

# HydroGraph Confirms Appointment of Kjirstin Breure as Chief Executive Officer

## Appointment solidifies HydroGraph's leadership and strategic growth

TORONTO, Nov. 14, 2024 -- <u>HydroGraph Clean Power Inc.</u> (CSE: HG) (OTCQB: HGRAF) (FRA: M98) (the "Company" or "HydroGraph"), a sustainable commercial manufacturer of pristine graphene, is pleased to announce the appointment of <u>Kjirstin Breure</u> as chief executive officer (CEO) of the company. Breure has been an integral part of the company's leadership, serving as board director and president of the company since January 2022, and as interim CEO since March 2024.

Breure will continue to be responsible for overseeing HydroGraph's long-term strategy and operational initiatives, collaborating closely with the executive team and board of directors to align HydroGraph's goals with evolving market needs. Breure is focused on driving value to shareholders and is committed to continuing to foster a company culture of innovation and creativity.

Commenting on her appointment, David Williams, chairman of HydroGraph's board of directors said, "On behalf of the board I would like to thank Kjirstin for the work she has done for Hydrograph to date. Since stepping into the interim CEO role in March, the board has been impressed with her strategic vision, leadership and commercial focus. In the short time since taking over the interim CEO role, Kjirstin has made a strong impact on driving forward our application development, scientific programs, and building a deep commercial pipeline that will lead to significant graphene sales."

"Building this company has been my singular focus for the past five years. With a brilliant team at my side, I look forward to breaking new ground within advanced materials and to creating billions of dollars in value for our shareholders," Breure said.

"I want to express gratitude to the board and to my team for supporting the formalization of this role as well as the trust they have placed in me and my strategy. The vision I have for HydroGraph has never been clearer."

The announcement comes during a period of significant innovation and growth at HydroGraph, including the <u>appointment of Tom Eldridge</u> as director of business development last month, and HydroGraph's recent <u>announcement of its breakthrough in PET research</u>.

"The board congratulates Kjirstin on this appointment and looks forward to supporting her as she leads the company through the next phase of its corporate and strategic development and making Hydrograph a world leading graphene producer that will deliver long term growth and value for shareholders," Williams said.

For more information about HydroGraph, please visit www.hydrograph.com.

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#### ABOUT HYDROGRAPH CLEAN POWER INC.

HydroGraph Clean Power Inc is a leading producer of pristine graphene using an "explosion synthesis" process, which allows for exceptional purity, low energy use and identical batches. The quality, performance and consistency of HydroGraph's graphene follows the Graphene Council's Verified Graphene Producer® standards, of which very few graphene producers are able to meet. For more information or to learn about the HydroGraph story, visit: https://hydrograph.com/.

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