This report has been prepared for members of the OVC Alumni Association and the Ontario Veterinary College, University of Guelph.
1.0 Call to Order..............................................................................................................................Dr. Paul Woods
2.0 Welcoming remarks ..................................................................................................................Dr. Paul Woods
3.0 Remarks from the Vice President (Research) of the University of Guelph......................Dr. Malcolm Campbell
4.0 Moment of Silence....................................................................................................................Dr. Paul Woods
5.0 Recognition of Volunteers & Call for Board Members ..........................................................Dr. Paul Woods
6.0 Approval of the Agenda............................................................................................................Dr. Paul Woods
7.0 Approval of the Minutes from the 2018 Annual General Meeting, Saturday, June 23, 2018
8.0 Business Arising from the Minutes
9.0 Dean’s Address..........................................................................................................................Dr. Jeff Wichtel
10.0 President’s Report ....................................................................................................................Dr. Paul Woods
11.0 Treasurer’s Report....................................................................................................................Dr. Paul Woods on behalf of Dr. Chris Doherty
11.1 Review Engagement Report

Motion: “Appoint two persons to conduct a review engagement and submit a Review Engagement Report. The two persons should not include the OVC Alumni Association Treasurer.”

12.0 Receipt of circulated reports for information
12.1 President’s Report
12.2 Dean’s Report
12.3 Development Report
12.4 Communications Report
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12.6 Financial Report

12.3 Development Report .................................................................................................................Amy Tremaine

13.0 Resolution Approving Acts of the Directors

Motion: “That all resolutions passed and all acts, contracts and business transacted by the Directors since June 23, 2018, be ratified and confirmed by the members of the Ontario Veterinary College Alumni Association”.

14.0 Elections:
14.1 Election and Ratification of Officers.......................................................................................Dr. Paul Woods

Motion: “That all officers and directors as listed on the slate be elected”.

15.0 Presentation of OVC AA Awards.............................................................................................Dr. Paul Woods
Annual General Meeting Minutes
10 AM Saturday, June 23rd 2018
LLC Cafeteria, Ontario Veterinary College

1.0 Call to Order (10:10 AM) ......................................................................................................................... Dr. Matt Spiegle

2.0 Welcoming remarks ........................................................................................................................................ Dr. Matt Spiegle

3.0 Remarks from the President of the University of Guelph ................................................................. Franco Vaccarino
   ▪ AGM is a highlight of Alumni Weekend, OVC is a great point of pride for the University.
   ▪ Congratulations to OVC’68 on 50th anniversary, as well as other classes celebrating landmark years (including OVC’58 and OVC’73 – some class members attending)
   ▪ Congratulations to OVCAA award recipients
   ▪ Thanks to OVCAA for all of their work, bridging the past with our future
   ▪ Shout out to Dean Wichtel, doing an excellent job
   ▪ OVC is among the top veterinary colleges in the world
   ▪ Enjoy and see some of the new facilities and buildings around campus this weekend!

4.0 Moment of Silence ....................................................................................................................................... Dr. Matt Spiegle

5.0 Recognition of Volunteers & Call for Board Members ............................................................................. Dr. Matt Spiegle

6.0 Approval of the Agenda .............................................................................................................................. Dr. Matt Spiegle
   ▪ Motioned, seconded, carried

7.0 Approval of the Minutes from the 2017 Annual General Meeting, Saturday, June 10th, 2017
   ▪ Motioned, seconded, carried

8.0 Business Arising from the Minutes
   ▪ None

9.0 Dean’s Address .......................................................................................................................................... Dr. Jeff Wichtel
   ▪ Echoed President Vaccarino’s comments, including the excellent international reputation of OVC throughout the world. President knows OVC very well and is very proud of it indeed.
   ▪ A lot of things have been going on at OVC in the last year, many are described in the annual report. About $43M in construction going on at the college right now. Fortunate to have so much support.
   ▪ June is Dr. Wichtel’s favorite month – convocation and alumni weekend, seeing future and past.
   ▪ New format for Crest – not just for alumni now, more community connection and distribution to other stakeholders.
2018 is an interesting year. Veterinary profession has never been in higher demand – want ads have increased 3x in the last 2 years. Change in public expectations in terms of level of care, and increasing high-risk animal populations that do not have access to basic care.

New regulations around antimicrobial stewardship – OVC working closely with other partners (government and non-government) on this and other issues (e.g. telemedicine).

Future is in good hands with new graduates and work being done by all ally organizations.

10.0 President’s Report .......................................................... Dr. Matt Spiegle

- Special welcome to OVC 1968, as well as other classes celebrating special anniversaries
- OVC alumni reception at the OVMA Conference in January 2018 was an excellent event again
- Hosted 5th OVCAA continuing education last fall, another success (sponsored by Hills and TD). Next event planned for fall of 2018.
- 28th annual OVC alumni hockey tournament was also a success once again, over 100 attendees despite weather challenges.
- Words of Wisdom project continues to be appreciated, alumni invited to provide more!
- Thanks again to the board members for all their work over the course of the year, and welcome to new executives.

11.0 Treasurer’s Report .................................................... Dr. Paul Woods (on behalf of Dr. Chris Doherty)

- Balance sheet remains strong
- Endowment continues to grow, minimal liability
- Have been able to cover recent expenses through sponsorship without using endowment income

11.1 Review Engagement Report

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Motioned, seconded, carried

12.0 Receipt of circulated reports for information

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12.3 Development Report  
Amy Tremaine  

Class projects  
- $172K raised collectively for the college  
- ~20 launching/ongoing class projects  

Surgical and anesthesia facilities should be completed this summer  
Thanks to alumni who volunteer as mentors, participation in multiple mini interviews, and support of the OV-CAA board

12.0 Resolution Approving Acts of the Directors  

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Motioned, seconded, carried

14.0 Elections:  

14.1 Election and Ratification of Officers  
Dr. Matt Spiegle  

Motion: “That all officers and directors as listed on the slate be elected”.  

Motioned, seconded, carried

15.0 Presentation of OVC AA Awards  
Dr. Matt Spiegle  

Distinguished Alumnus: Dr. Bruce Fogle (OVC 1970)  
Young Alumnus: Dr. Michelle Oblak (OVC 2008)  
Alumni Volunteer: Dr. Brad Hanna (OVC 1989)

16.0 Adjournment 10:55 AM
To begin, let us welcome and congratulate the class of 1969 on their 50th anniversary of graduation, as well as other classes who are gathering for special milestones throughout the year, including OVC ’54, OVC ’59, OVC ’64, OVC ’79, OVC ’89, OVC ’94, OVC ’99, and OVC ’09.

The OVC Alumni Association has had another busy year, with many events on our calendar.

Our “Words of Wisdom” project continues to be a success, and we encourage alumni to submit their helpful words of advice or encouragement for the incoming OVC class of 2023. These comments will be placed in the pocket of the lab coat that the students receive at their Professional Welcoming Ceremony in September. If you would like to submit your words, please visit the registration table.

The OVC Alumni Association hosted another successful Alumni Reception at the OVMA Conference and Trade show in Toronto this past January, which brought together classmates, colleagues, and friends for an evening of drinks and appetizers. Dean Wichtel and final year OVC students joined as well, to network with our community of alumni.

Our sixth Continuing Education Symposium was held in the spring, at the OVC Lifetime Learning Centre. Our sincere thanks to all of our OVC faculty presenters: Drs. Tiffany Durzi, Stephanie Nykamp, Michelle Oblak, Lee Neil, Janet Beeler-Marfisi, and Ameet Singh. We were very grateful to have the generous support of RBC in sponsorship of our CE Symposium. Given the success of our symposium series, we are planning to have another symposium in the coming year. The 29th annual OVC Alumni Hockey Tournament took place in April. With 100 graduates, spouses, children, and friends in attendance, this is consistently one of the biggest events of the year for us. After two fun days of hockey, dinner was held at Gryphs Restaurant. Spirits were high and the OVC Alumni Hockey tradition was well represented throughout the tournament.

With the academic year coming to a close, it is my pleasure to thank the entire OVCAA Board of Directors for all of their hard work through the year, with special mention of the help that the OVC Alumni Association has received from Amy Tremaine of Alumni Affairs and Development at the University of Guelph. We look forward to another great year ahead!
In recognition of Drs. Peter Conlon’s and Kerry Lissemore’s remarkable contributions to the Ontario Veterinary College (OVC) and to the student veterinarians whose lives and careers have been shaped by their service to education, the College has launched a scholarship fund in each of their names. OVC invites alumni to join us in honouring the legacies of Drs. Conlon and Lissemore by making a contribution to these scholarship funds.
Dean's Report:

Dr. Jeffrey Wichtel, Dean, Ontario Veterinary College

I am very pleased to once again join you for Alumni Weekend. Not only is it a pleasure to connect with all of you, I am also looking forward to sharing a few of our successes over the past year with you today.

Since we were last together, we have had a significant change to our senior leadership at OVC.

Drs. Peter Conlon and Kerry Lissemore both recently completed their terms as, respectively, Associate Dean Students and Associate Dean Academic: Kerry Lissemore at the end of September 2018 and Peter in December 2018. Our Associate Dean, Research and Innovation role is also changing as Dr. Gordon Kirby completes his second term in this position. OVC is recruiting his replacement with the goal to have a new Associate Dean, Research and Graduate Programs in place for July 1, 2019.

I’m extremely grateful to Peter, Kerry and Gordon for their leadership in these roles. They played pivotal roles in sustaining OVC as a globally top-ranked college of veterinary medicine. As a new Dean, they have been a tremendous resource to me personally. I extend a sincere thank you to them.

I also want to extend my best wishes to Fernanda Clark, Administrative Assistant to the Dean of OVC, who retired in September 2018 after 40 years of dedicated service to the University of Guelph. I sincerely appreciated the invaluable assistance Fernanda provided to me as I began my role as Dean.

I’m pleased to report that Dr. Joanne Hewson was appointed to the position of Associate Dean, Students and Academic. She began a five-year term on October 1, 2018. Joanne is a Large Animal Internal Medicine faculty member in the department of Clinical Studies who holds both a DVM and PhD degree from the University of Guelph. She is also board certified by the American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine. I look forward to working with Joanne on continuing the many initiatives and successes that have been implemented over the years.

In addition, we are in the process of recruiting for a new position of Associate Dean or Executive Director, Strategy and Planning. The selected candidate will be a key member of the OVC executive team, working closely with the Dean to establish and implement College strategy, informed by the OVC Healthy Futures strategic plan.

One Health Institute at the University of Guelph

One Health has long been promoted at the University of Guelph as an interdisciplinary approach to promoting health and curbing infectious diseases. I’m very happy to report a new One Health Institute (OHI), approved in early June by the U of G Senate, will bring together multidisciplinary researchers from across campus along with external partners to address problems at the intersection of people, animals and the environment. The new OHI will be a key part of the University’s wider One Health Agenda. That
planned comprehensive teaching and research initiative will include new undergraduate and graduate curricular opportunities, external partnerships and a community of practice to encourage faculty, staff and students to come together to talk about One Health teaching, research and service. Dr. Cate Dewey, U of G associate vice-president (academic) will serve as the institute's interim director for three years. Please watch for more news and updates about this exciting endeavour.

The past 12 months have continued the long list of achievements of our faculty, staff, students and alumni. Here are just a few examples of how OVC and veterinarians are helping make the world a better place.

**OVC ranks first in Canada - top seven worldwide for veterinary schools**
For the fifth straight year, the Ontario Veterinary College (OVC) is celebrating a top ten ranking among veterinary schools in the world through the Quacquarelli Symonds (QS) university rankings. The QS World University Rankings by Subject 2019 ranked OVC first in Canada, third in North America and seventh worldwide. Since QS first included veterinary science in their rankings in 2015 OVC has consistently placed in the top 10.

I’m extremely proud of OVC’s exceptional faculty, staff and students whose commitment to research and teaching excellence ensures our success as a sought-after hub of expertise in veterinary science. The QS ranking methodology focuses on key areas of academic reputation, research impact, and the desirability of graduates by employers. The most comprehensive global overview by discipline of higher education, QS looked at some 1,000 universities from 151 countries.

**Construction underway at OVC**
As you will have seen as you entered the Lifetime Learning Centre today, construction is continuing on our Enhanced Clinical Learning space. Renovations are also continuing on the anesthesia and surgery suites in the Health Sciences Centre and the construction of a biosafety level 2 production animal research isolation unit on the west side of the OVC campus. We anticipate completion of all these construction projects in 2020.

**OVC Pet Trust Campaign reaches $9 Million Goal**
OVC Pet Trust’s Friends Together for Longer capital campaign reached its $9-million goal. The funds raised will go toward the creation of our new advanced surgical and anesthesia facilities at the Ontario Veterinary College and will allow OVC to remain at the cutting-edge of veterinary medical care, training and discovery. A new gift from the estate of the late Mona Campbell completed the $9-million project and will create a new endoscopy unit in honour of past OVC dean, Dr. Elizabeth Stone.

**OVC Pet Trust Walk in the Park Gala raises $5 Million**
Animal lovers and philanthropists announced a record-breaking $4,944,680 million in donations at the fourth OVC Pet Trust Walk in the Park Gala on October 1, 2018. During the event, a gift of more than $4 million was announced from the estate of the late Catherine Bergeron. A subsequent donation brought the total to $5 million. Funds raised will be used to support companion animal emergency medicine and critical care through the expansion of the Intensive Care Unit at OVC.

**Famous pig inspires donations to expand OVC diagnostic services**
Esther the Wonder Pig, a 650-pound social media phenomenon, needed advanced imaging to arrive at an accurate diagnosis. Steve Jenkins and Derek Walter launched a campaign to equip OVC with a CT scanner large enough to accommodate her. With 11,000 donors from 57 countries, their Happily Ever Esther Farm Sanctuary raised $650,000 in a few months. Now, Esther has her diagnosis and OVC is the first veterinary hospital in Canada to offer this type of advanced diagnostic service to large animals. The new machine fills a gap in large animal health care not only at OVC but also across Canada.
Equine Foundation of Canada supports hands-on clinical skills at OVC

Thanks to the Equine Foundation of Canada (EFC) a new horse model named Maple Stirrup is helping to enhance OVC’s learner-centred approach to teaching. The detailed model, produced by Canada’s Veterinary Simulator Industries, allows students within OVC’s Doctor of Veterinary Medicine program to practice clinical and technical skills at their own pace. The advanced model includes an anatomically correct reproductive tract with ovaries and a uterus, plus the spleen, kidneys and digestive tract, so students can palpate for a variety of conditions — building both confidence and competencies before working with a live mare.

Veterinary North American First: 3-D printed implant replaces dog’s skull

In spring 2018, OVC veterinary surgical oncologist Dr. Michelle Oblak led a successful reconstructive skull surgery, implanting a custom 3-D printed skull plate in a dog. When Patches, an eight-year-old dachshund, presented to Dr. Galina Hayes at Cornell University’s College of Veterinary Medicine with a large cancerous growth on her skull, Hayes contacted Oblak for her advice on the difficult case. Oblak, along with partners at Sheridan College and Western University’s ADEISS, imaged and built a 3-D model of the dog’s skull, along with a personalized skull plate, which resulted in a faster, safer and improved life-saving surgery. The story garnered media attention around the world, with most notable coverage in The New York Times, CNN, BBC, CBS Evening News, TIME, People, The Canadian Press, The Globe and Mail and more.

Hill’s Pet Nutrition Primary Healthcare Centre

We are very pleased to report a new opportunity for fourth year veterinary students at the Hill’s Pet Nutrition Primary Healthcare Centre (Hill’s PHC). OVC has joined hands with Hill’s® Pet Nutrition to create a unique experiential learning opportunity for external Canadian veterinary students in the final year of their DVM program. As a Hill’s® Scholar, students from outside OVC’s DVM program, will participate in the Primary Healthcare Rotation at the Hill’s® Pet Nutrition Primary Healthcare Centre (Hill’s® PHC) at OVC.

OVC’s primary healthcare program offers a unique emphasis on the student experience and on innovative service delivery, with a focus on nutrition, communications and relationship building amongst the veterinary team members, clients and their pets.

Social media

Social media continues to be an important part of OVC’s approach to sharing information with students, staff, faculty, alumni, industry and the general public. OVC social media efforts include Instagram, Twitter and Facebook, offering a peek into what goes into a veterinary education with over 1,000 Instagram posts and more than 26,000 followers.

The 2019 edition of Externship Blogging Project features some of our students sharing stories, pictures and video of their externship experiences online. The students will be blogging all summer long – please check it out at ovc.uoguelph.ca/externship.

OVC People

One of the factors that make OVC special is the sense of community created by our alumni, faculty, students, staff and supporters.

The College boasts more than 470 DVM students, more than 350 graduate students, 118 faculty and veterinarians and 200 staff members.

New Appointments:
Julie Byczynski, appointed Director, Advancement for the Ontario Veterinary College (OVC) reporting to both the Dean, OVC and the Associate Vice-President (Advancement).

Jamie Campbell, Acting Administrative Manager, OVC SAS Graduate and Research Services & Operations, Department of Population Medicine.

Dr. Katie Clow, assistant professor in One Health, Department of Population Medicine.

Kaila Constand, OVC Health Sciences Centre supervisor.

Dr. Cate Dewey, U of G Associate Vice President (Academic).

Dr. Luis Gaitero, Department of Clinical Studies, appointed OVC Health Sciences Centre Chief Medical Officer.
Dr. Joanne Hewson, appointed Associate Dean, Students and Academic.

Jessie Hurrell, OVC Shared Administrative Services HR associate.

Vanessa Joy, Graduate Program Support Assistant.

Dr. Omar Khan, Hill’s Pet Nutrition Primary Healthcare Centre at the Ontario Veterinary College.

Dr. Angie Lagos Carvajal, OVC Health Sciences Centre Anesthesiology Service.

Prof. Jane Parmley, associate professor in One Health, Department of Population Medicine.

Dawn Patterson, OVC Health Sciences Centre supervisor.

Prof. David Renaud, assistant professor in Ruminant Health Management, Department of Population Medicine.

Prof. Nicole Ricker, assistant professor, Pathogenomics and Disease Informatics, in Pathobiology.

Dr. Francesca Samarani, assistant professor in neurology, Department of Clinical Studies.

Rustann Steele-Yeo, Administrative Assistant to the Dean.

Andrea Steele was appointed to the role of Supervisor, Patient Care and Service Delivery in the OVC Health Sciences Centre.

OVC Pathobiology professor Dr. Scott Weese, an infectious disease expert and Canada Research Chair in Zoonotic Disease, began a five-year term as director of the Centre for Public Health and Zoonoses on April 1.

2018 Schofield Memorial Lecture – Dr. Wayne McIlwraith, BVSc, PhD, DSc, FRCVS, Diplomate ACVS, Diplomate ACVSMR, University Distinguished Professor, Barbara Cox Anthony University, Chair in Orthopaedics, Colorado State University.

2019 Chappel Memorial Lecture – Dr. John Hogenesch, Ohio Eminent Scholar & Professor of Pediatrics at Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center in the Divisions of Human Genetics and Immunobiology.

Alumni, Faculty, Staff and Student Honours

Congratulation to the following OVC alumni, faculty, students and staff members:

Alumni


OVC DVM 1966 graduates, Drs. Ted Clark, Don Wilson and Ross Fitzpatrick, started the wheels in motion for a vintage veterinary exhibit in Calgary’s Heritage Park Historical Village to tell the story of early veterinary history in Western Canada. Find more information at vintageveterinaryexhibit.ca.

Dr. Alice Crook, OVC DVM 1982, was one of five recipients of the World Veterinary Association’s Animal Welfare Award and the only recipient from North America. The award recognizes her work to promote animal welfare through research, service and education.

OVC alumnus Dr. Ian Dohoo, OVC DVM 1967, MSc 1969, PhD 1983, has been named to the Order of Canada, in recognition of his contributions to veterinary and human epidemiology in developed and developing countries. Dohoo joined the Atlantic Veterinary College (AVC) in 1985, the year before the college accepted its first class of students. He retired in 2012 as professor emeritus UPEI.

Dr. Steeve Giguère, OVC PhD 1999 and University of Montreal D.M.V. 1992, was posthumously inducted in the University of Kentucky Equine Research Hall of Fame in October 2018.

The University of Florida College of Veterinary Medicine named Subhashini Kariyawasam, OVC PhD 2002, Chair of the Department of Comparative, Diagnostic and Population Medicine.

Dr. Doug MacDougald, OVC DVM 1977, founding partner at South West Ontario Veterinary Services, and a founding member of the Ontario
Swine Health Advisory Board received the 2018 CAHI Industry Leadership Award.

Dr. **Angus McKinnon**, OVC Grad Diploma 1981, received a Medal of the Order of Australia for services to veterinary science, particularly equine reproduction.

Dr. **Brian MacNaughton**, OVC DVM 1980, was posthumously inducted into Glengarry Agricultural Wall of Fame. Dr. MacNaughton passed away in September 2014.

Dr. **George Mutwiri**, OVC PhD 1994, is the 2018 president of the American Association of Veterinary Immunologists. Mutwiri is professor of Vaccinology, School of Public Health, Senior Scientist, VIDO-International Vaccine Center, University of Saskatchewan in Saskatoon.

A number of Ontario Veterinary College alumni were recognized with awards at the 2019 Ontario Veterinary Medical Association (OVMA) Conference.

- **Dr. James Mantle**, OVC DVM 1978, Golden life Membership Award
- **Dr. Michael Ritter**, OVC DVM 1978, Golden life Membership Award
- **Dr. Mark Gemmill**, OVC DVM 1993, Outstanding Veterinarian Award
- **Dr. Scott Bainbridge**, OVC DVM 1999, Award of Merit
- **Dr. Tanya Sparling**, OVC DVM 2009, received the Young Veterinarian Award at the Nova Scotia Veterinary Medical Association’s AGM in October.

Dr. **Barry Stemshorn**, OVC PhD 1979, received the Canadian Veterinary Medical Association (CVMA) President’s Award for his exceptional commitment to the association and for his tireless contributions to veterinary medicine and policy at the international level.

Dr. **Ron Taylor**, OVC DVM 1975, inducted into Atlantic Agricultural Hall of Fame. Taylor was regional veterinarian with the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador for 32 years and served as president of the Newfoundland and Labrador Veterinary Medical Association.

**Faculty**

- **Dr. Todd Duffield**, OVC DVM 1990, DVSc 1997, chair of the Department of Population Medicine, was named as the 2018 Metacam® 20* Bovine Welfare Award winner for his profound and lasting impact on the well-being of the bovine species.

- Ontario Pork recognized **Dr. Robert Friendship**, OVC 1977, a professor in the Department of Population Medicine, with the 2019 Industry Achievement Award for his outstanding achievements and commitment to the pork industry in Ontario.

- **Dr. Carlton Gyles**, OVC 1964, was honoured with a Life Membership to the Canadian Veterinary Medical Association (CVMA) for his significant contributions to the CVMA and veterinary profession worldwide.

- **Dr. Thomas Koch**, Department of Biomedical Sciences, was selected to receive a Special Recognition Award from the University of Guelph. In 2017, seven Young Investigators, one from each college at the U of G, received a Research Excellence Award. In 2018, Dr. Koch was selected to receive a Special Recognition Award from among these exceptional awardees.

- **Dr. Stephen LeBlanc**, OVC DVM 1997 and DVSc 2001, Department of Population Medicine, was one of three University of Guelph professors named to the prestigious Clarivate Analytics list of “Highly Cited Researchers” for 2018.

OVC professor **Jennifer McWhirter** was recognized with a Rising Star Award from Health Promotion Canada. McWhirter focuses her research on the use of effective communication, education, and policy for cancer prevention. The Rising Star Award recognizes health promoters who have an exceptional track record of professional achievements, display exemplary personal leadership qualities, and exhibit strong potential for making future contributions to health promotion in Canada or globally.

**Dr. Adronie Verbrugghe**, Department of Clinical Studies, has received a Research Excellence Award from the University of Guelph to continue her studies of canine and feline nutrition. As the Royal Canin Veterinary Diet Endowed Chair in Canine and Feline Clinical Nutrition, Verbrugghe explores how pet nutrition affects metabolic pathways, inflammation and immunity, as well as the microbial environment in the gut – all of which are factors in obesity.
OVC Companion Animal Hospital and OVC Smith Lane Animal Hospital successfully renewed their American Animal Hospital Association (AAHA) accreditation. Both hospitals voluntarily chose to be evaluated on 900 standards of medical care and client service.

Retiring faculty
Prof. Allan King, Department of Biomedical Sciences, A Tier 1 Canada Research Chair in Animal Reproductive Technologies.
Prof. Janet MacInnes, Department of Pathobiology.
Dr. Henry Stämpfli, Department of Clinical Studies.

Staff
Congratulations to OVC staff and students who were honoured with the University of Guelph President’s Awards for Exemplary Service in September 2018.

Betty-Anne McBey, a technician in the Department of Pathobiology, received the Award for Excellence in Wellness, Health and Safety. McBey has spent more than 25 years ensuring the safety and operations of the department’s research and teaching labs.
The OVC Health Sciences Centre Oncology Service Team of Amanda Bridge, Melanie Brooks, Laura Furness, Helena Hartona, Geri Higginson, Jeannette Jones, Bojena Kelmendi, Vicky Heinbecker-Marsili, Vicky Sabine, Kaya Skowronski, Jeannie Wetheral and Katie Carter were recognized with the Exemplary Team Award. This strongly bonded group provides comprehensive care and compassion for pets with cancer and their families.
Crystal Gong, who recently graduated from the biomedical sciences program, was recognized with the William Winegard Exemplary Volunteer Award for her work, most notably with Big Brothers Big Sisters and the Heart and Stroke Foundation.
University of Guelph president Franco Vaccarino also recognized a group of employees who helped during a tragic situation involving a contractor at the Ontario Veterinary College last summer.
Sue Kinsella, an Animal Health Technician, celebrated 50 years at OVC in May 2019. Her official start date at OVC on May 1, 1969, came shortly after her graduation from Ridgetown College, in the college’s first graduating class of animal health technicians. She has been an honorary class president with DVM classes three times and won the OVC Class of 2001 Outstanding Support Staff Award a record five times.

Graduate and DVM Students
Anita Luu, a PhD student in the OVC Department of Biomedical Sciences with advisor Alicia Viloria-Petit, was named one of Guelph’s YMCA Women of Distinction for 2019.
Ari Mendell, recent PhD graduate from Department of Biomedical Sciences, awarded the 2019 Governor General's gold medal award.
Sugandha Raj, a PhD student in the Department of Pathobiology with Dr. Shayan Sharif, was awarded an Arrell Food Institute graduate scholarship. Students receiving the scholarship were selected for their academic excellence and community engagement efforts.

Passages
Dr. Chris Crombie, OVC DVM 1974, passed away in March 2019. Dr. Crombie practised with equine and companion animals and later with exotics.
Dr. Wayne Cross, OVC DVM 1982, passed away December 6, 2018.
Dr. C. E. ‘Ted’ Clarke, OVC DVM 1972, passed away Saturday, April 27, 2019.
Dr. Gordon Leslie Davis, OVC DVM 1945, passed away on February 2, 2018. His entire career was spent in Delta, BC practicing on both large and small animals.
Dr. Ken Fisk, OVC DVM 1949, passed away in March 2019. A native of Walkerton, Ontario, Dr. Fisk practiced in Harriston, Ontario.
Dr. David Gaunt, OVC DVM 1950, passed away on June 18, 2018.
Dr. Steeve Giguère, OVC PhD 1999, passed away on May 27, 2018.
Dr. Thomas Hawke, OVC DVM 1945, passed away August 29, 2018.
Dr. **Tom Hulland**, OVC DVM 1954, a former OVC faculty member, chair of the department of Pathology and Associate Dean (Academic) from 1969 to 1981, passed away on October 15, 2018. His many contributions to the veterinary profession were celebrated with the OVC Alumni Association Distinguished Alumnus Award in 2002.

Dr. **W (Dalton) Maxwell**, Class of OVC DVM 1962, passed away April 23, 2018.

Dr. **John McCleary**, OVC DVM 1995, passed away in March of 2019 after a courageous battle with cancer. He practiced emergency medicine in Victoria, B.C

Dr. **Dennis Michael Meagher**, OVC DVM 1959, passed away on February 20, 2019. In 2010, he received the Ontario Veterinary College Distinguished Alumnus award.

Dr. **William Osborne**, OVC DVM 1951, former owner of the Kingston Veterinary Clinic, Ontario, passed away on February 14, 2017.

Dr. **Bruce Wilkie**, OVC DVM 1965, Professor Emeritus, passed away on February 25, 2019. Wilkie joined the OVC faculty in 1973 and served the Department of Microbiology and Immunology chair from 1987 to 1992. Dr. Wilkie is widely recognized for his work along with colleague Dr. Patricia Shewen, Professor Emerita, in developing and commercializing the shipping fever vaccine Presponse®.

**Research**

Our research and graduate studies programs continue to enjoy an international reputation for excellence. Here are a few highlights:

OVC Biomedical Sciences professor **Jibran Khokhar** received $97,087 through the Canada Foundation for Innovation John R. Evans Leaders Fund (JELF). He is establishing a neuroscience laboratory to study addiction and mental illness and will use the grant for research infrastructure to help understand mechanisms underlying substance use and serious mental illness.

OVC professor **Bonnie Mallard**, Department of Pathobiology, heads up one of three U of G genomics projects which received federal funding worth $1.5 million. Mallard was awarded $426,622 to adapt high immune response technology developed for dairy cattle to help improve beef cattle health and welfare.

Prof. **Tami Martino**, director of the U of G’s Centre for Cardiovascular Investigations and professor in OVC’s Department of Biomedical Sciences, was awarded a four-year Mid-Career Investigator award by the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Canada (HSFC) in March 2019, the first time the award has been won at the University of Guelph.

OVC professor Dr. **Stephen LeBlanc**, OVC DVM 1997 and DVSc 2001, is one of three University of Guelph professors named to the prestigious Clarivate Analytics list of “Highly Cited Researchers” for 2018. The list, published annually, includes researchers ranking in the top one per cent by citations for field and publication year.

OVC professor Dr. **Andria Jones-Bitton**, OVC DVM 2000, shared her expertise on farming and mental health as a witness for a House of Commons Standing Committee on Agriculture and Agri-Food study of farmer mental health. Jones-Bitton studies the epidemiology of mental health and resilience in the agricultural and veterinary sectors.

OVC cancer researcher Dr. **Geoffrey Wood**, OVC 1993, DVSc 2006, collaborated with researchers at the Wellcome Trust Sanger Institute in Cambridge, U.K. on the first ever tri-species DNA sequencing study. The study was the first to compare cancer genomes across human, canine and equine tumours, the first to sequence horse tumours and the first sequencing study of this scale on dog melanoma.
Ontario Veterinary College Alumni Association Alumni Awards

Each year, the OVC Alumni Association highlights the accomplishments and contributions of a few of our outstanding alumni. The **OVC Distinguished Alumnus** award recognizes OVC graduates who have brought honour to their alma mater and fellow alumni through their contributions to alumni affairs, education, community, their profession, country and the sciences. The **OVC AA Young Alumnus** award recognizes alumni who have made a significant contribution in their field within 15 years of graduation. The **OVC AA Alumni Volunteer** award celebrates OVC graduates who bring honour and recognition to the College by giving generously of their time within the college, in their community or veterinary organizations.

**Distinguished Alumnus Award:**

**Dr. Clayton MacKay** graduated from the Ontario Veterinary College with a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM) degree in 1970. Following his graduation, he joined his father Dr. Duncan Campbell MacKay in practice as an associate, becoming a partner in 1971 and purchasing sole ownership in the practice in 1986. The practice offered referral Surgery, Internal Medicine, Dentistry, and was the site for non-traditional residencies for the first group of Canadian Veterinary Dentists.

Dr. MacKay later joined the Ontario Veterinary College as the Director of the Veterinary Teaching Hospital from 1993 to 1996, before joining Hill’s Pet Nutrition Canada as the Director of Veterinary Affairs from 1997-2010. During this time, Dr. MacKay played an instrumental role in establishing a partnership between OVC and Hill’s Pet Nutrition, which led to the creation of the Hill’s Pet Nutrition Primary Healthcare Centre at the Ontario Veterinary College. Dr. MacKay has served on the Boards and committees of a number of provincial, national and international organizations serving the veterinary profession, including serving as the President of AAHA, OVA, OVMA, TAVM, and the Society of Veterinary Medical Ethics; Chairman of the AVMA Animal Welfare Committee; and Chair of the Nutrition Committee of the World Small Animal Veterinary Association. He was the second youngest President of the Ontario Veterinary Association (now the College of Veterinarians of Ontario), as well as the first Canadian to serve as President of the American Animal Hospital Association.

Dr. Mackay’s contributions to his community include serving his local humane society and the Pickering Ajax Whitby municipalities as their Chief Veterinary Advisor for over 20 years. Dr. MacKay has also maintained his commitment to the University of Guelph and OVC, serving on the OVC Alumni Association Board and then as President of the OVCAA, as well as a member of the OVC Pet Trust committee at its founding. Dr. MacKay, along with classmates Avery Gillick and John McNally, led the Class of OVC 1970 in creating the OVC 1970 Bob Brandt Fund, an endowment that supports international students participating in a fourth year DVM EcoHealth elective.

Dr. MacKay continues to volunteer his time on a number of boards in Guelph, Collingwood and French Bay. Outside of the veterinary profession, Dr. MacKay has represented Ontario in mixed curling and is an avid golfer. Dr. MacKay is part of a proud University of Guelph family tradition; his father was an OVC alumnus from the Class of 1950, and his wife Mary Lynn and son David are also University of Guelph graduates.
Young Alumnus Award:

Dr. **Colleen Best** holds three degrees from the University of Guelph, completing a BSc Honours in Biological Science (‘05) before graduating from the Ontario Veterinary College with a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM) degree in 2009. Dr. Best then completed a PhD in 2015 in the Department of Population Medicine, with a research focus on veterinarian-client and referring veterinarian-specialist communication and relationships in equine practice. Dr. Best was a Sessional Instructor at OVC in 2015, and she joined the OVC faculty as an Assistant Professor in the Department of Population Medicine from 2017-2018 where she taught and coordinated courses in the Art of Veterinary Medicine curriculum.

Following her PhD, Dr. Best completed a Post Doctoral Fellowship as part of the Advancing Wellness and Resilience via Research and Education (AWAR2E) Group at the University of Guelph. Dr. Best is passionate about advocating for veterinary well-being, and as part of the AWAR2E group, undertook research to understand factors affecting the mental well-being of veterinarians. The goal of this research was to develop training and other support programs for both students within the DVM program and practicing veterinarians in the field.

Dr. Best was instrumental in the development of the Resilience for Veterinary Careers Rotation, and served as the primary instructor for the rotation from 2016-2019. This new rotation, available for fourth-year student veterinarians at OVC, focuses on an evidence-based understanding of mental wellness and resilience, including mind-body techniques, relaxation techniques, financial planning and selfcare.

Dr. Best’s contributions to the veterinary community extend well beyond OVC, with numerous contributions to the body of peer-reviewed and popular press literature on communication and wellness. She has also served as a guest speaker and workshop facilitator across North America on these topics.

Colleen continues to give back to her alma mater, serving on the Board of Directors for the OVC Alumni Association since 2013. Colleen remains dedicated to keeping her classmates connected, and along with classmate Jackie Parr, has organized 5- and 10-year reunions for the class of OVC ‘09. Colleen and her husband are proud parents to two young boys.

Alumni Volunteer Award:

Dr. **Doreen Houston** graduated from the Ontario Veterinary College in 1980, and after 4 years in private practice, returned to OVC to complete an Internship, Residency and DVSc in Internal Medicine. She became a board certified Diplomate of the American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine (ACVIM) in 1991. Her career that followed included time in academia at both OVC and the Western College of Veterinary Medicine in Saskatoon, as well as time in industry with Medi-Cal and Royal Canin. Throughout her career, Doreen has authored multiple published papers, several book chapters, and a textbook and held positions on numerous committees. She received of a number of academic teaching awards and was the proud recipient of the Ontario Veterinary Medical Association’s Outstanding Veterinarian of the Year award in 2011.

Doreen officially retired from Royal Canin in 2011 and registered her own business, Doreen Houston Consulting. She continues to be active in giving back to the profession she loves and currently Chairs OVC Pet Trust, is a member of the OVMA Small Animal Issues Committee, sits on a graduate student committee at OVC and peer reviews for a number of international journals. Doreen and her husband enjoy spending time with their 3 grandkids, Bennett, Mia and Nora and their Golden Retriever “Obi”, and biking, hiking and traveling across the globe. She has been on every continent, has even slept on the ice in Antarctica and did a South Ocean swim!

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**Ontario Veterinary College Alumni Association Student Awards**

*Margaret A. B. Maxwell Memorial Graduate Scholarship: Jessica Aymen and Jolene Giacinti*

*OVC Alumni Association Spirit Prize Phase 2: Adam Quinlan*

*OVC Alumni Association Spirit Prize Phase 3: Salomon Schroeter*

*OVC Alumni Association Robert Clarke Public Health Prize: Rachel Goodland*
On behalf of the OVC Advancement team, thank you to our alumni supporters. You are helping to provide the next generation of student veterinarians with a first-class education and improve the health and welfare of all species. Your passion for your class, your profession and your school helps to drive forward the future of veterinary education.

**OV****C 2018/2019 Fundraising Priorities**

**Class Projects**
OVC alumni have continued the longstanding tradition of supporting class project fundraising initiatives, and many classes have enjoyed great success in their efforts to launch and/or complete their projects. OVC alumni class projects support areas including student scholarships and bursaries, capital projects, OVC Pet Trust, mental health and wellness resources, and research initiatives.

**OV****C Highest Priority Fund**
The Highest Priority fund is an unrestricted fundraising initiative that focuses on meeting the overall needs of the college. These donations are directed to support, at the Dean’s discretion, areas of greatest student need and innovative programs within the College, whether they are scholarships, bursaries, equipment renewals, collaboration amongst faculty and students, or student experience opportunities.

**OV****C Student Assistance**
At the University of Guelph we recognize that financial capacity should not be a barrier to any student’s academic potential. Student assistance provides a means to offset these ever-increasing costs, as well as support student learning. Funds allocated to this area will be used to establish and enhance undergraduate (ie: DVM), upper-year scholarships and graduate scholarships within the College.

**Critical Care and ICU Expansion**
Animal lovers and philanthropists announced a record-breaking $4,944,680 million in donations at the fourth OVC Pet Trust Walk in the Park Gala on October 1, 2018, including a gift of more than $4 million from the estate of the late Dr. Catherine Bergeron. Dr. Bergeron was a dedicated donor to OVC Pet Trust, and during her career served as division chief and staff neuropathologist at Toronto General Hospital, as principal investigator at the Centre for Research in Neurodegenerative Diseases and was the founder of the Canadian Brain Tissue Bank at U of T. Funds raised will be used to support companion animal emergency medicine and critical care through the expansion of the Intensive Care Unit at OVC. The Gala was co-chaired by long-time health care philanthropist Emmanuelle Gattuso and OVC Pet Trust board member, Roly Browning Watt.

**OV****C Enhanced Clinical Learning**
DVM graduates are entering careers in veterinary medicine that offer continual advances in technology, healthcare options and solutions. Their training needs to reflect this changing landscape, equipping graduates with the skills they need to excel in their veterinary medicine careers. Investing in the student learning experience and state-of-the-art, sustainable facilities that are technologically optimized for learning, research, and clinical care will improve student confidence and competence, particularly in their psychomotor skills, through use of simulation and virtual reality technologies in clinical and surgical techniques.

**Scholarly Chairs in One Health**
The most serious issues facing humans, animals, and the environment must be solved collaboratively to provide solutions for complex problems in global health, food safety and security.
A One Health approach focuses on leveraging knowledge from animal, human and environmental health, benefiting society as a whole. Researchers and veterinarians who understand the power of the One Health framework, with expertise in zoonotic disease prevention and control, in animal health, food and water security, biomedical discovery, comparative and translational medicine, are critical to this collaborative, integrated approach to solving the critical global health and food security issues impacting us all. By raising funds for One Health Research Chairs, OVC will leverage our existing strengths to become an internationally-recognized champion for the veterinary science link in One Health approaches to critical local and global health issues.

Preserving Veterinary History
OVC houses the largest veterinary museum collection in Canada, which plays an important role in preserving Canadian veterinary history. Curated by Dr. Lisa Cox, the C.A.V. Barker Veterinary Museum and Archive contains over 12,000 artifacts and rare books. Dr. Cox has been working on redeveloping the collection as well as improving the preservation, conservation, and access to the collection through scholarly historical research and new exhibitions.

Fundraising Results
The 2018/19 financial year saw the strongest-ever fundraising results from the University of Guelph overall, and the Ontario Veterinary College was a key part in that success. We also reached a new high-water mark in terms of our year-end figures ($11.8M), and there were a number of exceptional factors including the Walk in the Park Gala, and two extremely significant Pet Trust bequests.

OVC 2018/2019
Dollars Raised
Annual Fund $1,633,142
Major Gifts $1,094,253
Planned Giving $8,405,682
Sponsorship $645,164
Total $ 11,782,278

Historical OVC Results
2018/2019 $11.7 million
2017/2018 $4.8 million
2016/2017 $4.2 million
2015/2016 $8.5 million
2014/2015 $6.3 million
2013/2014 $6.3 million
2012/2013 $4.2 million
2011/2012 $4.6 million
2010/2011 $5.8 million

2009/2010 $8.1 million
2008/2009 $9.5 million

Historical University-Wide Results
2018/2019 $59.73 million
2017/2018 $31.23 million
2016/2017 $33.12 million
2015/2016 $31.17 million
2014/2015 $25.18 million
2013/2014 $31.93 million
2012/2013 $28.5 million
2011/2012 $27.5 million
2010/2011 $22.9 million
2009/2010 $21.3 million
2008/2009 $15.9 million
Kim Robinson, Managing Director, OVC Pet Trust

It has been another extremely successful year for OVC Pet Trust. In the 2018-2019 fiscal year more than $10 million in funds were raised to improve and advance companion animal health and well-being. As you may know, OVC Pet Trust supports health care, research and education at the Ontario Veterinary College (OVC) at the University of Guelph.

This past October, we announced a record-breaking $5 million in donations at the fourth OVC Pet Trust Walk in the Park Gala. The event attracted 250 people to Daniels Spectrum in Toronto and was co-chaired by long-time health care philanthropist Emmanuelle Gattuso and OVC Pet Trust board member Roly Browning Watt. Funds raised will support companion animal emergency medicine and critical care through the expansion of the OVC Intensive Care Unit (ICU).

As you may recall, in the fall of 2015, we launched a $9-million fundraising campaign to create new surgery and anesthesia facilities at the OVC. We are pleased to report the new facilities are projected to open in 2020 and funds raised will allow OVC to create a new world-class facility, remain at the forefront of veterinary medicine, raise the standard of care and provide the most advanced surgical and anesthesia techniques, diagnoses and treatment in Canada.

In January 2019, we launched our third pet loss support resource – Helping Children with the Loss of a Pet: A Support Guide for Pet Owners, a follow-up material to our previously printed resources, Preparing for the Loss of a Pet: A Support Guide for Pet Owners (published January 2018) and Coping with the Loss of a Pet: A Support Guide for Pet Owners (published January 2017). All three resources were developed internally by OVC Pet Trust and have been very positively embraced by pet owners and the veterinary community as a helpful and a compassionate tool to help cope with grief and to prepare to say goodbye to a beloved companion.

We hope you will take some time to read the new spring/summer issue of Best Friends magazine, published two times per year, highlighting how we are making a difference in the lives of pets. Please visit www.pettrust.ca/bestfriends to read a digital version of the latest edition of Best Friends.

We invite you to connect with us on social media. You can find OVC Pet Trust on Facebook (www.facebook.com/ovcpet) and Twitter (@OVCPetTrust).
Communications Report:

Jane Dawkins and Karen Mantel, OVC Marketing Communications Officers

During 2018-2019 the OVC’s communications team continued to collaborate with the University of Guelph’s Communications and Public Affairs office to promote teaching, learning and research at OVC.

Highlights include:
Media coverage during the year included international coverage of successful reconstructive skull surgery led by OVC veterinary surgical oncologist Dr. Michelle Oblak, implanting a custom 3-D printed skull plate in a dog. The story garnered media attention around the world, with most notable coverage in The New York Times, CNN, BBC, CBS Evening News, TIME, People, The Canadian Press, The Globe and Mail and more. As well, the Mona Campbell Centre for Animal Cancer was featured by CTV W5 in an episode exploring cancer treatment in dogs and the possible benefits for humans.

OVC researcher-written articles in The Conversation Canada, a national non-profit media network that publishes expert articles by researchers for distribution in Canada and around the globe, included information on how to avoid Lyme Disease from Population Medicine Prof. Katie Clow and updates on cardiovascular research and impacts on women’s health by Prof. Glen Pyle.

The Crest continues to play a crucial role connecting the college to its alumni, partners and friends. Over the past year we’ve given The Crest, the research, teaching and health care magazine of the Ontario Veterinary College, a refreshed and expanded look.

We appreciate the positive feedback many of you provided in our OVC Crest reader survey. We heard a clear preference for two issues of The Crest per year to stay abreast of the news and research at the college. Going forward, we’ll have issues each January and June.

The Summer Fall 2019 issue of The Crest highlights OVC strengths in solving challenges at the One Health intersect of animals, humans and the environment. Watch for the issue in your mailbox soon.

Our team remains committed to growing the college’s reach, deepening conversations and expanding engagement with future and existing...
students, staff, faculty, alumni, colleagues at fellow universities, private and government funding agencies and the broader community. We will also continue to raise the profile of the Ontario Veterinary College by increasing awareness of the role of veterinarians in society.

We have continued our collaborative relationship with the U of G Office of Research and the SPARK (Students Promoting Awareness of Research Knowledge). The Office of Research has numerous strategic alliances with the media. SPARK-written news stories have appeared in agri-food publications across Ontario and Canada and in the UG Research magazine, one of the University’s flagship publications, allowing our team to expand our reach.

The Externship Blog Project 2019
This year, five student veterinarians are taking part in the Externship Blog Project 2019 and will share their externship experiences over the summer.

Now in its sixth year, this web and social media-based project highlights the experience of student veterinarians during their externship placement. Students submit weekly posts about their experiences, talk about their work through writing, photos or video creation. Blogs are posted to the OVC website and promoted through social channels.

Follow our student veterinarians this summer as they post articles and videos about their experiences in mixed animal practices across Ontario at www.ovc.uoguelph.ca/externship.

Integrated Marketing
OVC continues to blend traditional and social media efforts to ensure the college remains a leader in international conversations. Social media content focuses on student experience, learning and research.

We remain active on:
Facebook: www.facebook.com/ontvetcollege
www.facebook.com/OVCAAlum
Twitter, Instagram & Snapchat: @ontvetcollege

Traditional ‘Channels’
We are also continuing our traditional communications efforts using a mix of print and electronic communication products, including:

The Crest, the research, teaching and health care magazine of the Ontario Veterinary College, is published two times per year and is available to alumni and friends of OVC with a readership of 10,000. We share news and updates about our students, researchers and alumni and the many ways they are advancing the health of all species in our society.

OVC Pet Trust’s Best Friends Magazine, is published two times per year, has gone through transformation over the past 12 months. The publication now aims to meet pet owners’ needs, covering stories of interest and interviewing OVC companion animal experts in a wide variety of areas. Best Friends also features funded research, patient stories and events. Readership: 21,000.

OVC Bulletin is a weekly electronic internal newsletter, including news, stories, research updates, announcements, College and student events. Links are included to U of G Centres at OVC and other networks, encouraging an integrated approach to communications across the College. Each newsletter includes links to all social media channels to encourage followers and a call to share story and research updates with marketing communications. Alumni who have a story idea, can contact ovccomms@uoguelph.ca. To access the Bulletin please visit www.ovc.uoguelph.ca.
Proposed

Slate of Officers:

OVC Alumni Association Board of Directors:

President:
Paul Woods, OVC 1985

Vice-President:
Open

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Matt Spiegle, OVC 2008

Secretary:
Open

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Chris Doherty, OVC 2013

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Peter Conlon, OVC 1980
Tiffany Durzi, OVC 2000
Joanne Hewson, OVC 1996
Tamara Hofstede, OVC 2004
Bob Van Delst, OVC 1995

Student representatives:
Caitlin Evered, OVC 2020
Jessica Dawley, OVC 2021
Bethany Bass, OVC 2022
OVC 2023 representative to be named in autumn 2019.
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