

## **MEDIA ALERT**

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## GOODWILL NAMES DAN DEPIES CHIEF MISSION OFFICER

**August 8, 2019...**Goodwill Industries of Southeastern Wisconsin & Metropolitan Chicago has named Dan Depies Chief Mission Officer for the organization.

Depies has been with Goodwill for nine years, most recently as Senior Vice President of Mission Services. Depies leads Goodwill's core mission services which assist a diverse population of over 45,000 individuals with disabilities and other barriers to employment each year.

These services help individuals into more than 9,000 jobs annually at over 500 businesses across the organization's territory. Services include: Goodwill TalentBridge, the organizations full-service staffing and recruitment firm; Workforce Connection Centers, which offer free help to job seekers; a variety of training and employment programs in southeastern Wisconsin and northeastern Illinois; as well as community and day services.

In his new role, Depies will strategically align mission efforts across Goodwill to maximize the organizations impact in communities served.

"Dan brings a renewed commitment to Goodwill's workforce development and innovative workforce solutions. His thought leadership provides a significant impact throughout our organization and in our communities," said Jackie Hallberg, president and CEO.

Depies spent 14 years in management consulting supporting clients in manufacturing, health care and the financial service industries. He has a degree in Accounting and Management Information Systems from UW-Milwaukee. He also serves on the board of Wisconsin Business Growth Fund and is an active volunteer in Boy Scouts and youth sports.

## **About Goodwill**

Goodwill Industries of Southeastern Wisconsin and Metropolitan Chicago is the largest Goodwill organization among 158 agencies in North America. In 2018, Goodwill provided services to nearly 50,000 men and women with disabilities and disadvantages and 9,473 individuals entered employment. Visit <a href="www.goodwillew.com">www.goodwillew.com</a> or <a href="www.goodwillew.com">www.goodwillew.com</a> for more information.

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