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Special Olympics Pennsylvania Names New Chairman of the Board

(Norristown, PA, January 27, 2021) – Special Olympics Pennsylvania (SOPA) is proud to announce that Tom Hindman, director of strategic sales for Aerotek Inc., has been named chairman of its Board. Hindman's term will start at the beginning of the New Year, when he will take over for previous board chairman, Jim Wenner, vice president of information technology, Sheetz Inc.

"We are so grateful for Jim's guidance and support over the past several years; and, we know he will continue to be a member of our Special Olympics Pennsylvania family," said Matt Aaron, SOPA's President & CEO. "I would like to congratulate Tom Hindman on being named chairman of our board. I look forward to working closely with him as we navigate these challenging times while continuing to fill a critical need in the lives of people with intellectual disabilities."

Hindman has more than 25 years of experience at Aerotek Inc., where he has held various roles such as recruiter, account manager, director of program services, director of business development, director of sales, and more. Prior to starting at Aerotek, Hindman graduated from Loyola University in Maryland.

"I am honored to assume the role of Chairman of the Board for Special Olympics Pennsylvania – an organization that is very important to me," said Hindman. "I look forward to leading the board and working with the organization's staff as we strive to foster a more inclusive community and society."

Hindman first got involved with Special Olympics Pennsylvania in 2012. His tenure on the Board of Directors began in 2015.

The SOPA Board of Directors help to set the organization's strategic plan and offers guidance for how to best accomplish the organization's goals. To learn more about SOPA's current Board of Directors, visit <u>https://specialolympicspa.org/about-us/board-of-directors</u>.

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About Special Olympics Pennsylvania

Special Olympics Pennsylvania provides year-round training and competition in 21 Olympic-type sports to more than 20,000 children and adults with intellectual disabilities or closely related developmental disabilities. For more information about how you can join "The Inclusion Revolution," visit www.specialolympicspa.org.

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