

For Immediate Release

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EORN SEEKS MEMBERS FOR BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Eastern Ontario Regional Broadband Network (EORN) is currently seeking applications from the public to serve on its Board of Directors. Eastern Ontario residents who want to contribute to the economic and technological advancement of the region are encouraged to apply.

Qualified candidates with public or private sector expertise in finance, law, and/or technology are being sought to fill one (1) immediate short-term vacancy with an option to renew for a two-year term in January 2019. This is a volunteer position requiring attendance at monthly board meetings and various other events and activities.

Interested individuals should visit the EORN website, <u>www.eorn.ca</u> for further information regarding submission of interest. A job description is included on the website. If you are interested in applying to this position, please forward resume and cover letter to:

David Fell, CEO County of Peterborough County Court House 470 Water Street Peterborough, ON K9H 3M3 Email: dfell@eorn.ca

Applications will be accepted until 4:30 p.m. on Friday, July 6, 2018.

The Eastern Ontario Regional Network (EORN) is a project of the Eastern Ontario Wardens' Caucus Inc (EOWC Inc.). which comprises the 13 upper- and single-tier municipalities within Eastern Ontario, as well as separated municipalities and First Nations communities.

Since it was established in 2010, EORN has substantially increased broadband access across rural Eastern Ontario by working in partnership with all levels of government and the private sector. The organization has created a 10-year Digital Strategy to build on its success and to ensure that the broadband network fulfils its potential to deliver economic growth and improved quality of life to Eastern Ontario communities. EORN is currently embarking on a \$213 million regional cell gap project.

In accordance with the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, the information gathered will be used for the purpose of selection for the board of directors. Any inquiries should be directed to the EORN CEO.

We thank all applicants who respond to this advertisement. Only those applicants selected for an interview will be contacted.