## Employee Spotlight: Nita Brown, Administrative Assistant at the Olympia Branch Archives

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Nita Brown has been referred to as "the glue that holds this place together". As Administrative Assistant, she supports the managerial staff and keeps things running smoothly for the rest of us. Nita earned her degree in Business Administration from Knapp College of Business, and her first job for the state was working at Western State Hospital. After leaving Western, she worked for the Secretary of State's Office, where she has been for the last 28 years!

Nita loves to curl up with a bowl of popcorn, watch a TV show or movie, and suspend reality for a while. Her favorite TV show is the extremely popular Game of Thrones, while her all time favorite movie is <u>I Come in Peace</u>. The great Denzel Washington is her favorite actor.

When she's not at work or spending time with her family, she likes to go for hikes and to the ocean. Nita has an extensive bucket list, and has already accomplished many items, including whale watching, learning to swim, and getting into the roaring ocean!

Remaining blucket list items include a cruise and zipline. Given Nita's fast pace, we're pretty sure those will be removed soon.

Nita doesn't have much time for reading, but when she does it's the "Alphabet Series" by Sue Grafton. She likes all genres of music, but her hands down favorite artist is Michael Jackson.

I hope you have enjoyed reading this spotlight on Nita Brown as much as I enjoyed interviewing her!



Nita recovers from a day with whales!