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### **Greater Oshkosh Economic Development Corporation Announces New Members to Board of Directors**

OSHKOSH, WIS. (March 26, 2018) – Greater Oshkosh Economic Development Corporation (Greater Oshkosh EDC), a private-public non-profit economic development organization, has announced the addition of seven new members to its Board of Directors and a newly appointed Treasurer.

The seven new board members named are:

- Amy Albright, Oshkosh Convention & Visitors Bureau
- Jim Fletcher, UW Oshkosh
- Dennis Lewandowski, Oshkosh Chamber of Commerce
- John Newman, Aurora Health Care
- Denise Parrish, Ascension Mercy Hospital
- Wayne Trembly, Oshkosh Coil Spring
- Qaiser Zafar, Bemis Healthcare Packaging

Additionally, Stan Leedle of Choice Bank was appointed to serve as the organization's Treasurer.

Outgoing members of the board are:

- Jon Doemel, Oshkosh Chamber of Commerce
- Wendy Hielsberg, Oshkosh Convention & Visitors Bureau
- Chancellor Andy Leavitt, UW Oshkosh
- Jeremy Normington-Slay, Ascension Mercy Hospital

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Directors of the Greater Oshkosh EDC board provide oversight, leadership, and vision for advancing economic development initiatives in the greater Oshkosh area and support staff's efforts to expand and diversify the regional economic base.

"We are excited to welcome our newest slate of board members who join a board filled with accomplished and dedicated professionals from a wide variety of backgrounds in our community. A big thank you goes out to the outgoing board members for their service and contributions to this organization," said Tom Castle, Board Chairman of Greater Oshkosh Economic Development Corporation.

In addition to the new members announced, the Greater Oshkosh EDC Board of Directors is composed of: Tom Castle, CastlePierce, Board Chairman; Brad Baumann, CliftonLarsonAllen, Vice Chair; Stan Leedle, Choice Bank, Treasurer; Ken Arneson, Evergreen; Kristin Fassbinder, Oshkosh Corporation; Mark Harris, Winnebago County; Steve Hoopman, FirstWeber; Matt Jameson, Jay Manufacturing; Carol Karls, Wisconsin Public Service; Rob Keller, Town of Black Wolf; Melissa Kohn, Fox Valley Technical College; Erik Lampe, Oshkosh Airport Products; Stan Mack II, Oshkosh Area School District; Diane Penzenstadler, 44° North Advertising & Design; Greg Pierce, Windward Wealth Strategies; Mark Rohloff, City of Oshkosh; Pat Weston, CR Meyer; Bill Wyman, Oshkosh Area Community Foundation; and emeritus board member, Burk Tower.

Greater Oshkosh EDC was founded in 2015 and exists to preserve the health of existing companies, foster a positive entrepreneurial environment, connect companies to workforce and talent development resources, enhance the business climate and promote the quality of life in the greater Oshkosh area. For more information, visit: [www.greateroshkosh.com](http://www.greateroshkosh.com).