



THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2023 YAKIMA CONVENTION & EVENT CENTER

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DARLENE WILCZYNSKI HOW PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT SUPPORTS THE FED'S MISSION



Darlene Wilczynski is vice president and regional executive of the Seattle branch of the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco. In this role, Darlene engages with members of the business and banking sectors, as well as with community and government leaders in Washington and Alaska as part of the Bank's commitment to understanding and reflecting the communities it serves. She is a senior leader who represents the San Francisco Fed in the region and supports the Seattle Board of Directors and Advisory Councils, including their contribution to monetary policy decisions.

Darlene joined the San Francisco Fed in October 1997 as the assistant manager of Check Services in Seattle. She has held roles of ever-increasing responsibility in areas that include Human Resources, Public Information, Seattle Check Services, Northern Region Cash Services, District Facilities Management, and Workplace Services before stepping into her current role.

Darlene received a Bachelor of Science degree from the United States Naval Academy and served on active duty in the United States Navy for almost six years, and in the Naval Reserves for another 18 years before retiring as a Commander in 2009. She also holds an MBA and a certificate in organizational leadership from Chapman University and is a graduate of the Pacific Coast Banking School.

Darlene is a member of the Community Development Round Table for the Seattle Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce, Vice President of the Board of Trustees of the Bellevue Arts Museum, and a proud member of the Washington Chapter of the International Women's Forum.

Darlene lives in Edmonds, WA with her husband of 37 years, John Wilczynski. She enjoys travel, golf, and as a history major, she loves to learn more about history. They have a son, daughter-in-law, and two granddaughters who live in Bothell and another son who is a chef in New Orleans. They have happily called Washington State their home for 35 years.

FOR THURSDAY'S MEETING

Greeters – Connie Falon, Jessica Humphreys
 Music – David Rogers
 Invocation – Sheri Bissell
 Program – Mina Worthington
 Attendance – Rich Austin
 Marble Draw – Kelly Gasseling, Jordan Matson

FUTURE PROGRAMS

September 21st – Lunch & Tour of Pacific Northwest
 University of Health Sciences
 September 28th – Rosalinda & Elizabeth Mendoza,
 Mocel Mezcal
 October 5th – Nikki Torres, National Hispanic Heritage
 Month
 October 12th – Megan Tweedy, Opioid Fentanyl Crisis

ROTARY VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

An email went out yesterday (Thursday) with direct links to three Rotary Community Service opportunities. If you didn't have a chance to read, now is the time to go take a look. **ROTARY** in Yakima is very **BUSY** over the next couple of months and your **HELP** is needed! You can walk in the Sunfair Parade on Saturday, September 23rd and help hand out bubbles and Apple Chips. You can pack food bags for our Healthy Futures Project. Shifts are 4pm to 7pm on the second and last Thursday of every month. The first date is September 28th. You can also choose from a multitude of tasks for Operation Harvest both before and the day of the event (October 7th). They include stapling flyers to bags, distributing bags on a route, collecting food along a route, or working at the collection site. **PLEASE** sign-up today.

ROTARY PICNIC – THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH, 2023

