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*Mike Gwinn*

### **Name and Title:**

Mike Gwinn, Contract Administration Supervisor

### **Educational background:**

Washington State University—Sociology

### **Brief description of your experience :**

Prior to my career in procurement I worked as a Grant Director for Washington State University, overseeing programs to help high school students prepare to successfully enter higher education. I began working for the State of Idaho in 2010 as a Grants/ Contracts Officer for the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare, primarily supporting the Division of Welfare and the Division of Family and Children Services. In 2012 I transferred to the Purchasing Agent and supervised the Purchasing Unit for the Department until 2019 when I became the Purchasing Agent at the Idaho Division of Veterans Services. I had the opportunity to work with so many remarkable people who have helped mentor and teach me so much about contracting and procurement for the great State of Idaho. I look forward to working with and supporting the State of Idaho in my new role with the Division of Purchasing.

### **Areas of expertise :**

Medical Supply Chain, Medical and Professional Services, PPE, Information Technology Procurement.

### **Fun fact:**

My daughter plays club volleyball and my son plays club basketball and football so I spend most of my free time chasing them around the Northwest at their respective tournaments.