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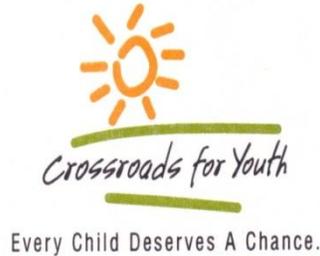
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Crossroads for Youth President to Retire in May 2016

OXFORD, Mich., January 25, 2016 – Crossroads for Youth, a nonprofit that works with at-risk and disadvantaged youth and their families throughout Michigan, announced today the retirement of President, Dr. Janet McPeek effective May 31, 2016. The Board of Directors has named Marc Porter, vice president of Crossroads for Youth, as interim president and chief operating officer of the organization while it searches for a successor.

McPeek will assist in the transition between now and the end of May, and will continue to play an active role as president emeritus and assist with external affairs during the transition period.

Ron Reynolds, chairman of the Board of Crossroads for Youth said: "Janet McPeek has been at the heart of this great organization for over twenty years. We will miss her leadership tremendously. We're grateful that Janet will still be available to offer our new leadership insight and perspective in the future."

Under McPeek's leadership, the nonprofit's services have significantly evolved over the years in response to changing needs from juvenile justice institutions, youths, parents and the communities they live in. Crossroads for Youth services now include trauma focused care, a significant expansion of services to abused and neglected youths and weekend prevention programs.

"It has truly been an honor to serve this great organization that has helped so many youths and parents over two decades," said McPeek. "Crossroads for Youth holds great promise now and the future in putting youths on the road to productive and meaningful lives. I'm grateful to have been a part of that."

McPeek will continue to work in her private practice, post-departure.

For more information about Crossroads for Youth, visit www.crossroadsforyouth.org.

About Crossroads for Youth

Established in 1953, Crossroads for Youth is a private, nonprofit treatment agency that serves at-risk children and youth. Our mission is the belief that every child deserves a chance. Our full service agency offers residential treatment programs for youth, day treatment, an adventure center, a re-entry program and more. To learn more about Crossroads for Youth, visit

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