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Columbia Industries Elects New Officers

Kennewick, WA - Columbia Industries selected new officers, new board members, recognized outgoing members and partner for success Award during their 42nd Annual Meeting, held in May.

The newly installed officers are: **Board Chair** Gary Long, Benton PUD; David Strutz, Tri Cities Shared Services; **Treasurer** Flint Mulder, U.S. Bank; **Secretary** Pat Turner, Innovations; **Operations Committee Chair** Norm Powell, Fluor; and **Marketing Committee Chair** Tony Umek, Fluor Federal Services.

Outgoing Board members recognized for their service included Rich Reisinger, Beverly Miller, Dave Fraley, Carol Auld, and Paul Wilburn. Newly elected to the board was Charlie Hoppis of Fidelitas Winery.

Banner Bank was recognized as Columbia Industries Business “Partner For Success.”

Established in 1963, Columbia Industries, a United Way agency, is a non-profit organization that assists people with disabilities or other barriers to employment by providing employment and training programs designed specifically for participants with unique abilities.

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