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Hudson-Webber Foundation Appoints Elizabeth Perpich as Vice President of Administration and Finance

DETROIT – The Hudson-Webber Foundation announced that Elizabeth Perpich has been named the Foundation's new vice president of administration and finance. An experienced finance professional whose resume includes executive roles in the nonprofit and manufacturing industries, Perpich brings over fifteen years of accounting and administration experience to a key leadership position in the Detroit-based foundation.

Perpich previously served as vice president of administration and finance for regional economic development organization Ann Arbor SPARK, where she was responsible for financial accounting and reporting, budgeting and forecasting, risk management, and office administration for SPARK's internal team and several of its non-profit affiliates. Prior to her time with SPARK, Perpich was the controller and treasurer for InterClean Equipment, a design-build manufacturer in Ypsilanti.

"Elizabeth joins our team with a depth of experience that will allow her to hit the ground running, which includes, in addition to her finance acumen, a long history of supporting the non-profit sector," said Melanca Clark, president and CEO of Hudson-Webber Foundation. "We are so pleased to welcome her to our leadership team."

Perpich earned her Bachelor of Arts degree in economics from the University of Michigan, and her Master of Business Administration degree from Eastern Michigan University. In addition to her professional roles, she occasionally teaches intermediate and cost accounting as an adjunct instructor at Schoolcraft College. Perpich also holds a certified management accountant (CMA) certification.

"I'm grateful for the opportunity to join a team that's doing incredible work to advance the Hudson-Webber Foundation's enduring mission of improving the quality of life in Detroit," said Perpich, who is taking over the role ahead of the Foundation's spring grant cycle. "With so much already in motion, I'm excited to start working with the Board and the leadership team to continue to move this mission forward for the benefit of all Detroiters."



ABOUT Hudson-Webber-Foundation

The Hudson-Webber Foundation's origins date back to 1939 with major contributions from Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Webber, other members of the Webber family and The J.L. Hudson Company. The foundation is governed by a 15-member board of trustees, with assets of approximately \$200 million, and has contributed over \$200 million to improve the quality of life in Detroit. The mission areas of the foundation include support of community and economic development, built environment, safe and just communities, and arts and culture.

To learn more about the Hudson-Webber Foundation, visit www.hudson-webber.org.

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