



TENANT ALERT

PDA Staff Update

Hello Market Community,

We want to take a moment to share with you that after six remarkable years, our dedicated Executive Director, Mary Bacarella will be leaving Pike Place Market at the end of March to start a new adventure.

Mary has been an unwavering force for the Market since her inception, ensuring its resilience, growth, and spirit. Mary's commitment shone brightly, particularly during the challenging times of COVID. During the pandemic, Mary was onsite at the Market every single day alongside this community. Her leadership ensured the Market was able to remain open and helped us get to where we are today.

Her tireless efforts have made her a true champion for our community, a beacon of support to downtown Seattle, and a representative of Pike Place Market to the world.

Throughout her tenure, Mary's advocacy and strategic vision have left an indelible mark on the Market. From her role in sustaining daily operations to spearheading the Master Plan for the future, Mary's accomplishments are visible in every corner of our beloved Market. Behind closed doors, her tireless dedication to supporting, protecting, and nurturing every business within Pike Place Market has been nothing short of remarkable.

Mary's love for this community is immeasurable, and her departure leaves a void that will be felt by all. However, we are fortunate that Mary will be with us until March 31, continuing to lead and contribute to the onboarding of her successor. Let us join in making Mary's last months at Pike Place Market truly special, reflecting the profound impact she has had on this community.

Thank you, Mary, for your enduring commitment, passion, and love for Pike Place Market.

From Mary's PDA Team