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The Board of Directors of The INN Between appoints new Executive Director
Acting Executive Director Jillian Olmsted is appointed with unanimous board approval

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah. — After an extensive search and interview process, the Board of Directors of The INN Between has unanimously appointed Jillian Olmsted to the position of Executive Director. Ms. Olmsted has been serving as Acting Executive Director in recent months and has been employed in various roles at the organization for over 5 years.

Board chair Tony Hoagland announced Ms. Olmsted’s appointment, saying “We received many applications for this position and interviewed several outstanding candidates. In the end, the entire board agreed that Jillian’s combination of executive and operational skills, her understanding of the unique needs of the population we serve, and her compassionate approach to leadership and workplace culture made her the clear candidate of choice.”

Ms. Olmsted’s relationship with The INN Between dates back to the early days of its founding. “I first became involved as a volunteer after experiencing the deaths of several close family members receiving hospice care,” she recalls. “I was so impressed with the level of care they received and the dignity they experienced by dying in their own homes. When I learned that The INN Between’s mission was to offer this same care and dignity at end of life for people experiencing homelessness, I had to get involved.”

In 2016 Ms. Olmsted joined The INN Between as a volunteer, was then hired in early 2017, and has served in several roles including Event and Outreach Coordinator, Volunteer Coordinator, HR Director and Operations Director, and Assistant Executive Director. For the last three months she has led the organization as Acting Executive Director following the retirement of Interim Executive Director Jeanie Ashby in December 2021. “I look forward to settling into the role and working with the staff and the Board of Directors. Together, we will continue to improve the day-to-day operations and strategic initiatives that will ensure the success of our mission to provide a safe home for people who have nowhere to live during a medical crisis or at end of life,” Ms. Olmsted affirmed.

ABOUT THE INN BETWEEN

The INN Between, Utah’s first and only end of life and medical respite facility for adults experiencing homelessness, is dedicated to ending the tragic history of people dying on the streets of our community. The INN Between helps people experience the end of life housed, not homeless, and provides compassionate 24/7 caregiver support and access to



professional hospice care. It is also a place where people who are too sick to be on the streets but not sick enough to be in the hospital can recuperate or become eligible for life saving interventions such as cancer treatment. Learn more at <https://www.tibhospice.org>.

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