NORTHUMBERLAND HILLS
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Call for NHH Board Community Members

NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY, Tuesday, March 2, 2016—The Northumberland Hills Hospital (NHH) Board of Directors is currently recruiting individuals interested in working with the skills-based, volunteer Board as Community Members.

Community Members hold full voting privileges on the NHH Board Committees on which they sit. As required, Community Members may be elected to a Board Director position when a vacancy occurs.

Interested candidates should have previous not-for-profit board experience, knowledge of hospitals and the healthcare system, a commitment to being team players, and a willingness to take on leadership roles. At this time, the NHH Board of Directors is looking for individuals with expertise in government relations and facilities/campus development.

Candidates must be over the age of 18, and a resident or employee in one of the municipalities served by NHH (Town of Cobourg, the Municipality of Port Hope and the Townships of Hamilton, Cramahe and Alnwick/Haldimand).

The minimum time commitment required of Community Member volunteers is estimated at 4-6 hours/month of active committee participation with further time required for background reading.

Please call or email Stacy Connell, sconnell@nhh.ca or 905-372-6811, ext. 4004, for further information on the Community Member role or to request an application form. Biographical details on NHH's current Board and Community Member volunteers will be found on the hospital website, www.nhh.ca, under About NHH. **Applications for 2017/18 must be received by March 10, 2017.**

Media contact: Jennifer Gillard, jgillard@nhh.ca or 905-377-7757.

About Northumberland Hills Hospital – Located approximately 100 kilometres east of Toronto, NHH delivers a broad range of acute, post-acute, outpatient and diagnostic services. Acute services include emergency and intensive care, medical/surgical care, obstetrical care and palliative care. Post-acute specialty services (PASS) include restorative care and rehabilitation. Mental health care, chemotherapy, dialysis and 16 other ambulatory care clinics are offered on an outpatient basis through partnerships with regional centres and nearby specialists. NHH offers a full range of diagnostic services, including magnetic resonance imaging (MRI), computed tomography (CT) and

mammography. The hospital serves the catchment area of west Northumberland County. A mixed urban and rural population of approximately 60,000 residents, west Northumberland comprises the Town of Cobourg, the Municipality of Port Hope and the townships of Hamilton, Cramahe and Alnwick/Haldimand. NHH employs approximately 600 people and relies on the additional support provided by physicians and volunteers. NHH is an active member of the Central East Local Health Integration Network. For more information, please visit www.nhh.ca or follow us on Twitter @NorHillsHosp.

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