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Make-A-Wish Foundation® of Alaska & Washington Elects New Members to Board of Trustees

SEATTLE- The Make-A-Wish Foundation® of Alaska & Washington is pleased to announce the following new members to its Board of Trustees.

Carla C. Wigen

Wigen is the Vice President & Wealth Management Director, Washington region for Wells Fargo. She is a Certified Public Accountant with over 18 years of financial experience. Carla earned her Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Washington; her Juris Doctorate from Seattle University School of Law; and her Masters of Law, Taxation degree in University of Washington. Wigen is a member of the Seattle Estate Planning Council; the Washington Society of Certified Public Accountants; Washington Women in Tax; and both the Washington and Oregon State Bar Associations. She currently resides in Maple Valley.

Mitch Hansen

Hansen is a Certified Public Accountant and principal in the audit and assurance practice at Clark Nuber P.S. in Bellevue. In this role, he works primarily with not-for-profit organizations aiding in fundraising issues, audits for federally funded programs, and tax issues. Mitch earned a Bachelors of Science degree in Accounting and Finance and minored in Economics and Geology at a Utah State University. He has experience as an auditor for the U.S. Department of Commerce, as well as in accounting at Yellowstone National Park. Hansen is a member of the American Institute and Washington Society of Certified Public Accountants, the Not-for-Profit Committee-WSCPA, a board member and coach for the Kent Valley Hockey Association, as well as a board member of The Hearthstone Retirement Living. Hansen currently resides in the Puget Sound area.

About the Make-A-Wish Foundation of Alaska & Washington:

*The Make-A-Wish Foundation of Alaska & Washington grants the wishes of children with life-threatening medical conditions to enrich the human experience with hope, strength and joy. Since its inception in 1986, the chapter has granted more than 4,250 wishes to children in the Northwest and will grant more than 300 wishes this year. For more information about the local Make-A-Wish chapter, including how you can help **share the power of a wish®** contact us at 800.304.WISH or visit our Web site at www.northwestwishes.org.*

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