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### **Cherriots Appoints New Board Member**

Salem-Keizer Transit Board of Directors are pleased to welcome Pete Jossi as board member for Subdistrict 4 - Northeast Salem. Jossi was appointed by the board of directors at the December 9 meeting to fill the unexpired term of Shelley Hanson, who resigned from the Board for personal reasons in October. Hanson served on the Salem-Keizer Board of Directors for just over 3 years including a year and 3 months as Board President.

Jossi graduated from Portland State University with a B. S. in Business Administration and is currently employed with the Salem-Keizer School District and the Salvation Army, Ray & Joan Kroc Corps Community Center. He also volunteers for several organizations. Jossi says he looks forward to this new opportunity to make a difference for his neighbors. "I'm happy to have found a way to serve my community and hope that my perspective can help to continue to improve the Salem Area Mass Transit District."

Jossi's appointment to the Salem-Keizer Board of Directors is effective through June 30, 2011. This and four other Sub Districts will be up for election in May. Anyone interested in filing as a candidate for Sub Districts 1, 3, 4, 5 and 7 should contact Linda Galeazzi with Salem-Keizer Transit at 503-588-2424 or [skt@cherriots.org](mailto:skt@cherriots.org).