

Meeting Life's Challenges

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## Greetings!

As the new CEO, I wanted to take a moment to say hello and let you know that after only being here for one week, I can already feel the sense of family that is Living Resources. While I am listening, learning, and getting up to speed, my hope is to get to know many of you along the way. Throughout the next few months, Fred Erlich and I will be visiting our homes, day sites, and programs to make personal introductions where possible.

I know that there has been a lot of change and pivoting this year, and coming on board in the midst of a pandemic is sure to have its own set of challenges; however, I am honored to be a part of the amazing Leadership Team that is already in place. Together, we will remain steadfast in our commitment to ensure the health and safety of all.

We will also continue to provide periodic updates on our reopening procedures. We are working diligently to increase participation in our day programs in a safe manner while following all protocols and governmental guidelines, including limiting the number of individuals that we can transport at one time. In order to allow more individuals to participate in our Day Community Opportunities Program, we will be providing a split schedule, one program in the morning and one in the afternoon. Each program will include transportation to and from along with two hours of services. You will receive additional information regarding this format directly from the program. In the meantime, should you have any questions regarding this procedure, please reach out to Frank Prevratil, Director of Day Services at <a href="mailto:fprevratil@livingresources.org">fprevratil@livingresources.org</a>.

Like Fred, I have an open door policy, please contact me with any questions or concerns that arise. I'm available at <a href="mailto:emartin@livingresources.org">emartin@livingresources.org</a> or 518-218-0000 x5530.

Best regards for your health and safety,

Elizabeth Martin

Chief Executive Officer

