**Press Release**

October 21, 2021

**Blake to begin role of Executive Director**

**of Park View Community Mission**

(Lynchburg, VA) – The Park View Community Mission (Park View) Board of Directors has named Dr. R. Todd Blake (Todd) as their new Executive Director. Todd began his position on October 21, 2021.

Todd’s extensive background in ministry and nonprofit service will provide invaluable expertise to Park View as it grows and changes to meet the needs of our community. For the past twenty years, Todd has served at various churches, and most recently as Pastor of Madison Heights Baptist Church in Madison Heights, Virginia. During his time as Pastor, Todd consistently led staff and volunteers while managing administrative, financial, and logistical responsibilities of his church. Since 2016, Todd has also served as a Relief Chaplain for Centra Health.

“We believe that Todd’s experience will provide Park View with valuable knowledge as we continue to serve the under privileged community here in Central Virginia”, said George Joyner, chairman of Park View’s board of directors.

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***About Park View Community Mission****- Park View Community Mission is a 501 (c)(3) non-profit inclusive organization that provides meals, personal care items and clothing to those in need as well as opportunities to learn educational skills that support the securing of meaningful employment. These programs are made possible through the donations of the community and the partnership formed with local businesses, churches, educational institutions, and government entities.*

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