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Greenbelt Foundation Announces Executive Director

TORONTO—Sandy Houston, Chair of the Greenbelt Foundation, is pleased to announce the hiring of the Foundation's first Executive Director. After reviewing a large number of applicants from an open call for submissions, the Greenbelt Foundation welcomes Burkhard Mausberg to advance the vision of the Greenbelt as a living legacy for Ontarians.

Mr. Mausberg comes to the Greenbelt Foundation from the Ivey Foundation where he served as Program Director for several years. "Burkhard has shown a long-time professional and personal commitment to the ideals the Greenbelt represents for Ontario," said Mr. Houston. "He brings a wealth of experience from the Ivey Foundation and other non-profit organizations he has led."

Mr. Mausberg is no stranger to the philanthropic world. In addition to his work at the Ivey Foundation, he served on the Board of the Toronto Atmospheric Fund for six years and as the Chair of its Grants and Loans Committee. This fund helps reduce air pollution in Toronto. He also has extensive experience with non-profit groups, previously serving as the Executive Director of Environmental Defence, Great Lakes United, and the Environment Fund, and working for Pollution Probe and the Canadian Institute for Environmental Law and Policy.

"I'm excited about the opportunities the Greenbelt will create for current and future generations of Ontarians," said Mr. Mausberg. "I look forward to getting down to work with all of the Greenbelt's many stakeholders and supporters."

The Greenbelt Foundation is an independent, private foundation, funding activities related to public education, research, promotion, land stewardship, and land acquisition across the Greenbelt, with a focus on agriculture and environmental protection.

Mr. Mausberg lives in Toronto with his wife and three young children, and spends his weekends with his kids enjoying the Greenbelt's many attractions.

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