

New Board Members Named to Front Door Agency



Nashua, NH -- The Front Door Agency welcomed two new board members and elected new officers for fiscal year 2018-19 at their June meeting held at Courtyard by Marriott. Joining the board are **Maria Bocheva**, Branch Manager, VP at Citizens Bank in downtown Nashua and **Chris Wilcox**, a Commercial Loan Officer at Lowell Five Bank in Nashua.

Ms. Bocheva is a native of Bulgaria, where she earned a degree in audio engineering before moving with her family to the United States to take advantage of better job opportunities. She has worked at Citizens Bank since 2000.

Mr. Wilcox graduated from Western New England University and began his banking career in 2010 at Needham Bank. He was promoted to Commercial Credit Analyst and eventually accepted a position as Senior Credit Analyst at Lowell Five in 2016. He joined the Nashua branch as Commercial Loan Officer in 2017.

Jessica Ackerman was named board president for the 2019 fiscal year, replacing Robert Kennedy of BAE who was recognized at the meeting for his leadership in 2017-18. A resident of Nashua, Ackerman is employed at Deloitte & Touche. Linda LaFleur of SquareTail Advisors was named president-elect; Suzanne Beaubien of Bellwether Community Credit Union is serving as vice president; Erin Almeda as secretary and John Chase, a retired BAE employee, as treasurer.

Front Door CEO Maryse Wirbal recognized outgoing board members Kip Jackson and Michael Martinez for their service to the Agency. Jackson, who served five years, was instrumental in working with students on the Agency's Penny Picker drive each year. Martinez, of Cityside Management, dedicated 12 years of service to the organization, often providing property management support and taking part in many initiatives to help people in need. For more information, visit www.frontdooragency.org.

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