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and Tiffany Nash as Partners**

Kernutt Stokes is pleased to announce that Kimberly Pepion, CPA and Tiffany Nash, CPA have been promoted to partner.

Kimberly Pepion, CPA, has been with the firm since 2012 and specializes in providing comprehensive tax and consulting services, including trust and estate planning and compliance services. She leads the firm's efforts in the transportation industry and has expertise in the timber industry as well. Pepion serves on the Oregon Trucking Association's Image Committee and Membership Committee. Pepion has a Bachelor of Science in Accounting from the University of Oregon and works out of the firm's Eugene office.

Tiffany Nash, CPA, has been with Kernutt Stokes since 1999 and is an expert in tax planning, compliance, and consulting. She has special expertise in multi-state tax issues and enjoys assisting clients through the complexities of conducting business in multiple states. Nash serves on the Oregon Society of Certified Public Accountants board of directors and previously served on the board for Ophelia's Place. She is a graduate of California Polytechnic State University, where she earned her Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with Summa Cum Laude honors. She works out of the firm's Eugene office.

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