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AzCIA Executive Director Bids Farewell



It seems like only yesterday that AzCIA Founder and then-president Marc Lapointe called and asked me if The Harrington Company would be interested in helping him launch AzCIA and oversee the association's management operations. That was back in the spring of 2003.

After seven successful and enjoyable years working with AzCIA, its members and leadership, I am bidding farewell as I move into retirement to enjoy personal family time and get some much needed R&R.

However, I'm passing the "management baton" to my esteemed Harrington Company colleague, Gloria Grove, who will be overseeing AzCIA's operations going forward. She will be assisted by Erin Helland who has been working with the association's membership, web site, and conference coordination activities for several years. You'll be hearing from Gloria and Erin in the near future, and I'm sure you will enjoy working with them as much as I have.

If you need to reach Gloria or Erin, you may do so by email at info@azcia.org or by phone at 1.800.423.4134.

It's been an honor and a privilege to have served AzCIA and I will miss the many wonderful friends I've made over the years.

Wishing you much success, personally and professionally...and

Happy Trails!

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