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**DHHS BOARD ACCEPTS PAVILIONS ADMINISTRATOR'S
RESIGNATION**

TRAVERSE CITY, MI – CEO/Administrator of Grand Traverse Pavilions, Gerard Bodalski, resigned Friday following a meeting of the county facility's Department of Health and Human Services Board.

Recently the board received a report concerning alleged conduct relating to treatment of employees and residents. They then tasked Warner Norcross + Judd, LLP, a Michigan-based law firm, to conduct a third-party investigation into the report.

It was those findings that led to Mr. Bodalski's resignation today.

"The investigation done earlier this week was waged with integrity and without bias," explained Mary Marois, DHHS board chairperson. "After reviewing the findings today at our regular meeting, the Board and Mr. Bodalski have decided to part ways."

"His resignation is effective immediately.", Marois said, while noting that the State of Michigan has been made aware of a facility-reported incident which was included within the scope of Warner Norcross' investigation.

"We will cooperate with the State in any further investigation of this issue."

"In the meantime", said Marois, "the Board has asked Pavilions' Finance Director Lindsey Dood to assume the role of acting Chief Executive Officer, while the Board works diligently to find a suitable replacement for the now vacant position."

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About Grand Traverse Pavilions

[Grand Traverse Pavilions](#) is the region's first and only public nonprofit providing a full-spectrum of services unique to the care for aging adults, and committed to a working and living environment that is safe and secure

Initiated by Grand Traverse County Department of Health and Human Services in response to the Social Welfare Act 280 of 1939 to care for the states most vulnerable citizens, the Pavilions maintains facilities to provide services for more than 200 on-site residents.

Grand Traverse Pavilions is a community of caring for the region's aging adults, with Independent, Assisted Living, Long-term Care, Rehabilitation and Wellness Center programs for the entire community.

Grand Traverse Pavilions has received Nursing Care Center accreditation by the Joint Commission along with Post-Acute Care and Memory Care certifications. The Pavilions is part of Grand Traverse County and governed by the Grand Traverse County Department of Health and Human Services Board. Learn more about Grand Traverse Pavilions by visiting www.gtpavilions.org.