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## **JET CONGRATULATES KARI PAULSEN ON PROMOTION TO OPERATIONS DIRECTOR**

**JET, which serves adults, dislocated workers, public assistance recipients, and youth ages 14+ on career paths to employment in a seven-county area of Northeast Minnesota congratulates Kari Paulsen on her promotion to the Operations Director position with JET.**



Marie Domiano, JET's Executive Director, had this to say about her reasons for offering Kari this promotion, "Kari Paulsen has been with JET for over 20 years and has consistently shown her professionalism, program expertise, and ability to build and maintain rapport with individuals we serve and colleagues, alike. She executes her job duties to the highest levels of excellence and without a doubt, will succeed in her new role and play a pivotal role in moving JET forward!" Paulsen, who was already well-known at JET and has often emerged as a leader on team projects and already garnered the confidence and respect of JET staff, should find support in JET as she transitions into this new position.

Since accepting this position Paulsen has been very busy visiting JET's seven locations to meet with staff and become familiar with each office's team and work culture. Also learning of staff needs and ideas with a goal to continue providing the excellence of services to its clients and communities for which JET is known.

Kari's educational credentials include a Bachelor of Applied Science in Education from University of Minnesota Duluth, Master of Arts in Management from the College of St. Scholastica, Global Career Development Facilitator certification from Normandale Community College and a member of the National Career Development Association.

The Operations Director position became vacant when Randy Back stepped down to focus on completing JET projects for which he is committed to finishing before he retires. Back continues to serve on the JET management team as a valuable member with a different set of job duties.

Celebrating almost 50 years in workforce development, JET serves job seekers including dislocated workers, people wishing to enter or re-enter the workforce, adults interested in training and education and youth ages 14-24. Services include career planning and exploration, personalized job search strategies, funding for postsecondary education, and financial resources to support job search activities.

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