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CUYAHOGA VALLEY SCENIC RAILROAD BOARD OF TRUSTEES ELECTS TWO NEW MEMBERS

Independence, OH, June 2, 2021 – Cuyahoga Valley Scenic Railroad's Board of Trustees elected two new members. The Board serves as the governing body of CVSR and provides management and direction for the non-profit organization.

Joseph Biber of Macedonia, Ohio and Frank Mahnic Jr. of Valley View, Ohio were appointed to fill vacancies on the Board.

Biber is a retired chemist with Sherwin-Williams. Throughout his 36-year career at Sherwin-Williams, he held many positions. He started as Associate Director Analytical Services, then moved on to participate in Operations and Product Planning for Consumer Products. This was followed by participation in the Colorant Business Development and ended as Research Fellow in Formulation Systems Technology where the focus was on strategic business development. He retired in October 2020.

Mahnic is the current President at Frank Mahnic Jr. and Associates. The company specializes in business and local government consulting, economic development, and project finance, federal, state, regional and local government grants, planning and general government relations. He has spent most of his career in public service and was a member of the Ohio House of Representatives from the 13th district where he served five terms.

"We're excited for Joseph (Biber) and Frank (Mahnic Jr.) to join the Board," said CVSR Board Chair Jim Virost. "Both have a wide skill set and we appreciate their willingness to help us advance our mission."

For more information on CVSR's board of trustees, please visit: https://www.cvsr.org/board-staff/

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About Cuyahoga Valley Scenic Railroad

Cuyahoga Valley Scenic Railroad (CVSR) is a private sector, not-for-profit 501(c)(3) volunteer supported organization operating in partnership with Cuyahoga Valley National Park (CVNP) and is dedicated to the preservation of passenger rail transportation in Cuyahoga Valley and the historic Ohio & Erie Canalway. CVSR has been providing excursion rail service for more than 40 years. For more information about the railroad, visit cvsr.org.