CARDV welcomes full-time Executive Director - Stephanie Miller

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The Center Against Rape & Domestic Violence (CARDV), a leading provider of sexual assault and domestic violence services in Linn and Benton Counties, is thrilled to announce the appointment of <u>Stephanie Miller, LMFT</u> as the organization's new Executive Director, effective October 16, 2023.

"I am honored and grateful to accept the position of Executive Director of this well-loved organization that consists of extremely talented and passionate staff, Board of Directors and a long history of dedicated donors and partners," said Stephanie Miller. "CARDV's future is bright.

My goal in leading this organization is to build on the many achievements of the past forty-two years, maintain the highest service and



support standards, continue to build relationships and forge partnerships to change the landscape of rape and domestic violence services including prevention, education, and advocacy."

Stephanie Miller

Miller joins CARDV from Women's Resource Center in Oceanside, CA, where she served as the CEO for the nonprofit dedicated to providing lifesaving and life-changing services of shelter, housing, and support for survivors of sexual and domestic violence. Over the course of her 33-year professional career, Miller has focused on being a change agent and working towards creating and developing robust services and programs to meet the needs of the community. A collaborative leader, her dedication to equity and consensus building, among other qualities, will serve CARDV tremendously as it embarks on a new era.

"The Board and I are thrilled to introduce a leader of Stephanie's caliber into our community to lead CARDV," said Mamta Chowdhury, CARDV Board Chair. "Her exceptional leadership skills, strategic insights, previous expertise in sexual assault and domestic violence service provisions make her an ideal leader for CARDV. We are excited to have Stephanie's leadership, energy and passion for our work and we look forward to this new chapter for CARDV."

Miller previously called Oregon home for 18 years and raised her two sons in the community. She is excited to return to Oregon and to start giving back to this community through her work at CARDV. We hope you will join us in extending a warm welcome to Stephanie Miller.

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About CARDV

Founded in 1981 as a Rape Crisis Center, CARDV is the only domestic violence/sexual assault service organization in Linn and Benton Counties that provides emergency shelter for survivors of sexual assault, domestic violence, sex trafficking and stalking. The core of our services is our confidential 24-hour crisis & support line, 24/7 emergency shelter for survivors and their families, support groups, legal advocacy, and financial aid. For more information, visit www.cardv.org.