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Cara Fitzpatrick has served as the director of financial services for the Tri-County Metropolitan Transportation District of Oregon (TriMet) since 2017. In this role, she oversees the financial services division, which is responsible for financial accounting and reporting, treasury management, revenue administration, long-term debt, accounts payable, and payroll services. Before joining TriMet, Cara held financial management roles in local governments within the Portland metropolitan area, including assistant finance director for the City of Tigard and accounting manager for Multnomah County. She began her career in public accounting as a senior assurance associate working for BDO and later Grant Thornton. Cara holds a bachelor of business administration degree in accounting from the University of Wisconsin-Madison.