Office of the Provost and Vice-President (Academic)

October 20, 2025

To: Faculty, Staff, and Students, Clayton H. Riddell Faculty of Environment, Earth, and Resources

From: Dr. Diane Hiebert-Murphy, Provost and Vice-President (Academic), and Chair, Presidential Advisory Committee

Re: **Presidential Advisory Committee to appoint a Dean, Clayton H. Riddell Faculty of Environment, Earth, and Resources**

I am writing to inform you that the above noted Presidential Advisory Committee has been established. The membership of this committee is as follows:

CHAIR:
Dr. Diane Hiebert-Murphy, Provost and Vice-President (Academic)

ELECTED BY THE FACULTY
Dr. Paul Durkin, Associate Professor, Earth Sciences
Dr. CJ Mundy, Professor, Environment and Geography
Dr. Nahid Masoudi, Associate Professor & Associate Director, Natural Resources Institute (NRI)
Dr. Alfredo Camacho, Professor and Department Head, Earth Sciences

PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTEES:
Dr. Angie Bruce, Vice-President (Indigenous)
Dr. Brian Mark, Dean, Faculty of Science
Dr. Michael Paterson, Senior Research Scientist, IISD Experimental Lakes Area

SUPPORT STAFF REPRESENTATIVE:
Emma Ausen, Field Technician

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES:
Owen McDonald, Undergraduate Student
Kaitlyn Plastino, Graduate Student

CONSULTANT:
Jane Griffth, Griffth Group Executive Search

The Committee will be conducting a comprehensive global search and will be meeting shortly to initiate the search process. To assist the Committee in its work, the University has engaged the services of Ms. Jane Griffith, Managing Partner and Founder, Griffith Group Executive Search, an executive search firm that specializes in senior-level recruiting.

Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions about this search process.

cc: Dr. Mark Hanson, Acting Dean, Clayton H. Riddell Faculty of Environment, Earth, and
        Resources
        Provost's Council