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Michelle Niedermier Named Director of Montgomery County Job and Family Services

DAYTON – Michelle Niedermier has been named the new Director of Montgomery County Job and Family Services (JFS). Currently serving as Lucas County JFS Director, Niedermier will begin her new role with Montgomery County on Monday, Dec. 17.

“Michelle’s executive level management history and her experience with large scale change management strategies give us great confidence in her,” said Montgomery County Administrator Michael Colbert. “She’s shown a strong commitment toward building support organizations and community collaborations, so we believe she can help us chart a course forward that supports the vision of our County Commissioners.”



Niedermier will be responsible for leading the daily operations of JFS, which includes Family Assistance, Child Support Enforcement, Children Services, and Support Services and Operations. Assistant County Administrator Tom Kelley will continue to oversee all human services departments: Job and Family Services, Human Services Planning and Development, Family and Children First, Homeless and Housing Initiatives, the Office of Ex-Offender Reentry, and the Stillwater Center.

Niedermier has served as Lucas County JFS Director since September of 2016. She began her career with Lucas County in 2005 as Fiscal Manager. Prior to her work with Lucas County, Niedermier served as the Executive Director for Seneca Habitat for Humanity and the Village Administrator for the Village of Monroeville, and held other positions in Seneca County Government in Tiffin, Ohio.

Ms. Niedermier holds a master’s degree in Organization Development (Executive Program) from Bowling Green State University, with an emphasis on large scale change initiatives and human resources. She also holds a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science from Cleveland State University, with an emphasis on public administration.

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