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HOUSE REPUBLICANS ANNOUNCE NEW COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR

Salem, OR - House Republican Leader Mike McLane (R-Powell Butte) today announced the hire of Kara Walker, who will serve as the Communications Director for the House Republican caucus. Walker most recently served in the communications office of New Jersey Governor Chris Christie.

"I'm pleased to welcome Kara to the team as we look to expand and strengthen the House Republican agenda," said Representative McLane. "Her knowledge and experience will help foster fresh and innovative ideas within the caucus and strengthen the way our agenda of growth and opportunity for every Oregonian connects with people's daily lives."

"Leader McLane and the House Republican caucus have a proven track record of working to advance the policies that will lead to better lives for Oregon families," said Walker. "I'm proud to join the caucus and look forward to continuing our efforts to create more jobs for Oregonians, push for educational excellence for students and ensure an efficient and transparent government that is accountable to the people."

A Florida native, Walker spent the past three years serving in a variety of communications staff roles for Governor Christie, initially as a press intern and ultimately as a Deputy Press Secretary, where she assisted in the execution of communications plans and press outreach for the Governor's Office and the Christie Administration. Her previous experience includes operations for state Senate and House campaigns at the Republican Party of Florida.