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**Jessica Hogg named Executive Director of Terrace Women's Resource Centre Society**

**Terrace, BC, September 20, 2023**– The Terrace Women's Resource Centre Society (TWRCs), a local non-profit organization announces the appointment of Jessica Hogg as its new Executive Director. In her role, Ms. Hogg will champion the mission of TWRCs, advocating for equity, cultivating resources, and offering inclusive community programming.

With a strong leadership background, and with prior experience at TWRCs, Hogg is skilled in strategic marketing, communication planning, and operational and program management. Her adaptability, creative problem-solving abilities, and deep roots in the Terrace community position her to lead effectively and contribute to the growth and well-being of our region.

Established in 1980, TWRCs operates on the unceded territory of the Tshimshian people of Kitsumkalum and Kitseleas. The organization is committed to equity, inclusivity, diversity, and creativity, offering a wide range of gender-inclusive programs and serving as a vital community hub.

Key programs at TWRCs include the Women's Centre, the Family Place, and Skeena Child Care Resource & Referral. Additionally, the Society provides activities and resources promoting community health and individual empowerment while reducing barriers for families.

TWRCs's impact extends beyond its programs hosting over 250 external community events each year in a spirit of connectedness, collaboration and outreach.

In line with its values, TWRCs stands firmly against racism and inequality. The Society's Equity and Anti-Racism Statement underscores its commitment to combat racism, prejudice, and exclusivity. The Society is dedicated to reconciliation, actively addressing community needs while honoring its diverse Indigenous population.

Emily Suderman, Chair of TWRCs's Board of Directors, stated, "We are thrilled to welcome Jessica Hogg as our new Executive Director. Her dedication to equity and her commitment to our values make her the ideal leader to guide us into the future."

Hogg added, "I am honoured to join TWRCs in its mission to create a more equitable and inclusive community. Together, we will work toward a brighter future."

TWRCs also announces its upcoming Annual General Meeting (AGM), scheduled for October 26 at 6:30 PM at the Centre. All interested persons are encouraged to attend. For AGM details, please contact [info@twrcs.ca](mailto:info@twrcs.ca).

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**About Terrace Women's Resource Centre Society:**

*The Terrace Women's Resource Centre Society (TWRCs), established in 1980, operates on the unceded territory of the Tsimshian people of Kitsumkalum and Kitseleas. TWRCs is committed to advocating equity, cultivating resources, and offering community programming within inclusive spaces for all. The Society's vision is to see a collaborative and thriving community that values and empowers all persons.*