



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE, September 19, 2022 - The Boards of Directors for Hospice Care Avon Maitland (HCAM) and Stratford Perth Hospice Foundation (SPHF) are pleased to introduce our new Executive Director, Rotary Hospice Stratford Perth - **Louise Lepp**.

A resident of Stratford, Louise has been the Executive Director at Aldaview Services, part of Tri-County Mennonite Homes since 2014. Aldaview Services supports persons with intellectual and developmental disabilities through supportive housing and community participation programs. Louise has a BSc (Hon) Degree in Psychology and a Certificate in Palliative Care. Working with government bodies and community organizations, Louise is particularly proud of the development and successful operation of a palliative care and end-of-life care program at Aldaview.

Louise will be replacing Lana Burchett effective October 11, 2022. Lana started as Executive Director in 2018, effectively led us through the establishment of the hospice as an organization, our opening in June 2019, as well as the past few years of pandemic restrictions. We thank her for her leadership during a critical time of the hospice residence, programs and services, and wish Lana well during her next adventure of retirement.



Louise Lepp

About Rotary Hospice Stratford Perth

The Stratford Perth Hospice Foundation is a community based charitable organization committed to raising operational funding for the Rotary Hospice Stratford Perth where palliative individuals, as well as their loved ones, are supported through their end-of-life journeys.

Rotary Hospice provides a peaceful, comfortable home with 24-hour specialized palliative care for those at end-of-life as well as support for those in their circle. All at no cost to the individual. It provides a needed alternative to institutional care facilities and home care - an essential option that did not previously exist in Huron Perth and Area until its official opening on June 22, 2019. To learn more, please visit: www.rotaryhospice.ca

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