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May D. Vang Named to Center for Economic Inclusion's Board of Directors

St. Paul, Minn., May 22, 2023 –The Center for Economic Inclusion, a St. Paul-based nonprofit, has named May D. Vang a member of its Board of Directors.

As Vice President of Treasury and Chief Investment Officer for Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota, Vang is responsible for setting enterprise strategy for the balance sheet, capital, liquidity, capital markets, investor relations, rating agencies, shared services, ESG (environmental, social and governance), and investments.

"We are thrilled to welcome May to the Center's Board of Directors. Her leadership in business, treasury, and finance, and commitment to community service makes her a powerful and strategic addition to the board," said Tawanna A. Black, Founder and CEO, Center for Economic Inclusion.

Vang first worked at Blue Cross from 2010 to 2017, when she was assistant treasurer and director of treasury operations. She spent the next four years at American Family Insurance as corporate treasurer and investor relations leader before returning to Blue Cross in 2021. She has also held treasury and financial roles at Lawson Software, G&K Services, and Ecolab.

Vang holds an MBA and B.S. from the University of Minnesota Carlson School of Management and is a Certified Treasury Professional (CTP). In addition to the Center's board, she sits on the boards of the Association of Financial Professionals, Science Museum of Minnesota, and Blue Cross Blue Shield Foundation.

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About the Center for Economic Inclusion

The Center for Economic Inclusion (Center) is committed to closing racial employment, income, and wealth gaps and building racially inclusive and equitable regional economies. Founded in 2017 and headquartered in Saint Paul, Minn., the Center is the nation's first Black woman-founded and led organization dedicated exclusively to strengthening public- and private-sector employers and policymakers' capacity and accountability to take anti-racist actions that close racial employment, income, and wealth gaps and build regional economies that work for everyone. The Center elevates applied research, proprietary, data-informed tools, education and training, advocacy, and consulting to equip employers for action in an environment of shared accountability. Learn more: https://centerforeconomicinclusion.org