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Michael Lawrence Joins Triangle Community Foundation as next Chief Financial Officer

Research Triangle Park, NC: Triangle Community Foundation is pleased to share that Michael Lawrence has joined the Foundation as Chief Financial Officer (CFO). The role of CFO is fundamental to successful fiduciary oversight of the Foundation's investments and assets, and Michael joins the Foundation as previous CFO Robert Naylor retires after over 15 years in the role.

"One of the ways we make a strong impact in our community is by having robust financials, backed by generous fundholders and astute financial and investment professionals," said President and CEO, Lori O'Keefe. "The team and I are thrilled to welcome Michael's financial management expertise and leadership as we continue on in a pivotal time of strategic growth. Robert has helped us build and grow a strong financial foundation, and we are grateful for all he has done to set us up for success."

Michael comes to the Foundation from Alamance Farmers Mutual Insurance Co., located in Graham, where he served the company as CFO and Treasurer. His career spans over 20 years working with a variety of organizations in financial operations including NC Mutual, NCM Capital, and Deloitte & Touche, LLP. Michael received a Bachelor of Arts degree in accounting from North Carolina State University and is a Certified Public Accountant (CPA).

"I am excited to join Triangle Community Foundation's team," said Mike. "The Foundation has made such a tremendous impact in our communities. The Foundation has lofty goals to increase its impact, and I look forward to contributing in the next phase of the ambitious Strategic Plan to reach and serve even more of the Triangle."

About Triangle Community Foundation | Founded in 1983, Triangle Community Foundation works to build a brighter future for everyone in the Triangle region of North Carolina. By working with dedicated donors and strong nonprofits, the Foundation is able to guide gifts in strategic ways to fill in gaps, reduce inequities, and solve the region's most pressing challenges. Learn more at trianglecf.org.

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