



## NNRMLS Board of Trustees Announce CEO Departure

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**After 8 years as Chief Executive Officer** of the Northern Nevada Regional MLS and over 22 years of working with REALTORS® in the Reno/Sparks area, Shelley Specchio is moving on. She has accepted a position as CEO of the MIBOR REALTOR® Association in Indianapolis, IN where she will oversee the 7,500-member Association of REALTORS®, the MLS (locally described as the BLCTM or Broker Listing Cooperative), and the REALTOR® Foundation.

*"These last 8 years at the Northern Nevada Regional MLS have helped me to grow as a person and as a professional. It has been a true honor to work with you and I am incredibly proud of the work we have done to position NNRMLS as the progressive, robust, and stable organization it continues to be," Specchio said in her letter of resignation, "It is only because the opportunity is so compelling that I am leaving. It was a difficult decision; I believe it is the best for my family as well as an exciting new challenge for me."*

**Reno/Sparks members might recall** that Shelley began her professional career with the Reno/Sparks Association of REALTORS® in 1994 after graduating from the University of Nevada, Reno. Her first position with RSAR was Advertising Representative where she sold ads and published the REALTORS® Real Estate Directory, a local home listing magazine published every other week. In 2003, when the Northern Nevada Regional MLS was created, she and Merri Jo Cowen moved over to launch the corporation; Merri Jo as CEO and Shelley as Vice President of Sales and Marketing. Shelley later accepted the position of CEO of the Northern Nevada Regional MLS upon Merri Jo's resignation to become CEO of My Florida Regional MLS.

**Specchio is involved nationally** in both the MLS and the REALTOR® Association arena serving as the 2015 President of the Council of Multiple Listing Services (CMLS) and on the National Association of REALTORS® Board of Directors. She continues to serve NAR on its MLS Executive Advisory Board, Association Executives Institute Planning Committee, the MLS Technology and Emerging Issues Advisory Committee, and the MLS perspective on the Technology Committee of UpstreamRE LLC, a developing national broker tool.

**Northern Nevada Regional MLS employs** a team of exceptional staff who dedicate themselves daily to the service of its members. The leadership is visionary, engaged and enthusiastic. There is no question that NNRMLS remains one of the most progressive and well run MLSs in the country and will continue to deliver 5-star service to its members. The open CEO position is listed and the leadership look forward to having the advantage of choosing from the cream of the crop for a new leader of NNRMLS.

**Shelley will start** her new position on February 1st. Please join the Leadership and Staff of NNRMLS in wishing Shelley Specchio success in her new venture.

### **About Northern Nevada Regional MLS, Inc.**

Incorporated in 2003, Reno-based NNRMLS provides services to REALTORS® across northern Nevada including Reno, Sparks, Carson City, Minden, Gardnerville, Lake Tahoe, Yerington, Dayton, Fernley and Fallon. NNRMLS provides the platform for a robust real estate marketplace, facilitating over \$3.3 billion in closed transactions by the membership in 2015. NNRMLS prides itself on offering premium customer service and leading edge technology to its 3,000 members; supporting them, in turn, as they offer their knowledge, experience and professionalism in service to the home buying and selling public.

### **About MIBOR**

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