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United Way of Central Washington Selects New Board Members

The United Way of Central Washington (UWCW) is proud to announce that they have appointed their newest board members to its operations. UWCW is proud to welcome Cal Blethen, Jennifer Bliesner, Kevin Good, David McKinney and Hilary Tanenberg as Board Members and Tony N. Klein as 2017-2018 Board Chair. UWCW is a local non-profit 501(c)3 organization serving Yakima and Kittitas counties. UWCW is committed to using all tax-deductible donations, including employee giving, wisely, locally and effectively to make a positive difference in people's lives, creating a stronger community for us all. For more information about their new board members, see below and go to uwcw.org to learn more about how United Way serves Central Washington.

Cal Blethen is a Financial Advisor with RBC Wealth Management and proud father of a one-year old son. He is an active member of Rotary, Cowiche Canyon Conservancy, and the Yakima School District in addition to his new role as Board Member at United Way. Cal is passionate about community issues, particularly those relating to education and youth engagement.

Jennifer Bliesner was named a partner of Terril, Lewis & Wilke Insurance just one year after joining the firm and in 2012 she earned the prestigious Certified Insurance Counselor designation. Jennifer has served the Yakima Valley in a variety of capacities from Rotary and Junior League of Yakima to St. Paul's Cathedral School and Monsignor John A. Ecker Foundation and looks forward to continuing to be involved with the community.

Kevin Good was born and raised in the Yakima Valley and after receiving his Bachelors and Masters of Science degrees in Accountancy at the University of Montana and spending a few years on the west side, Kevin returned home. As a Certified Financial Planner at BB Financial Services, Inc, He focuses providing world-class consultancy services to his clientele and enjoys the comradery and connectivity the Yakima Valley provides.

David McKinney is Vice President of Capital Markets & Investor Relations for the Wilkinson Family of Companies. David serves his community through his membership in Yakima Rotary, his church, St Paul Cathedral, and advisory board for the Salvation Army, SOZO Sports of Central Washington, Yakima Valley College, and efforts to raise awareness of the homeless through an annual effort known as Operation TIN CUP.

Hilary Tanenberg is a 2009 Central Washington University graduate and a CPA at Moss Adams. While at work she focuses primarily on not-for-profit audits. As an Ellensburg resident, Hilary is looking forward to strengthening the Yakima and Kittitas Counties relationship through service.

Tony Klein is a native of Eastern Idaho, who moved to Yakima shortly after college in 1986. Tony is currently Senior Vice President and Division Manager at Banner Bank, leading the commercial lending function of the Bank throughout Central Washington. After being involved in various capacities with United Way including Campaign Chairperson in 2015/2016, he assumes the role of Board Chair for 2017/2018.