



News Release

Suburban Inns Ads to Office, Property Staff *7 Staff Promotions and Additions*

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GRAND RAPIDS/HOLLAND, Mich. September 13, 2016—Suburban Inns has promoted four employees and hired three additional professionals for its growing management team at Grand Rapids and Holland area hotel properties and in the corporate offices.

At the Hilton Garden Inn in Grand Rapids:

- **Rachel Platt** was promoted to Assistant General Manager. She comes from the Suburban Inns Courtyard by Marriott in downtown Holland where she worked as Guest Service Manager and Group Sales Coordinator.
- **Theresa Pittenger** was hired as the Director of Sales. She worked previously for four years in corporate sales and nine years as a mortgage consultant before her most recent positions as Director of Sales and Corporate Travel Sales Manager for the Hampton Inn and Springhill Suites in Grand Rapids.



At the Holiday Inn Express in Grand Rapids/Grandville:

- **Nicholas Haughton** was hired as the General Manager. He previously worked since 2008 in various roles for the Amway Grand Plaza Hotel, including Opening/Team Manager for the new Wolfgang Puck Restaurant.



At the Holiday Inn Express in Holland:

- **Nathan Colby** was promoted to Guest Service Manager. He previously was front desk representative and sales manager at the Holiday Inn Express in Grandville.



At the Courtyard by Marriott in downtown Holland:

- **Eric Johnson** was promoted to Guest Service Manager. He has worked in a variety of jobs in customer service, including the hospitality industry.



- **Veronica Lopez** was promoted to Group Sales Coordinator after starting at Suburban Inns earlier this year as a server/trainer at Big E's. She has 10 years experience in the restaurant business, specializing in front-of-house operations.



Lindsay Lipa was hired as the new Marketing Assistant representing all of Suburban Inns. She is a recent graduate of Cornerstone University with a degree in marketing and a minor in graphic design from Kendall College.



About Suburban Inns

Founded in 1979, Suburban Inns develops, owns and operates award-winning hotels and restaurants in Holland, Grand Rapids, and Midland. Its hotels consistently rank in the top tier of their franchises for customer service and quality, winning some of the top awards in North America. For more information, visit www.suburbaninns.com.