed by various news outlets including the Wall Street Journal, The New York Times, The Economist, Financial Times, Investment News, Yahoo! Finance and Politico regarding broader business matters that impact privately held businesses.

Tone received his BBA in Accounting at the University of Iowa Tippie College of Business in 1996 and worked at Arthur Andersen before joining Deloitte in 2002. Prior to joining the Tippie Advisory Board, he served as the president of the Professional Accounting Council at the University of Iowa.

He is currently a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA) and the Illinois CPA Society and serves on the boards of the United Way of Metro Chicago (as Vice Chairman); Chicago Metro Chapter of the National Football Foundation College Football Hall of Fame; and the Fred Mitchell Award Selection Committee.

Tone and his wife Laura Lee reside in the Chicago suburbs and are blessed with two wonderful teenage children (Rowan and Wolfie) and a pair of very active Labradors. When not supporting his children and their activities, he can be found fishing, golfing, traveling the world, or cheering for his beloved Iowa Hawkeyes.

