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NEW PRESIDENT

MAY 27TH, 2015

WELCOME OUR PRESIDENT Jon Lamonte



The Board are extremely pleased to announce that Jon Lamonte has agreed to become the President of Deptherapy and Deptherapy Education. Jon is a 1000% the right person to steer the organisation and his experiences as one of the most senior officers in the Royal Air Force is so important to us. Combined with his business experience he is the right person at the right time as we move forward as a charity. The Board wish to thank you for accepting our invitation.

Air Vice-Marshal Dr Jon Lamonte PhD MA BSc(Hons) CDir CMath CCMI FCIMA FCILT FIOD FRICS FRIN FRSA CDipAF DL RAF(retd)

Jon Lamonte joined Transport for Greater Manchester as CEO in 2013. His portfolio covers rail, bus, tram, highways, cycling and other forms of active transport. He contributes to the broad community in Greater Manchester through his role with the Wider Leadership Team comprising of Chief Executives of the districts, Chief Constable, Chief Fire Officer and New Economy.

Jon Lamonte was the CEO of Tube Lines from 2011–12. Tubes Lines, as part of Transport for London, was responsible for the maintenance, renewal and upgrade of the Underground infrastructure on the Jubilee, Northern and Piccadilly lines.

Jon joined from the Royal Air Force where he fulfilled a number of senior operational roles and led major project delivery. His most recent role was Chief of Staff, Strategy, Policy and Plans, which included co-leading the Strategic Defence and Security Review into the maritime program for the Ministry of Defence (MoD).

Prior to this, Jon was Director General Finance for Defence Equipment and Support, the MoD's £17bn a year procurement and logistics organisation. Other roles included running the RAF's largest base, Brize Norton, with over 4,500 people and three fleets of transport and air-to-air refuelling aircraft. He served in the Falklands, Iraq and the former Yugoslavia.

An active member of the Institute of Directors, Jon has strong experience in leading change, driving efficiency and motivating large workforces. He achieved a PhD in History from Birmingham University in 2011.

Jon was appointed as a Deputy Lieutenant for Greater Manchester in 2014

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