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Banking & Finance

Garth Kilburn joins Franklin Synergy Bank as director of treasury management sales.

Diversified Trust, an independent comprehensive wealth management firm with over \$6.5 billion of client assets under management, recently announced that **Robin Satyshur** has joined the firm's Nashville office as a principal.

Education

Ruby Z. Shellaway, an experienced attorney who has held key roles in higher education, federal government and in the private sector, has been named vice chancellor, general counsel and university secretary at Vanderbilt University.

Insurance

Recently joining Commercial Insurance Associates are **Erin Stryker**, **Conner Skufca** and **Christopher Gurley**, customer service representatives.

Logistics & Transportation

Averitt Express recently honored associate **Ronnie Hitt** of La Vergne for 25 years of safety. Averitt Express Service Center director **Tony Brown** of Fayetteville was honored for 35 years of service.

Music & Entertainment

Curb Records announced the appoint-

ment of **Laurel Kittleston** to the position of vice president of artist development and A&R.

Other

Recently joining GHP Environmental + Architecture in the Nashville office are **Timothy DeBuse**, director of project management, and **Brianna Patrick**, AP analyst.

The Council on Aging of Middle Tennessee presented **Ed Cole** with the 2018 Elizabeth Jacobs Distinguished Service Award on Feb. 5. The award, named for COA's founder, Elizabeth Jacobs, a well-known and respected community volunteer, was established to recognize a volunteer or collective group of volunteers who have given selflessly of their time, talents, resources and abilities in furthering the mission of COA. Cole has been a longstanding volunteer with COA, and two years ago, stepped up to form and chair COA's Senior Transportation Leadership Coalition to address the unmet need of assisted transportation for older adults who no longer drive. He gathered public and private organizations to create a volunteer ride program, Senior Ride Nashville. This affordable service pairs an older adult who needs transportation with a volunteer who provides a ride, a helping hand and a friendly conversation. Cole has devoted hundreds of hours to the coalition, COA board meetings, community outreach and giving rides through Senior Ride Nashville.

You Have the Power ... Know How to Use

It, a nonprofit agency founded in 1993 by former Tennessee First Lady **Andrea Conte** to educate, advocate and empower individuals and communities affected by violent crime, announces the annual election of its officers: President **Patsy Bruce**, CEO, Songbird Tours; Vice President **Victor Wynn**, executive pastor and minister of worship, Temple Church; Secretary **Kim Hatley**, vice president of internal audit, HCA; and Treasurer **Nancy Benskin**, senior vice president and financial advisor, Pinnacle Financial Partner. **Judy Bobo Bayer**, the outgoing board president, will continue to advise the Board of Directors as past president. Other members of the YHTP Board of Directors include **Jeff Bradford**, **Andrea Conte**, **John Drake**, **Rashed Fakhruddin**, **Tony Grande**, **Gerald Nicely**, **Todd Rolapp**, **John M. Seigenthaler** and **Jerome Terrell**.

Recently named officers of the board of the Young Leaders Council, a Nashville-based nonprofit organization that has trained more than 2,600 men and women to effectively participate on the boards of nonprofit agencies for the past 34 years, are **Joshua Livingston**, Hancock Whitney Bank, board chair; **Sarah Rochford Benfield**, HCA Healthcare, board secretary; **Cyrus Farhangi**, Wellpath, board treasurer; and **Santi Tefel**, Pinnacle Financial Partners, board past chair. Nominated to serve on the board of Young Leaders Council are **Kyle Young**, Amedisys; **Blair Smyly**, Synovus; **Concetta Smith**, Belmont University College of Law; **Jade Sampson**, AMSURG; **Lauren Painter**, Lee

Company; **Anakate Ross**, MP&F Strategic Communications; **Lauren Painter**, Lee Company; **Ann Taylor Holley**, Covenant Partners; **Grant Ellis**, Forum Six Financial; **Meredith Eason**, Wyatt, Tarrant & Combs; **Danielle Dupriest**, HCA Healthcare; **John Byers**, Lockton Companies; **Kerri Zelenik Burton**, Millennium Brokerage Group; and **Julia Bonner**, Pierce Public Relations. **Nathan Sachs** with Northwestern Mutual was nominated to serve as intern on the board.

Residential Real Estate

Village welcomes **Paul Ruff** to the Hillsboro Village office.

Gabby Courier with Exit Realty Bob Lamb and Associates has received the 2018 Rookie of the Year recognition from the Middle Tennessee Association of Realtors.

Wood Partners has hired real estate industry veteran **Andrew Steffens** as managing director to lead its new Nashville office.

Laura Reising has joined the Berkshire Hathaway HomeServices Woodmont Realty firm.

Crye-Leike Real Estate Services welcomes Realtors **Darlene Craighead** and **Helene Singer Cash** to the team in Lebanon.

Technology

Kimberly Clinton has been promoted to the position of commodity category manager at IDEMIA.