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EICS Board of Trustees Select New Chair and Vice Chair

Sherwood Park, AB - At the June 15, 2022 Organizational Board Meeting, Elk Island Catholic Separate School Division (EICS) Board of Trustees formally elected by acclamation Le-Ann Ewaskiw as Board Chair. Additionally, Ted Paszek was elected Vice Chair. These individuals will lead the Board of Trustees for the 2022-2023 school year.

Le-Ann Ewaskiw has served as a Trustee with EICS since 2018. Le-Ann attended EICS throughout her school years, and has 2 children who both graduated from Archbishop Jordan Catholic School. Le-Ann found her passion serving as the Youth Coordinator at the Information & Volunteer Centre for Strathcona County for 13 years. Le-Ann attends both the St. Sophia's Catholic Ukrainian Parish and The Protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish and continues to devote her support, encouragement and advocacy for all youth and senior related issues and maintains a very strong presence within the community.

Ted Paszek has served as a Trustee with EICS since 1983. He is a former president of the Alberta Catholic School Trustees' Association and the Canadian Catholic School Trustees' Association. After a long career as a teacher, consultant, and school principal, Ted completed his doctorate in Educational Policy Studies at the University of Alberta in 2012. Ted and his family are long-time residents of Strathcona County and active parishoners at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church.

"I would like to thank the Board for their confidence, support, and for their trust in me," expressed Le-Ann Ewaskiw during the public meeting. "I would also like to thank Trustee Ted Paszek for his mentorship and leadership over the past 4 years serving as Board Chair."

At the meeting, the EICS Board of Trustees and administration conveyed their gratitude to Trustee Ted Paszek for serving as Board Chair for the last 4 years.

EICS, part of Alberta's publicly funded education system, is committed to developing educational opportunities in the context of Gospel values. EICS is dedicated to providing quality, faith-based learning environments to students of any background and faith, where their skills are nurtured and celebrated by dedicated, caring staff.

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