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Dear Board of Directors, Staff and Partners of Project Access Northwest:

I am pleased to announce the selection of Gary Renville as Executive Director of Project Access Northwest, effective June 1, 2017. Gary will join us on Thursday, June 1, to begin an overlap with Sallie during her last weeks of her tenure with this organization. As difficult as it will be not to have Sallie leading Project Access Northwest after founding this exceptional organization over 11 years ago, we know that Gary is well positioned to pick up where Sallie leaves off. Over the past 11 years, with an excellent leadership team, Sallie has built an organization to respond to the unmet needs of our healthcare community. Her leadership team will continue to serve the organization well as Gary takes on the role of Executive Director.

Gary brings an extensive background leading non-profit organizations to success. From April 2014 to 2017, he worked for the National Kidney Foundation, his most recent role as Regional Vice-President. In this capacity, he managed teams of leaders with annual revenue growth of \$15 million. He also cultivated many funding partnerships from health care providers and co-created and piloted the Big Ask Big Give program of the National Kidney Foundation. Prior to this, he was Vice-President of the National Office of Points of Light/HandsOn Network, where he designed and led several programs, including its Impact Innovation Hub Program. Gary graduated from Oregon State University with his Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education and from Columbia University with a Master of Arts degree in Educational Administration.

Please join me in welcoming Gary to our organization. He is very excited to meet each of you and the important work that you do.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Chrissy Yamada". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Chrissy Yamada
Board President
Project Access Northwest