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**The Colorado Education Initiative Welcomes New Board Members**

Denver, CO – The Colorado Education Initiative (CEI) announces four new leaders in education, child advocacy, and business are joining its board of trustees.

The new CEI board members include Henry Roman, retired superintendent and education consultant; Graham Forman, Edovate Capital; Michael Gersack, Xcel Energy; and Meera Mani, Children, Families, and Communities Program, The David and Lucile Packard Foundation.

“We welcome our newest CEI partners,” said CEI Board Chair Monica Skok. “Our board reflects our belief that bold change requires innovative thinking. The board plays an active role in setting the strategic direction of CEI and maintaining strong oversight to ensure that we are protecting our position as honest brokers improving outcomes for all students in Colorado.”

The new board members bring deep experience in the areas of K-12 education, child advocacy, leadership, entrepreneurialism, and business in Colorado.

“These leadership positions help drive CEI’s mission to unlock the unique potential of every child in Colorado by incubating innovation, shining a spotlight on success, and investing in sustainable change,” added CEI President and CEO Glenna Norvelle. “They are big thinkers, visionaries, policy experts, educators, and entrepreneurs. We are fortunate to have this depth of knowledge and diversity of experience lending oversight and expertise to CEI.”

*About The Colorado Education Initiative*

The Colorado Education Initiative is an independent nonprofit working in partnership with the Colorado Department of Education to unlock the unique potential of every student by incubating innovation, shining a spotlight on success, and investing in sustainable change that improves outcomes for all students. CEI envisions that every student in Colorado is prepared and unafraid to succeed in school, work, and life, and ready to take on the challenges of today, tomorrow, and beyond.

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