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DOC announces Interim Deputy Director

Colette S. Peters, Director of the Oregon Department of Corrections (DOC), recently announced the appointment of Brian Belleque as Interim Deputy Director, effective today. This appointment follows the resignation of Kim Brockamp.

Belleque is a 33-year DOC veteran. He began his career with corrections in June 1983 after receiving his Bachelor of Science degree in Criminology from Southern Oregon State College. He achieved the rank of Lieutenant in 1990 and, in 1994, was promoted to Captain at the Oregon State Correctional Institution (OSCI) in Salem. In 1997 Belleque was promoted to Institution Security Manager at OSCI; in 1998 he promoted to Assistant Superintendent of Security at the Oregon State Penitentiary (OSP) in Salem; in 2003 he was named Superintendent of OSP; and since 2009 he has served as the Westside Institutions Administrator.



Deputy Director Brian Belleque

“Mr. Belleque’s experience with this agency will be invaluable as we continue to focus on safety and security, accountability, and successful re-entry for those in our care and custody,” said Director Peters. “He cares deeply about our team and is committed to improving the health and wellness of our corrections professionals who have one of the toughest jobs in public safety.”

DOC employs 4,500 staff members at 14 institutions, two community corrections offices, and several centralized support facilities throughout the state. The agency is responsible for the care and custody of over 14,600 adults sentenced to more than 12 months of incarceration, and direct or indirect supervision of 32,000 offenders on felony supervision in the community. DOC is recognized nationally among correctional agencies for providing adults in custody with the cognitive, education, and job skills needed to become productive citizens when they transition back to their communities.

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The mission of the Oregon Department of Corrections is to promote public safety by holding offenders accountable for their actions and reducing the risk of future criminal behavior.