2024 TC Paw Cat Rescue Board of Directors





Lisa Chimner, President

B.S. University of Michigan

M.D. Washington University in St. Louis

Pediatrician/Partner - Grand Traverse Children's Clinic

Former Pediatric Department Chair - Munson Medical Center

Former Chair Pediatric Performance Improvement Committee - Munson Medical Center

Vice President, Long Lake Peninsula Association

4 children, 1 grandchild

Former AC PAW volunteer

Cat mom to: Tux, Tony, Ted, Maude & Peg

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Wendy Fox, Secretary and Assistant Treasurer

Personal Lines Insurance Agent / Customer Service Representative Deputy Treasurer for Milton Township, Antrim County

Hobby farmer

Former AC PAW volunteer

2 children

Cat mom to: Barry, Chloe & Twix



Brooke Vasquez, Treasurer

B.S. Central Michigan University - Business Administration, major in Accounting

Licensed State of Michigan CPA, 2012-current

Independent accounting business owner since 2019

Specialization in accounting for non-profits, perform accounting services, audit fieldwork, and

prepared Form 990s for a variety of organizations

Cat mom to: Ollie, Little Cat & Wetzel



Melissa Laraway, Vice President

B.S. Gordon College

M.Ed. Azusa Pacific University

Ed.D. Azusa Pacific University

College/University student life administration

Realtor, Century 21 Northland

Former AC PAW volunteer

Cat mom to: Gobie, Sami & Willow



Melissa Smith, Second Vice President

B.S. Michigan State

Broadcast journalism in Northern Michigan

Former Senior Specialist of Media Relations, Humane Society of the United States

Focus on shelter animals, companion animals, the Humane Society Veterinary Medicine Association, and rescue dogs from the South Korea dog meat trade industry through Humane

Society International

Cat mom to: Lola, Stella, Flora, Fauna & Leonardo