

# BIG BLUE NEWS

## LTL

### ACQUISITION OF BC FREIGHTWAYS

It's hard to believe that it's been six months since Magnum's acquisition of BC Freightways became official! The team has accomplished many great things in a short time, and I want to thank everyone involved for the many long days and weekends that were spent making this a success.

Some highlights include repositioning "Magnum Blue" tractors to the SW Region, rebranding the tractors and trailers with the Magnum logo, and the software conversion to Truckmate and PeopleNet. However, the thing we should be most proud of is the blending of two organizations into one. Our people are our greatest asset, and it has been enormously gratifying to see how much effort and dedication has been put towards making them a priority. While there is still much work to be done, I can't wait to see what we can all accomplish together in the coming years!

- Trevor Aden, VP of Strategic Development, SW Region

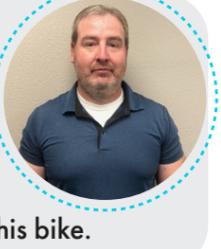
### NEW FACES IN LTL



Jim Whitbread is our Director of Terminal Operations in Denver, Colorado. Jim has worked in the industry for 30 years, starting on the dock while in college and progressed through the years. He has his B.S. in Applied Mathematics from Metropolitan State University in Denver (Home of the Roadrunners!), and has a huge passion for sports! His favorite teams include the Chicago Bears, Chicago Cubs, Colorado Avalanche and the University of Colorado Buffaloes. We would specifically like to thank Jim for his service in the U.S. Navy.



Jason Brown is our Director of Pricing here at Magnum! Jason has been in the transportation industry for 13 years, starting as a rate clerk and worked his way up to learning all aspects of the company. Prior to transportation, Jason and his wife owned a Culver's restaurant. Jason enjoys flying, lifting weights and riding his bike.



Jake Whitney is our Yield Manager, located in Coon Rapids, Minnesota. Jake has worked in the transportation industry for 14 years, all in the pricing field. Jake grew up in Minnetonka, Minnesota, and graduated from Iowa State University. Fun fact - Jake played professional baseball for seven years after college! Jake's hobbies include fishing, camping, and spending any time he can outdoors.



Nicole Thompson is an Account Executive at our Coon Rapids, Minnesota terminal. Nicole brings eight years of LTL experience to Magnum. In her free time, she likes to spend time with family, cheer on the Vikings and attend her son's sporting events.



We'd like to welcome Tiffany Gawrych, Shannon Dewitt and Vicki Helgeson to the Magnum family! Shannon handled customer service for BC Freightways, and will manage the Customer Service Department in the SW Region. Tiffany and Vicki joined Magnum June 1st as Customer Service Representatives out of our Kearney, Nebraska facility.

### DAVE'S 20TH ANNIVERSARY

We're extending a big thank you to Dave Sommers - a P&D Driver out of Coon Rapids - who just celebrated his 20th Anniversary with Magnum. He's been a part of our safety committee for seven years, and has been a Driver Apprentice Program Trainer for the last three years. He has helped many new drivers attain their CDL's!



Dave has always been very professional and a great resource for all drivers. Dave cares about the equipment so much that he spends many Saturdays in the yard cleaning and detailing the tractor - that is dedication.

Again, we want to extend a huge thank you to Dave for all of his service to Magnum and his fellow drivers!

- Kelly Mastin, Coon Rapids Terminal Manager

### SOUTH REGION NEWS

Here's a big thank you to all the drivers who make what we do possible! During National Truck Driver Appreciation Week, we took some extra time to say thank you and a job well done by offering different meals and raffles at all of our terminals. Here's a photo of one of our food trucks at our Sioux Falls terminal!



On to other news, Casey Foetisch is our new Terminal Manager in Des Moines, Iowa! Casey has been with Magnum as a driver for the past few years, and will be a great addition to the team with his experience.

John Valien has accepted our Assitant Terminal Manager position in our Omaha, Nebraska terminal! John comes with many years of experience in the LTL industry, and we're looking forward to John settling into the new position and being a great addition to the Omaha team.

- Justin Leiseth, South Region Manager

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