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Cristina Lamoureux

**SELCO Community Credit Union** recently hired **Cristina Lamoureux** as vice president, cash management officer for its Commercial & Business Banking division. In this role, Lamoureux will oversee and help expand SELCO's cash management program, from sales and service to commercialization of new and exciting products, in service of local businesses.

Lamoureux will be stationed in the Old Mill branch in Bend, but her responsibilities will include much of the state, from Portland south to the Eugene/Springfield area and east to Central Oregon.

Lamoureux has worked in the banking industry for 30 years, including the last 18 within cash management services. Most recently, she was a vice president, product

and service quality manager at Northwest Bank in Lake Oswego, Oregon.

Lamoureux earned a bachelor's degree in international finance from the University of Miami. In addition to her duties at SELCO, she has served on several nonprofit boards, including St. Charles Foundation, Redmond Area Park & Recreation District and the Parks Foundation. Lamoureux has also been involved with Redmond Kiwanis, Ronald McDonald House, Project Connect as arena branch director and Spanish interpreter and FAN Redmond Development Committee. Away from work, Lamoureux enjoys spending time with her family, traveling, visiting museums, camping, kayaking and reading.

The **Deschutes Land Trust** announced that **Rika Ayotte** will become its next executive director on July 6, 2021. Ayotte brings demonstrated experience in leadership, collaboration and nonprofit management to lead the Land Trust in conserving and caring for the lands and waters that sustain Central Oregon for generations to come.

Since 2015, Ayotte has served as the executive director for Discover Your Forest, a Central Oregon nonprofit partner to the Deschutes and Ochoco National Forests. She holds a master of business administration degree in nonprofit management and is also the founder and CEO of Forest Path Consulting, a nonprofit organizational development firm. Ayotte has more than 15 years of experience working in nonprofit organizations. She was a



Rika Ayotte

leader in the foundation of both the Deschutes Trails Coalition and Ochoco Trails Strategy groups helping to convene dozens of partners and raising hundreds of thousands of dollars for sustainable trails in Central Oregon. She has led multiple strategic planning processes and organizational development efforts for public lands partners and conservation organizations across the western United States.

Ayotte was born and raised in Southern Oregon and has been in Central Oregon for the past six years. She holds a bachelor of arts in history from the University of Washington, a master of arts in museum management and a master of business administration degree in nonprofit management from John F. Kennedy University. She serves on the boards of The Children's Forest of Central Oregon and the Global Leadership Adventures International Foundation, and sits on the Bend Cultural Tourism Fund Commission. When she's not working or volunteering, you will find her hiking and camping with her family and her dog and chasing after her energetic toddler.

Ayotte will succeed Brad Chalfant, the Land Trust's executive director for 25 years.

**Oregon State University – Cascades** has announced the recipients of the 2021 Distinguished Student Awards.

The annual awards are among the top honors given by faculty to OSU-Cascades students and recognize outstanding academic achievement and contributions to each degree program's field of study.

The Central Oregon undergraduate recipients and their fields of study are:

- Emmerson Donnell of Bend American studies.
- Sandra Dennis of Bend arts, media and technology.
- Abigail Larkin of Bend biology.
- Megan Bolt of Bend business administration.
- Marji Symonds of Bend computer science.
- Bridger Cook of Bend energy systems engineering.
- **Tyler Morris** of Bend hospitality management.
- Thelma Pruett of Bend human development and family sciences.
- Willie Farias-Rivera of Bend liberal studies.
- Laura McWhorter of Bend natural resources.
- Jade Warner of Bend social science.

The Central Oregon graduate recipient and her field of study is:

Angela Rose Leverich of Bend - Master of Teaching in elementary education.
To view stories about the award recipients visit osucascades.edu/distinguished-students-2021.

**Tillamook County Creamery Association** (TCCA) announced **Peggy Han** as its new executive vice president and chief financial officer (EVP/CFO). In this role, Han will oversee and manage controllership, financial planning and analysis, tax, treasury and information technology. Han brings more than 25 years of financial leadership experience and a lifetime of love for the Tillamook brand to the EVP/CFO position.

Prior to joining TCCA, Han was CEO at Vitamin World USA where she kept the company resilient while navigating the unprecedented business challenges associated with the COVID-19 pandemic. She also held the previous position of Head of Financial Planning & Analysis — Roche Molecular Diagnostics at F. Hoffman-La Roche AG. Prior to working at Roche, she spent more than 15 years at Safeway, Inc., serving in various business units including New Store and Concept Development, Beverages, Snacks and ultimately, Head of Finance for Safeway's Own Brands packaged foods division — representing \$7 billion in annual revenue at the time. Early in her career, Han served as a Financial Analyst

at Hewlett Packard.

She graduated from the University of California at Berkeley with a degree in economics and a minor in accounting. She then went on to receive her master of business administration degree in finance from the University of Texas at Austin.

Han's role as EVP/CFO at TCCA began on June 1, 2021. She will primarily work out of TCCA's Portland Outpost facility and will also spend significant time in Tillamook and traveling to other co-op locations, as well.



Tim Carroll

**Tim Carroll**, who prioritized superior, student-centered learning as dean of the Eberhardt School of Business at the University of the Pacific, will become Sara Hart Kimball Dean of **Oregon State University's College of Business** effective July 30.

Carroll has served as a dean and a professor of management at the University of the Pacific in Stockton, California, since 2018. At Pacific, he led the development of a new college strategic plan, increased student retention and enrollment, launched programs to meet the needs of students and employers, created events to enhance communication between the college and students, and expanded fundraising.

Prior to joining the University of the Pacific, Carroll served as associate dean of executive development at the University of South Carolina's Darla Moore School of Business.

At South Carolina, Carroll served as president of Corporate Solutions LLC, a private arm of the business school that fosters corporate partnerships to address employer talent needs and promotes student experiential learning projects. Additionally, he led the school's nationally ranked professional MBA program, leveraging technology and a blended learning approach to deliver classes across seven sites in two states.

Before working at South Carolina, Carroll was a member of the faculty at Georgia Tech, where he developed innovative academic courses and cultivated external partnerships.

Carroll's scholarly expertise focuses on competitive strategy and organization. He has consulted and delivered executive development programs to companies in the aerospace, apparel, banking, computer, construction, energy, engineering services, media, mining, petroleum, pharmaceutical, railroad, restaurant and telecommunication industries, as well as several government agencies. He holds a Ph.D. in management from Duke University. He has also served on many community, nonprofit and business development advisory or board roles.

Carroll replaces Jim Coakley, who has served as interim dean of the OSU College of Business since summer 2019. Coakley is also senior associate dean for analytics and operations in the college. He will continue in that role.

**Redmond Proficiency Academy** (RPA) students **Chaela Baker** and **Harrison Swift** were recently announced as first place winners in the Oregon Mayors Association (OMA) If I Were Mayor contest.

The annual contest gives elementary, middle and high school students the opportunity to explain policies and initiatives they would put in place if they were mayor. Contestant entries are composed of posters, essays and digital media.

Baker, a senior at RPA High School, won first place at the state level in the high school Video category and Swift won first place at the state level in the middle school Essay category.

In her video entry, Baker said increasing recycling opportunities would be one of her major initiatives, even adding a recycling center to Redmond. Baker would also ensure that Redmond city parks were safe and clean.

Swift, a seventh-grader at RPA Middle School, pledged to tackle the issues of homelessness, writing, "I would propose the city build a designated homeless camp, somewhere along Maple Avenue. It would have bunkhouses, an area for tents and a program to help people get jobs. The camp would be built on tax dollars, and would charge its patrons five-ten dollars a night. I think that this would really help homelessness in Redmond (and Oregon as a whole), and could aid the homeless in getting back on their feet."

First place-winning students and their families will be invited to attend the OMA Summer conference in North Bend at the Mill Casino on July 31, to have their prize presented at an awards luncheon. As first place winners, Baker and Swift will both receive \$500 checks.



REDMOND MAYOR GEORGE ENDICOTT PRESENTING FIRST PLACE IF I WERE MAYOR CONTEST CERTIFICATES TO SENIOR CHAELA BAKER (L) AND SEVENTH-GRADER HARRISON SWIFT (R) | PHOTO COURTESY OF RPA