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David Dahlin Joins Pikes Peak Community Foundation as Vice President of Philanthropic Services

(Colorado Springs, CO) Feb. 1, 2021 – The [Pikes Peak Community Foundation](https://www.ppcf.org) (PPCF) today announced that David Dahlin will join the organization as Vice President of Philanthropic Services, effective Feb. 1, 2021.

Dahlin has more than 30 years of social sector leadership encompassing philanthropic advising, child and youth development, arts and culture, the environment, human services, and health and wellness. He has extensive experience in philanthropy having led Geneva Global, a philanthropic consulting firm based in Philadelphia and as founder of LiveWell GiveWell, partnering with individuals and families to design their lives and their legacies.

David was the President and CEO of the Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, the Pikes Peak Region's premier arts institution, from 2014-2017, strengthening its funding channels and brokering the alliance with Colorado College. He spent much of his career with one of the world's largest child-focused charities, Compassion International.

"David's extensive expertise in social impact strategies and nonprofit effectiveness will ensure Pikes Peak Community Foundation fundholders, and the greater community, achieve their philanthropic goals. With his regional familiarity, abundant passion, and ability to connect with people, he is a valuable addition to our team. David's ability to think strategically and facilitate meaningful conversations will enhance the philanthropic sector's growing influence in shaping the region's future," said Gary Butterworth, CEO, Pikes Peak Community Foundation.

In his role as Vice President of Philanthropic Services, Dahlin will oversee relationships with existing fund holders, and will increase awareness of PPCF services including establishment of donor advised funds, family foundations, support for private foundations, coordination of and support for corporate giving, and partnership with professional advisors throughout the community.

“I have a deep desire to invest in this place that we call home. With a surge in population and the accompanying challenges, we need forward thinking and bold initiatives to preserve what is best about our quality of life while adapting and evolving to create community well-being and opportunity for all,” states Dahlin. “I have a passion for strengthening the social sector, for engaging deeply with people who desire to see social impact, and for leveraging philanthropy in the most strategic ways.

“As a trusted advisor to individual philanthropists, family foundations, and corporations, we can significantly increase the available philanthropic capital and guide that investment into thoughtful, innovative approaches. I am excited to advance the Community Foundation to become the most trusted philanthropic advisory service in the Pikes Peak region.”

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About Pikes Peak Community Foundation *Pikes Peak Community Foundation has been building community since 1928. We inspire generosity, serve donors, and mobilize resources to build community capital and effectively address issues facing the Pikes Peak Region. For more than 90 years, PPCF donors have invested more than \$100 million in nonprofit organizations throughout the Pikes Peak Region. Visit PPCF.org.*