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PRHA Chief Executive Officer announces decision to resign

Dauphin-The Parkland Regional Health Authority (PRHA) Board has received notice that Allan Bradley, Chief Executive Officer of the PRHA, is resigning his position effective August 19, 2009. In his letter of resignation to the Board, Mr. Bradley cited personal reasons for the decision. Bradley has been in his current position since April 2007.

"I want to express appreciation for the opportunity and privilege of working with the PRHA as its Chief Executive Officer. The Board has been unwavering in their support and the Senior Leadership Team has provided me with mentorship and support at both the operational and governance level. The PRHA is served well by its managers, staff, physicians and volunteers throughout this large geographical area. It's not an easy decision to leave, but I do so knowing the Region will carry on in its quest to continually improve upon health services and programs to the people we serve," Bradley added.

In acknowledging receipt of his resignation, Mary Hudyma Chair of the Board, stated:

"It is with sincere regret that we accept the resignation of Allan Bradley. Mr. Bradley has provided the Region with guidance and leadership through some very difficult times. His ability to network and foster relationships and partnerships at the local, provincial and national level has been a tremendous asset to our Region. As head of the Senior Leadership Team, Allan has moved the Region forward on quality improvement measures that have enhanced patient, client and resident safety in the Parkland. His dedication towards quality improvement and commitment to the Region's Strategic Directions will no doubt provide a continuing focus for our Region."

Mr. Bradley served as Chief Operating Officer for Rural Health within the Central Regional Health Authority in Grand Falls-Windsor, Newfoundland before joining Parkland RHA.

Recruitment efforts will begin immediately to fill the position in as timely a manner as possible.

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