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LESLIE A. MURPHY ELECTED TO McGREGOR FUND BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Detroit, MI – At its June meeting, the McGregor Fund board of trustees welcomed its newest member, former Plante & Moran executive Leslie A. Murphy.

Murphy, who currently heads up her own Ann Arbor-based consulting firm, graduated from the University of Michigan Business School and holds honorary doctorate degrees from Walsh College and Cleary College. Named one of the Most Influential Women in Southeastern Michigan by *Crain's Detroit Business*, she serves on the board of directors and chairs the audit committees of both Kelly Services, Inc. and VSP Global, and serves on the Compensation committees of both organizations, among others.

In 2005, she became one of only three women ever to chair the 400,000-member American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA) and is currently a member of the AICPA Governing Council. In addition, she serves on the Investment Committee for the BELLE Michigan Fund, serves on the board of directors for the Early Childhood Investment

Corporation, and chairs the board of directors for Covenant House Michigan. She is past chair of the board of directors of the Detroit Regional Chamber of Commerce, St. John Providence Health System, and the United Way of Southeastern Michigan, where she continues to serve on the board and chairs the Audit Committee.

Murphy is the recipient of numerous professional and civic awards, including the Beta Alpha Psi 2015 Business Professional of the Year, 2014 Leaders and Innovators Award from Lawrence Tech University and WWJ-950 News Radio, and AICPA's 2012 Gold Medal of Distinguished Service, the highest individual honor bestowed by the CPA profession. In 2011, she was inducted into the advisory board Hall of Fame.

The McGregor Fund is a private foundation organized "to relieve the misfortunes and promote the well-being of mankind." It was established in 1925 by a \$5,000 deed of gift from Tracy W. McGregor and later augmented to nearly \$10 million through subsequent gifts from Mr. McGregor and his wife, Katherine Whitney McGregor. To date, the Fund has provided nearly \$235 million in grants to organizations throughout metropolitan Detroit and the tri-county area focused on human services, education, health care, arts and culture, and public benefit.

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