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Alesha has devoted her career to serving the Shopping Center Industry. Currently, as Director of Retail, she is responsible for the Retail Management Team that oversees all retail and restaurant tenant relations at The Bellevue Collection. Prior to this position she was a Managing Vice President of Leasing for Brookfield Properties where Alesha was involved with many national brands and helped advance the re-envisioning of shopping centers. Through previous experience with Macerich, the direction of her career was established as she progressed to Assistant Vice President.

Alesha is very involved with the International Council of Shopping Centers (ICSC) and currently serves as the Pacific Northwest Marketplace Membership Chair. She also works with the planning committees for local events and the Western Conference, gives support in both the local and national ICSC public policy programs, sits on the ICSC Economic Committee and has held many other board positions since joining ICSC in 1999. She is active for many other industry associations including sitting on the board for the Washington Business Properties Association and is the Chair for Washington Retail. These positions have given her a broad insight into the ever-changing industry and allow her to help drive the direction of the industry.

In her personal time, Alesha volunteers with many local organizations including being the immediate Past-President of PNB STARS, a group devoted to raising money for the Pacific Northwest Ballet (PNB). Continuing in her devotion to the Arts, she is Treasurer for the Performing Arts Center Eastside (PACE). Additionally, Alesha is an active member of Seattle Yacht Club (SYC) and holds the position of the 2024 Admiralette. She has chaired multiple opening night PNB Galas and many other PNB events, raised money on capital campaign and community events for PACE and helped support SYC on many different events.