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## Siouxland Habitat for Humanity Announces New Executive Director

The Siouxland Habitat for Humanity Board of Directors and staff welcomed their new Executive Director, Anne M. Holmes to the organization. She succeeds previous Executive Director Fred Hexom, who left to pursue other interests. Holmes started her new role, with Habitat, on July 27.

Holmes, previously, was the Director of Children's Miracle Network at UnityPoint Health – St. Luke's. She brings to Siouxland Habitat her extensive nonprofit experience, donor relationship building, fundraising capacity, and most importantly her passion to connect with families with needs and challenges.

Her goals include increasing the number of Habitat families served in Siouxland and creating a heightened visibility of Siouxland Habitat within the community. Holmes also has plans to strengthen and grow an engaged volunteer base, stating, "because together we can impact people's lives by facilitating decent, safe, affordable homes which in turn can have a positive effect on the trajectory of families, neighborhoods, and communities."

Holmes is originally from Cherokee, IA and is a graduate of Northwestern University, Evanston, IL. She resides in Sioux City with her husband John, son Hayden, and three neurotic cats.

Siouxland Habitat for Humanity, founded in 1992, is an affiliate of Habitat for Humanity International – a Christian housing ministry.

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## **Siouxland Habitat for Humanity Mission**

Seeking to put God's love into action. Habitat for Humanity brings people together to build homes, communities, and hope.