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## **Clinton County Catalyst**

**DeWitt, MI** – The Clinton County Economic Alliance (CCEA) is pleased to announce the 2021 officers elected by the Board of Director and the Executive Committee members who will serve through December 31, 2021. They are:

- Craig Bishop, Chairman of the Board. Mr. Bishop is Market President/Middle Market Commercial Lending with TCF Bank;
- David Kudwa, Vice Chairman. Mr. Kudwa is Deputy City Manager/Community Development Director of the City of St. Johns;
- Nicholas Bancroft, Treasurer. Mr. Bancroft is CEO of AgroLiquid;
- Rounding out the Executive Committee are Mike Bills, principal with MB Strategies LLC, Allen Blower, partner with Clark Construction Co., Beth Daugherty, MPH, President of Sparrow Clinton Hospital, and Dr. Wayne Petroelje, superintendent of Clinton County RESA.

President and CEO Dru L. Mitchell will continue as Secretary to the Board.

"CCEA would like to thank outgoing Board Chairman Kathryn Burkholder of Consumers Energy for her dedicated service to the organization and leadership as board chairman the past two years," said CCEA Chairman Bishop.

Additional members of the 2021 Board are: Patricia Barnas – First National Bank of Michigan, Jessica Chant-Smith – Bingham Township, Dan Coss - City of DeWitt, Bruce DeLong - Clinton County Board of Commissioners, Kurt Hanus – Mercantile Bank; Charles Hauser – Granger Waste Services, Brian Holland – DTN Management, Shawn Middleton – Spicer Group, Inc., David North – MWC LLC, Charles 'Rusti' Owens – C2AE, Travis Roberts – Tri-Area Trucking School, James Rundell – Sam Eyde Co., Kaylan Kennel – Michigan Milk Producers Association, Nicholas Tafelsky – Bath Charter Township, James Tedder – ITC Michigan, Jessica Tramontana – Consumers Energy, and Brett Wittenberg – DeWitt Charter Township.

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