PEOPLE ON THE MOVE
HIRINGS, PROMOTIONS, BOARD MEMBERS AND SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS IN SAN DIEGO

COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE – LIFE SCIENCE
New Hire

With incredible life science and biotech growth in San Diego and throughout the United States, JLL is pleased to announce that Greg Bisconti has joined the firm as Executive Managing Director. He will lead the Life Science Tenant/Occupier Representation Group focused on clients in San Diego and the surrounding areas.

Greg joins JLL San Diego’s life science experts Chad Urie and Grant Schoneman who rank among the top producing brokers in the country for the firm. Collectively, the JLL San Diego life science team has completed leases valued at more than $2 billion since January 2020.

Finishing a 28-year career at another global real estate firm, Greg has specialized exclusively in negotiating life sciences real estate transactions for his entire 18+ year stay in San Diego. Focusing on early stage and mid cap biotech’s, Greg has also led negotiations on many of largest life sciences campuses in the San Diego market.

Greg earned a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration in Real Estate and Urban Land Use from California State University, Sacramento. He is an active member of BIOCOM, BIOCOM’s Capital Formation Committee, Founders Corner, LifeSciencesCares.org Advisory Committee, and Rancho Coastal Humane Society BOD.

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CREDIT UNION
Promotion

SchoolsFirst FCU announced changes to the executive leadership structure, splitting the current president/CEO position in two and promoting Jose Lara to president. Bill Cheney will continue to serve the Credit Union as Chief Executive Officer. Lara has been with the Credit Union for nearly 30 years. He started as manager of the Placentia branch and most recently served as executive vice president, chief operating officer. Prior to SchoolsFirst FCU, Lara worked for a savings and loan, as the vice president and manager of one of their largest branches.

This change in the leadership structure will help the Credit Union continue to serve the evolving needs of Members and teammembers.

Additionally, the Credit Union announced the promotion of three senior leaders who will report directly to Lara as executive vice presidents: Carol Rose, Member service operations; Kevin Martin, strategic integration and Member experience; and Jim Phillips, chief information officer.

“Jose’s commitment to the credit union movement, its principles and his passion for championing our mission of delivering World-Class Personal Service and financial security will help lead our growing and thriving Credit Union. He is an extraordinary leader and his vision and enthusiasm for our Members and teammembers will position us well for the future,” said Bill Cheney, chief executive officer.

SchoolsFirst FCU is the fifth largest credit union in the country. Serving school employees and their families, the organization is dedicated to providing World-Class Personal Service and improving the financial lives of its Members. Today they serve more than 1.2 million Members with a full range of financial products and services — from savings and loans to investment, retirement and insurance products.

SchoolsFirst FCU was founded in 1934, when 126 school employees pooled $1,200 and established a Member-owned cooperative to help improve each other’s lives. In 2021, the Credit Union reported nearly $27 billion in assets and remains the largest credit union in California.

For more information about SchoolsFirst Federal Credit Union, visit schoolsfirstfcu.org.