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Salt Lake City Welcomes New Administrative Services Division Director

Former County government affairs specialist takes on new role

SALT LAKE CITY – The Public Services Department recently announced the appointment of Ann Ober as Administrative Services Division Director.

Ober takes over her new position after serving Salt Lake County for the last seven years in Mayor Peter Corroon's administration. Ober was a key contributor on a number of policy initiatives for the County with a primary emphasis on environmental initiatives. In her new position, Ober works with Salt Lake City's Youth and Family Services, policy development, the Gallivan Center, and on citywide events and activities. She will also be contributing to ongoing City efforts in community gardens, solar energy and emergency services.

"Working with the Salt Lake City team during these past few months has been amazing," said Ober. "I feel incredibly lucky to have been granted the opportunity to work for such a dynamic city."

As Mayor Corroon's government affairs specialist, Ober headed up projects that dealt with Wasatch Canyons' transportation issues, managed the County environmental office and worked with the Utah federal delegation to improve County services. Previously, Ober worked for Indiana Congressman Peter Visclosky and the non-profit policy group, Women's Action for New Directions. Ober received her undergraduate degree from Pacific Lutheran University and a Master of Public Administration from the University of Utah.

During her spare time, she enjoys both indoor and outdoor activities that include competing in triathlons, hiking, cooking and reading.

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