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Mark is fortunate to spend his best hours and efforts convening and facilitating conversations with small businesses, families and organizations – helping them have the conversations they know they need to have but avoid. Mark is the author of “Wealth or Well-th? Re-defining Financial Freedom”, and just released his second book, “The Family Business Teeter Totter.” Mark has been a presenter on a variety of topics family businesses encounter, including mining conflict, the challenges of multiple generations working together, and the high cost of inaction in succession planning. Mark believes that family businesses create the lion’s share of jobs in our cities and towns, and help weave the threads of communities envisioning thriving futures.

Mark spends most of his working hours with Family Business Counsel, a DBA of the firm in which he is a partner, Wickman Paterson Corrigan, headquartered in McMinnville. He graduated with a Bachelors and a Masters from Linfield College. Mark and his wife Lyn have been married since 1986 and are the parents of two adult children, Lindsay and Drew. They are committed to the ideals of healthy communication and healthy communities, and continue to be involved with a variety of local, regional and international causes.