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Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation is pleased to announce the appointment of Melanie Klodt Wong as the new Executive Director, with the impending retirement of Lisa Tompkins. Melanie joins the Foundation October 15, 2022.

Melanie brings over 15 years of experience leading strategic partnerships and projects as a proactive change leader within the not-for-profit framework, including the Toronto International Film Festival.

Her empathic and collaborative leadership approach, skillful communication, and negotiation skills helped recent employers maintain their most significant revenue source, corporate partnerships.

Melanie's experience in not-for-profit management, fund development, and her tactical approach to cause-based initiatives will be a tremendous asset to the Foundation as it continues to grow and serve the health care fundraising needs of the HHHS Corporation.

Melanie is a recent permanent resident of Minden Hills, and is looking forward to spending more time growing and learning with the community and exploring the beautiful Highlands.

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About Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation

The Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation is an incorporated registered Canadian charity that financially supports the hospitals and health care facilities in Haliburton County, for capital projects, equipment, education programs and community support services. The money is raised through personal, business & corporate donations, special events, promotions, annual giving and the special gift program. The Foundation is governed by a volunteer Board of Directors who dedicate their time and expertise to have better health care and hospital facilities. The Foundation does not provide funds for the operation of the facilities.

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