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I would welcome the opportunity to continue to serve as a Director of the BMVA. Over the past two years as a member of the Board, I have gained a comprehensive understanding of the BMVA, its management, operations and stakeholders. In addition to my responsibilities as a Director, I serve on the Board's Compensation Committee and am Chair of the Audit Committee. I believe that my skills and experience position me well to represent BMVA residential members as we strive to build and grow Blue Mountain Village and the area for the benefit of all. Since moving to the area five years ago, my family and I have become very involved with many activities in and around Blue Mountain, Collingwood and Thornbury, and I see serving on the BMVA Board as one way that I can "give back" to this wonderful community.

Profile

- Entrepreneur and business strategy and operations consultant (semi-retired)
- Former Operating Partner for prominent Montreal-based family office
- Former partner at Canadian law firm Stikeman Elliott, former partner at KPMG and CEO of six companies (2 public, 4 private)
- Extensive operational and transactional experience, working with public and private companies, their boards and their stakeholders to design, implement and execute strategic, operational, sales, joint venture, financial and M&A action plans
- Held a series of CEO, Chief Strategy Officer, Chief Restructuring Officer, Board of Director, and advisory positions with companies across multiple industry sectors
- Acted as an executive, an independent board member, a business consultant and external legal counsel, helping numerous companies to maximize their potential and, in many cases, engineering highly successful M&A exits
- Director of numerous private and public companies and not-for-profit organizations
- Holds a B.Sc. Life Sciences (*with Honours*) from Queen's University and a law degree (LL.B.) (*with Distinction*) from Western University
- Member of the Law Society of Ontario and the New York State Bar
- Member of the Board of Directors of the Blue Mountain Foundation
- Personal interests include: family, hockey, golf, cycling, scuba, flying, mountaineering, backpacking, triathlon, paddling and downhill and cross-country skiing

Board Experience

Served as a Director of 3 TSX-listed public companies, 4 private companies and 6 not-for-profit entities. Served as a Director, Board Chair, Risk Committee Chair and Audit Committee Chair. Served as a member of Audit, Risk, Nominations, Compensation, M&A, Governance, Fundraising and CEO Search committees, Treasurer, and Corporate Secretary.