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Melvin Mark CEO Tapped for Local Board Leadership

PORTLAND, Ore. — Jim Mark, chief executive officer of the Melvin Mark Companies, has been asked to serve on the board of directors for both The Oregon Community Foundation and the Portland Business Alliance.

The mission of [The Oregon Community Foundation](#) is to promote philanthropy by working with individuals, families, businesses and organizations to create charitable funds to support community causes. Through these funds, OCF awards more than \$60 million annually in grants and scholarships. [The Portland Business Alliance](#) works in partnership with public and private organizations to build a vibrant Central City and regional economy.

Mark joined Melvin Mark Brokerage Company as a leasing agent in 1981 and was named chief executive officer in 2000. He serves on the U.S. Bank Advisory Board and is a board member for Henningsen Cold Storage, Carrera Motors, GreenLight Greater Portland, Portland Streetcar, and Oregon State Police Foundation. Most recently he served as board president for The CORE Network, a worldwide organization of independent commercial real estate brokerages.

About Melvin Mark Companies

The Melvin Mark Companies have developed, owned and managed property in Portland since 1945. They currently own or manage more than 2.8 million square feet of commercial space in the metro area, and provide a full range of commercial real estate services for landlords and tenants. The companies include Melvin Mark Brokerage Company, Melvin Mark Development Company, Melvin Mark Properties and Melvin Mark Construction Company. Melvin Mark Brokerage Company is Oregon's only member of The CORE Network, a global alliance of commercial real estate providers with affiliations in the United States, Canada, Mexico, Asia and Europe.

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