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Dear Team Members, Residents, Families, Friends and Business Partners,

On behalf of the CLC Board of Directors and the CEO Search and Transition Committee, I am pleased to share the wonderful news that we have appointed the next President & CEO of Christian Living Communities (CLC). Please join me in welcoming Jill Vitale-Aussem back to the organization as our new President and Chief Executive Officer.

For many of you, Jill is a familiar face. She served CLC from 2009 -2018 in various roles ranging from Executive Director at Clermont Park to Vice-President of Operations for Cappella Living Solutions, the consulting and management division of CLC. For those of you who have not yet met Jill, please know her love for this organization runs deep.

Since May of 2018, Jill has served as the President & CEO of The Eden Alternative, an international not-for-profit, active in 19 countries dedicated to creating quality of life for older adults and their care partners wherever they may live. During her tenure at Eden, she led the organization through an international rebranding initiative and significantly improved the organization's financial and operational viability. Jill oversaw partnerships, growth in consulting, and programs, including implementing an on-demand education platform.



Additionally, Jill is the award-winning author of *Disrupting the Status Quo of Senior Living: A Mindshift*. With more than 20 years of experience in Senior Living leadership roles, Jill will bring a wealth of experience with a fresh perspective that aligns with our vision, mission, and values.

While Jill's credentials are impressive, I am most grateful that she has an abiding regard for our not-for-profit, faith-based roots and is committed to infusing our rich history and culture in all aspects of the organization. Jill is humbled and excited for this opportunity. "I'm thrilled to be returning to Christian Living Communities. This organization is exceptional in its commitment to its mission and a vision of creating communities where aging is honored and celebrated. While our field is in a time of unprecedented challenge, there are incredible opportunities for Christian Living Communities to emerge as an even stronger organization - one that leads the way to a new future."

Jill and her husband Todd continued to live in Colorado while Jill has been with the Eden Alternative these last two years. They enjoy spending as much time as possible in our beautiful mountains with their dog Higgins. Jill's first official day with us will Monday, November 16th. To view a special recorded message from Jill to the organization, please visit the CLC website at www.ChristianLivingCommunities.org later today.

This is an exciting time of transition for CLC. We give all the glory and honor to our Lord for His continued favor and blessing on Christian Living Communities.

In continued service to Him,



Gregory P. Terry
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