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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF MOBILIZING COMMUNITY

We've proven the power of community can make lifelong, generational impacts for under-represented youth. Are you the leader to take it to the next level?

About Us:

The Contingent empowers leaders and mobilizes community for the common good.

We are a 501(c)(3) venture non-profit that is actively addressing many of the largest injustices and vulnerabilities facing Oregonians today. At a time when the status quo is a divided society, we take the lead to bridge that divide. We ask hard questions. We take risks. We link arms with our neighbors, including business partners, nonprofits, foundations, faith communities, and government agencies to spark and drive action. From mentoring to mobilizing volunteers to restructuring systems that have worked for some at the cost of others, we prioritize uplifting and empowering leaders to transform their communities.

Our Mobilizing Community division leads key initiatives that take action to engage community members with those served by Oregon's government agencies. Our unique approach enables and magnifies the work of thousands of passionate individuals focused on under-represented kids, youth, and families in Oregon, creating real and unprecedented successes.

A shining example of these initiatives is **Every Child Oregon**. An established statewide initiative with proven results, Every Child is focused on mobilizing community members to increase both recruitment and retention of foster homes, as well as providing tangible and systemic supports for those impacted by foster care.

Our efforts have resulted in 8,200+ new Oregon foster parents and adoption inquiries over the past 5 years.



About this Unparalleled Opportunity for Impact:

We're seeking a connector and strategic enabler who can scale our proven success to date and our future work. The next Executive Director of Mobilizing Community will:

- Report directly to the CEO and be part of the collaborative Executive Leadership team for The Contingent.
- Provide inspiring leadership for the Mobilizing Community team, including strategic direction, revenue development, and management oversight for the successful Every Child Oregon and future Oregon-focused initiatives.
- Nurture funding relationships and substantially grow Mobilizing Community revenue via fundraising events, private donors, business partners, and grants.
- Develop community-based partnerships across Oregon; particularly in underserved and/or underrepresented communities
- Architect and deliver strategies across a wide variety of stakeholders, including state legislative and policy advocacy, engagement across communities of color and the rural/urban divide, and partnerships across agencies, affiliates, and business partners.
- Team with a local and statewide cohort of other passionate professionals committed to improving outcomes for children, youth and families.

Benefits and Compensation:

- Flexible work hours and location, with ad hoc travel in Oregon.
- Full-time position with annual compensation of \$100,000-\$125,000, commensurate with experience.
- Comprehensive benefits including premium medical, vision, and dental insurance (covered fully for employee + 80% for dependents), retirement plan with matching, and generous paid holiday, vacation, sick, personal and parental leave.

Interested in Learning More?

Please view the job announcement for **Executive Director of Mobilizing Community** for full details about this opportunity and how to apply.

For more information about The Contingent, please visit **www.thecontingent.org**.

General Questions? Please reach out to our search consultant, **Diane Thurston**, with **Wahl & Associates**.

"I've been with [ODHS] for 24 years, and I haven't seen anything as effective or as impactful as what this Every Child partnership brings."

Billy Cordero

OREGON DEPT. OF HUMAN SERVICES, CHILD WELFARE MANAGEMENT TEAM