

FT. WASHINGTON, PA., July, 2021 -- Access Services, Inc. announced today that Rob Reid, President, plans to retire on October 1, 2021. The Board of Directors has appointed Susan Steege to succeed Reid as President and Chief Executive Officer on October 1, 2021. Steege has been serving as Chief Executive Officer since October 2020.

"On behalf of the Board of Directors, the management team, and Access Services employees, we want to thank Rob for his leadership and impact over more than four decades with the organization," said Robert Wisniewski, Access Services Chairperson. "A steadfast and strategic leader, Rob has been part of Access Services since 1980. During his tenure, he played a significant role in transforming the organization from a small developmental disability service provider into an approximately \$43 million service provider in the areas of behavioral health, intellectual disability and autism and children and family services, serving 13 Pennsylvania counties. In addition, Rob has been instrumental in the evolution of a diversified portfolio of services to meet the needs of the community. Rob led the organization through systemic changes faced by the industry with vision, wisdom, and a commitment to excellence. His strategic leadership included transformative acquisitions, partnerships, and affiliations. The Board is sincerely grateful to Rob for his dedication to Access Services and wishes him nothing but the best in this next chapter."

"It has been an honor to serve as President & CEO of Access Services during this period of transformation and growth, and I want to offer my sincere thanks to our employees and associates whose hard work and dedication have allowed us to support our community and achieve so much in helping individuals achieve their goals and live fulfilling lives," said Reid. "I also want to thank those we serve, our volunteers, communities, professional colleagues, donors, and the Board of Directors for their ongoing support. I have worked with Sue for many years and am confident she will be an excellent leader for Access Services. I look forward to working closely together to ensure a smooth transition."

Steege first joined Access Services in 1981. Rejoining in 2002, she has held several senior roles, including Regional Vice President and Senior Vice President & Chief Operating Officer, where she built a strong service operating management team and drove excellent results. In October of 2020 Steege was appointed as CEO as part of the Presidential Transition Plan. At that time Steege assumed primary responsibility for daily service operations and administrative support services.

"I want to thank Rob Reid for his distinguished leadership at Access Services and the Board for its confidence in me as I step into this role," said Steege. "I am honored and excited to have the opportunity to work with our talented leadership team and employees around the Commonwealth to advance Access Services' strategic vision and unlocking the potential of everyone we serve."

About Access Services

Access Services (www.accessservices.org/) is dedicated to supporting communities by unlocking potential in every individual we serve. By striving to understand each person and family, we're able to provide quality, personalized services to help achieve goals and navigate life's challenges.

Since 1976 Access Services has been serving communities in Eastern Pennsylvania by coming alongside individuals and families. It is our mission to empower and serve individuals and families in need of support through innovative services that improve their ability to live fulfilling lives in the community.

Our three distinct service lines equip Access Services to meet a vast array of needs impacting our communities in behavioral health, intellectual disability and autism, and children and family services.