

Ms. Donna Fujimoto Cole founded Cole Chemical & Distributing, Inc. in 1980 at the request of her customers after working in the chemical industry for 4 years with a 3 percent interest in GoldKing Chemical and later as Vice President of Sales for delRey Chemical with a 26% interest.

Cole Chemical provides industrial and process chemicals to the automotive, aviation, energy, production, midstream, refineries, personal care and petrochemical industry. She has started, sold, invested, and divested in many types of businesses; from civil construction to drilling loss circulation materials, chemical manufacturing, and real estate.

In 2022, Ms. Cole sold a 40 percent interest in Cole Chemical to Berryman Smith, LLC., to strategically grow the company with new products and additional services.

Cole Chemical as well as Donna Cole have received many awards locally, nationally and internationally for quality excellence and leadership.

She currently serves on Rockwell Fund, National Veterans Network, US-Japan Council, Ikebana International, Institute of Supply Management, Houston Association of Producers, American Leadership Forum National and Houston, Port of Houston's Marine Pilots Board, Precent 4 Forward, City of Houston's Asian Advisory Board, and Friends of the National Asian American Museum.

Donna is a connector of people and projects, produces movies, likes to travel and is passionate about developing ethical, caring and compassionate leaders to put at decision tables.