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Downtown San Diego Partnership Announces Addition to Staff

Carey Algaze joins the team as Vice President of Economic Development & Land Use

The Downtown San Diego Partnership is pleased to announce that Carey Algaze will serve as the organization's Vice President of Economic Development and Land Use. Ms. Algaze brings to the team a wealth of public and private sector experience in real estate development, as well as an MBA, Master of Science in Real Estate, and bachelor's degrees in Urban Studies and Planning, as well as in Sociology.

"Carey has proven experience in obtaining broad public support for innovative development projects throughout the state of California," said Partnership Chairman Craig Benedetto. "She is uniquely skilled in creating genuine, lasting, and productive relationships with community members, residents, city staff, and elected officials, and we look forward to her leadership on issues throughout Downtown San Diego."



In her previous role as Director of Planning and Entitlements at Pacifica Companies, Ms. Algaze managed a high volume of ground-up development projects from acquisition through completion. Prior to Pacifica, while working in the public sector for the County of San Diego's Department of Planning and Land Use, Ms. Algaze cultivated the ability work with communities to navigate zoning codes, permitting processes, and entitlements.

With a focus on land use, entitlements, placemaking, and strengthening San Diego's economy, Ms. Algaze will implement the Downtown Partnership's vision for San Diego's evolving urban core. She will start her new position on July 16, 2018.

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The Downtown San Diego Partnership is a membership organization that supports development, stimulates business and economic growth, and advocates for improvements that enhance Downtown San Diego's quality of life. We are proud to serve nearly 400 members and 11,000 property owners in San Diego's urban core.