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## **Workforce Southwest Promotes two in Fiscal Department**

**Vancouver, Wash. (June 13, 2018)** – Workforce Southwest Washington (WSW) announces the promotion of Barri Horner to Fiscal Director and Kathy Ashley to Staff Accountant.

In her new role, Horner will provide fiscal oversight for the organization and will manage accounting, reporting and budgetary operations. Horner joined WSW in 2009 and ensures the organization meets the fiscal deadlines and processes of grantors and regulatory agencies.

Horner holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration from Warner Pacific College in Portland, Oregon and is completing coursework for a Master of Science in Accounting from Grand Canyon University.

Kathy Ashley has been promoted to Staff Accountant, providing operational and fiscal support including, payroll, internal, state and funder reporting and cash flow management.

A U.S. Navy veteran, Ashley joined WSW in 2013 and has a diverse background that includes working as a personal assistant and executive secretary for a company that manufactured fittings for liquid chromatography, sales coordination and payroll processing.

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**Workforce Southwest Washington (WSW)**, a nonprofit organization founded in 2002, contributes to regional economic growth by providing investments and resources to improve the skills and education of the workforce in Clark, Cowlitz and Wahkiakum counties. WSW-funded programs operated by WorkSource and community-based organizations help businesses find and hire the employees they need and provide people with the skills, education and training to find work or advance in their careers. WSW collaborates with employers, community colleges and universities, labor groups, government and economic development agencies, high schools, nonprofits and community organizations. Learn more at [www.workforcesw.org](http://www.workforcesw.org).

*Serving businesses, job seekers and youth in Clark, Cowlitz and Wahkiakum counties.*

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