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## **Foster Cronin named EKPC's Chief Compliance Officer & Sr. VP**

Denise Foster Cronin has been named EKPC's Chief Compliance Officer (CCO) and Senior Vice President, a new role at EKPC. In this role, she is responsible for providing strategic leadership for EKPC's compliance and ethics program as well as direct oversight over federal energy regulatory affairs and NERC Compliance. EKPC's compliance and ethics program seeks to ensure adherence to applicable laws, regulations, reliability standards, and cooperative policies.

"I am honored to take on this new officer role at EKPC, building on the existing strong compliance and compliance risk management focus within EKPC. I take this responsibility very seriously. I look forward to continuing to foster the strong compliance culture that is already occurring across the organization for the benefit of all 16 owner-member cooperatives we serve."

Foster Cronin joined EKPC in 2020 and most recently served as Senior Vice President of Federal and RTO Regulatory Affairs.

She is a graduate of Hood College and Pennsylvania State University's Dickinson School of Law, and is an active member of the alumni advisory boards for those schools. She is completing a master's of business administration degree from the University of Kentucky this semester.

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