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Opening Doors Staff News

DUBUQUE (September 9, 2022) – Opening Doors is pleased to welcome **ERIN DEMA** to the position of Office Manager. Erin graduated with a Bachelors in Accounting from St. Ambrose University in 2017, and she received a Master of Business Administration from Clarke University in 2019. Erin had previously worked in public accounting and tax for 5 years.

Opening Doors is a nonprofit organization that helps women and children who are experiencing homelessness. We provide goal setting and life skills training that enable them to achieve their full potential. We offer a hand up in the world, not a handout.

Since 2000, Opening Doors has served over 4,300 women and children through a continuum of services. Teresa Shelter offers emergency and extended stay programs. Maria House offers transitional housing for up to two years. Francis Apartments offers an opportunity for income-based affordable housing with support services; a combination that has proven to be effective at ending the cycle of homelessness. Opening Doors offers much more than a place to sleep. We provide the opportunity for women to claim their own power and become self-sufficient.

For more information, call Opening Doors at 563-582-7480.

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