

# PEOPLE ON THE MOVE

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## BANKING

### Byline Bank, Chicago

Byline Bank, a subsidiary of Byline Bancorp, Inc. (NYSE:BY), welcomes **Stephen Ball** as Senior Vice President, Head of Business Banking. Ball brings nearly 30 years of direct retail banking experience to Byline and is responsible for ensuring a strong small business presence through the branch network and specialized business bankers. He connects businesses to experienced bankers who offer sound advice and can help businesses with access to capital as well as cash management optimization.



## BUSINESS SERVICES / CONSTRUCTION

### J.C. Anderson, Chicago

J.C. Anderson, a leading Chicagoland General Contractor specializing in interiors, is pleased to announce that the firm has hired **Brian Vogt** to join the team as senior estimator. He brings six years of estimating and account management experience with him. Prior to joining J.C. Anderson, he was an account manager with Clarion Construction, Inc., where he worked for nine years. He graduated from Western Illinois with a bachelor's degree in Construction Management and minor in Business Management.



## CONSTRUCTION

### Mortenson, Chicago

Mortenson welcomes **Maggie Beckley** as Healthcare Development Executive based in our Chicago office. She is focused on strategic vision, long term growth, development of client relationships, and creating and executing development opportunities for the healthcare vertical. Maggie came to Mortenson from Advocate Aurora Health, where she was Director of Real Estate. Maggie holds an MBA in Real Estate from Roosevelt University where she held honors as a Goldie Initiative Scholar.



## CONSTRUCTION SERVICES

### Kinsale Contracting Group, Inc., Westmont

Kinsale Contracting Group, Inc. is pleased to announce the promotion of **Alexander E. Tennant** to Vice President of our Environmental Division. Alex will be overseeing operations by working closely with our Estimating Teams and Field Supervisors to ensure project continuity, initiate new strategies and continue to maintain quality services provide by Kinsale. With over 30 years of experience, Alex's proficiency and knowledge has made him a respected leader in the environmental industry.



## DESIGN / BUILD

### Air Comfort Corporation, Broadview

Air Comfort Corporation, one of the Chicago area's largest mechanical contractors, is pleased to announce the promotion of **Mike Devito** to President. His new role begins as the company enters an exciting phase of growth in partnership with Orion Service Group. Mike has more than 30 years of industry experience and is dedicated to developing his team of problem solvers, delivering quality solutions and providing exceptional customer service.



## EDUCATION

### Erikson Institute, Chicago

**Mariana Souto-Manning, Ph.D.**, has been named President of Erikson Institute. She is a visionary leader with a passion for early childhood and extensive experience in higher education administration. Currently Professor of Early Childhood Education and Director of both the Early Childhood Education and Early Childhood Special Education Programs at Teachers College, Columbia University, Souto-Manning's research focuses on inequities and injustices in early childhood teaching and teacher education.



## ENGINEERING / CONSTRUCTION

### Cyclone Energy Group, Chicago

**Megan Starner** has been named Director of Operations for Cyclone Energy Group. In this role, Megan brings nearly 20 years of project management experience to reach across department lines to increase the collaboration and delivery of internal initiatives. Prior to this, Megan was the energyPLAN Account Manager and focused on working with property teams to ensure that the monitoring of building data and implementation of cost-saving initiatives were meeting or exceeding building expectations.



## ENGINEERING / CONSTRUCTION

### SPAAN Tech, Inc., Chicago

**Julie Hernandez-Tomlin** joins SPAAN Tech, Inc. as Executive Vice President of Business Affairs, where she will advise, coordinate, structure, and negotiate on business matters for the firm. Her decades of experience with government, construction management, operations, budgeting and finance, personnel, labor relations and procurement will be a valuable asset to the SPAAN Tech team. More recently, Hernandez-Tomlin served as First Deputy Commissioner for the Chicago Department of Water Management.



## FINANCIAL SERVICES

### Mesirow, Chicago

**Marcin Bednarczyk** has joined Mesirow Currency Management as a Senior Vice President, Senior Portfolio Manager. In this role, he will focus on implementing the team's investment strategy and portfolio management functions while supporting a recently expanded suite of products and continued increase in AUM. Most recently, Marcin served as Senior Portfolio Manager at Russell Investments. Mesirow was recently named one of the Best Places to Work in Chicago by Crain's Chicago Business.



## FINANCIAL SERVICES

### Million Dollar Round Table, Park Ridge

The Million Dollar Round Table (MDRT) recently appointed **Joe Ferrazza** as Director of North America Channel Relations. A Chicago native and insurance business veteran, Ferrazza will lead the financial association in expanding its North American footprint, equipping U.S. and Canadian financial services professionals with the resources needed to protect their clients, grow their practice and propel both to next-level success.



## FOOD / BEVERAGE

### Blue Plate Catering, Chicago

Blue Plate, one of Chicago's premier caterers, is proud to announce the arrival of **Charles Haracz** as their new Executive Chef. Chef Haracz comes to Blue Plate after 10 years as Executive Chef at the Art Institute of Chicago where he oversaw all Culinary Operations. In his role as Executive Chef he will lead menu development and oversee all kitchen and field operations for a culinary team of more than 100. He will also continue to build Blue Plate's successful business dining program.



## HEALTH CARE

### Caravel Autism Health, Chicago

Caravel Autism Health, a leader in the diagnosis & treatment of children on the autism spectrum, welcomes **Michelle Wright** to its board of directors. Wright has extensive healthcare leadership experience as an executive at CareFirst BlueCross BlueShield and as a consultant. A parent of a child with autism, she is deeply invested in advocacy for people with disabilities. Wright will help Caravel guide its investments in talent & data-driven technology to deliver better autism treatment outcomes.



## HEALTH CARE

### Health Care Service Corporation, Chicago

**Sarah Soong** joins Health Care Service Corporation as the company's vice president and treasurer. Sarah is responsible for leading the company's treasury strategy, including enterprise treasury operations, corporate finance and banking relationships, corporate capital structure, investment management activities, and capital expenditures on internal initiatives. She most recently served as vice president and treasurer for Xcel Energy Inc.



## LAW

### Benesch, Chicago

**Jake A. Cilek** has joined Benesch as a Partner in the Benesch Healthcare+ Practice Group. Jake's practice focuses on healthcare law and encompasses a range of regulatory, transactional and corporate matters. His work includes counseling clients with regard to the legal aspects of day-to-day operations, including general corporate matters; anti-kickback and Stark issues; self-referral, corporate practice of medicine and fee-splitting prohibitions; and HIPAA and health information privacy.



## LAW

### Benesch, Chicago

**J. Scott Humphrey** has joined Benesch as a Partner and Chair in the firm's Trade Secrets, Restrictive Covenants and Unfair Competition Practice Group. He has extensive litigation, arbitration, and counseling experience involving a wide range of complex commercial contract disputes and business torts, including matters arising from trade secret appropriation, breach of restrictive covenants, contract disputes, manufacturing and distribution issues, fraud, and insurance disputes.



## LAW

### Benesch, Chicago

**Hersh Mehta** has joined Benesch as a Partner in the firm's IP Litigation Practice Group. He represents clients in intellectual property litigations and transactions throughout the United States. A patent attorney with an electrical engineering degree, Hersh has served as lead counsel in the U.S. District Courts, Courts of Appeals, International Trade Commission, and Patent Trial and Appeal Board.



## LAW

### Chico & Nunes, P.C., Chicago

Chico & Nunes, P.C. is pleased to announce attorney, **Gina C. Adduci**, has been promoted to partner. Gina focuses her practice on MWDBE issues including certification, government contracting, and procurement law. Practicing law since 2010, Gina represents a broad range of clients, including prime contractors, subcontractors, professional service firms and material suppliers in doing business with federal, state and local governments.



## LAW

### Clark Hill PLC, Chicago

**Jose Vela Jr.** joined Clark Hill's Healthcare group in Chicago as Sr. Counsel, following 20+ years of service at the U.S. Dept. of Justice as Asst. U.S. Attorney/Lead Trial Attorney handling healthcare fraud cases. Vela was an Asst. State's Attorney for Kane County State's Attorney's Office and is a retired Lt. Colonel/U.S. Army with a distinguished 28-year career. He represents healthcare industry clients regarding compliance, insurance payment/reimbursement and information technology issues.



## NON-PROFIT

### Chicago Commons, Chicago

Chicago Commons welcomes **Dana Thomas, CPA** as the new Chief Financial Officer. Ms. Thomas brings over 20 years of experience in planning, budgeting, analyses, reporting, and extensive managerial experience within public accounting, for profit and nonprofit industries. Prior to joining Chicago Commons, Thomas was Vice President of Accounting for EAB Solutions Inc., specializing in financial analysis, budget modeling, process improvement, and implementation of internal control policy and procedures.



## REAL ESTATE

### Newcastle Limited, Chicago

**Jiten C. Sood** joins Newcastle Limited as Controller. Jiten will lead the firm's accounting and reporting functions. He will partner with the division heads to improve the firm's processes and move business initiatives forward. Jiten brings a wealth of real estate accounting experience to his new role. He earned a BS from Northern Illinois University and holds an MBA from Loyola University Chicago's Quinlan School of Business.



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