



Dear Friends and Conservancy Members,

I am writing to let you know that after eight dedicated and successful years, Gretchen Groebel has decided to move on from her role at the Radnor Conservancy.

The Conservancy has been lucky to have had Gretchen at the helm for so long, stewarding the organization as we grew from our original goal of the preservation of land at Ardrossan, to being a respected voice in the community offering high quality educational programs and speaking out on environmental issues in the township.

For many of you in Radnor, Gretchen *is* the Radnor Conservancy.

She has been responsible for forging lasting community partnerships and representing all Radnor residents who care about our environment. With your support, Gretchen has grown our ability to deliver programs and initiatives, and will be leaving the Conservancy in a healthy and strong position.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I would like to express our sincere gratitude to Gretchen for her outstanding service and remarkable contributions to the Radnor Conservancy. We are truly grateful for the passion and commitment that Gretchen has brought to her work, and for the legacy she leaves behind.

We are beginning the process of searching for a successor who will continue to lead us forward with the same commitment and passion as Gretchen. While the search is underway, we are grateful that Gretchen has offered to remain in her current position until her replacement is hired in order to facilitate a smooth transition.

In the meantime, please join me in thanking Gretchen for her work over these past 8 years, and in letting her know that she will be missed. We know that she will do great things wherever she decides to go next!

On behalf of the Board of Directors, thank you for your continued support as we continue to work towards our mission.

Sincerely,

Lorna Atkinson, Board President

*Message from Gretchen: "I am proud to have played a role in donating and planting thousands of native trees in Radnor Township. I have truly enjoyed connecting with residents, non-profit partners and local businesses, raising awareness about sensitive environmental issues in the community, and encouraging individuals to speak up and share their voice."*