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Western Healthcare Alliance Names Bill Raimer as New Chief Financial Officer

Grand Junction, CO, February 18, 2019 – Western Healthcare Alliance (WHA) is pleased to announce the hiring of Bill Raimer as the new Chief Financial Officer (CFO) for WHA and its family of companies. In this role, he will be responsible for the oversight and management of all financial functions, revenue cycle operations, and facilities. Mr. Raimer's first day at WHA will be February 27th.

As CFO, Mr. Raimer will develop effective strategies and identify opportunities to maximize our organizational impact for WHA's rural members and clients. He will serve as a member of the senior leadership team and be actively involved in ensuring WHA meets the needs of our members and clients.

Mr. Raimer commented, "I'm excited to join this great team and be a part of this long-established, member-oriented organization. As CFO, my priorities will be the continued monitoring, evaluation, and management of financial activities. More importantly, I seek to become a valued advisor to WHA's CEO, other staff, and to the organization as a whole as it faces future opportunities and challenges."

Mr. Raimer joins WHA after serving as CFO for Reynolds Polymer Technology based in Grand Junction, Colorado. Prior to joining Reynolds, Mr. Raimer worked for several large national and international material supply and construction firms in various CFO roles and capacities in both Wyoming and Iowa.

Having been born in Montrose and growing up in Grand Junction, he feels deeply connected to the people and the lifestyle of western Colorado. Mr. Raimer studied accounting at Colorado State University, is currently a licensed CPA, and is an MBA candidate at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

"We are fortunate to have someone of Mr. Raimer's experience and knowledge join our dynamic team," said WHA CEO, Angelina Salazar. "In addition, he possesses a sense of mission and commitment to collaboration for the overall health of our rural communities."

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Western Healthcare Alliance (WHA) began in 1989 when a small group of rural Colorado hospitals decided that there was power in numbers. Today, WHA celebrates 30 years of collaboration with 30 healthcare members in Colorado and Utah. A subset of WHA members own Healthcare Management (HCM), a sister company of WHA, that provides revenue cycle solutions to healthcare entities. In 2015, WHA formed the Community Care Alliance to provide a population health infrastructure for rural hospital and provider communities to learn and succeed in the new healthcare environment. Developing and managing a menu of over 45 member-owned and partner programs, WHA saves members money that helps them remain sustainable and viable in their communities.

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