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### **Museum of Boulder Announces New Executive Director**

BOULDER, CO | August 7, 2019 – The Museum of Boulder is pleased to announce that it has hired Lori A. Preston as its new Executive Director.

Ms. Preston has an accomplished record of leadership and achievement as an educator and manager at schools, non-profit organizations, and community partnerships in Colorado and Texas. She served most recently on the Executive Leadership team of Boulder Valley’s Peak to Peak Public Charter School. Preston is a lifelong learner having recently completed post-graduate institute work through Harvard’s Graduate School of Education. Lori has her Masters in Leadership and Educational Administration from Lamar University and comes with significant work in strategic planning, fiscal management and generative development for institutions. Lori has strong ties to the Boulder community and looks forward to the opportunity to generate new support and get creative about how to honor all voices, educate, preserve, and celebrate the Boulder region.



Lori succeeds Angelique Espinoza who served as Interim Executive Director following Nancy Geyer’s retirement in February 2019.

“The Board of Directors and I are delighted to welcome Lori as we complete our capital campaign and develop exciting new community outreach and educational programs and innovative exhibits,” said museum Board Chair, Kathleen Spear. “We thank Angelique for her service as we completed the search for a new leader and celebrate the 75th anniversary of our founding as the Boulder Historical Society.”

“I’m honored to be asked to lead the talented team at the Museum at this exciting time in its history and to help it achieve its mission of celebrating Boulder’s past, present, and future.” notes Lori. “I look forward to strengthening our ties to the broad diversity of our community’s culture and securing the Museum’s place as a center of education and creativity.”

To learn more about the museum, please visit [www.museumofboulder.org](http://www.museumofboulder.org)

**ABOUT MUSEUM OF BOULDER at Tebo Center** Founded in 1944, the Museum of Boulder is an arts and cultural institution that showcases the remarkable accomplishments of Boulder through innovative exhibits, programs and social engagement. The Museum provides engaging experiences that celebrate

the spirit of the Boulder region. Through exhibits about our history and stories of discovery, innovation, hardship and adventure, we create an inclusive and inspiring environment to explore, learn, reflect and have fun. The Museum of Boulder is a catalyst bringing individuals together as a living community. The Museum of Boulder is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization EIN#84-0576359.