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Rest Haven Lodge to join Broadmead Care

March 29, 2018 – Victoria, BC – Broadmead Care Society is pleased to announce that on April 1st, 2018 Rest Haven Lodge will officially merge with Broadmead Care.

Rest Haven Lodge provides 73 residential complex care beds for seniors in Sidney BC and is funded by Island Health. Rest Haven Lodge will continue to operate under the same name, but now will be owned and operated by Broadmead Care Society. This merger will help ensure a strong and secure future for Rest Haven Lodge to continue providing high quality care for seniors in the Peninsula Region.

With the addition of Rest Haven Lodge, Broadmead Care Society will have grown by about 35% in 4 years. Through its 5 sites, Broadmead Care provides 408 residential care beds and three adult day programs in the South Island and employs about 700 staff.

Broadmead Care is a non-profit organization that is dedicated to its mission of “helping to build a caring society where people of all ages and abilities live to their full potential”. Years ago Broadmead Care developed a growth strategy that is a key part of its Strategic Plan. The purpose of this growth strategy is threefold: (1) to enable Broadmead Care to advance its mission and serve the community in a greater way; (2) to have the resources and capacity to provide care and services that are of very high quality; and (3) to ensure Broadmead Care remains financially strong and sustainable.

Broadmead Care now operates the Veterans Memorial Lodge at Broadmead, Veterans Health Centre, Nigel Program for Adults with Disabilities (Nigel House and Harriet House) Beckley Farm Lodge, and Rest Haven Lodge. Broadmead Care also manages the Better at Home Program in Saanich and the Saanich Peninsula in partnership with Saanich Volunteer Services Society and Beacon Community Services.

Broadmead Care is also in the final planning stages to replace the current Nigel House with a new campus of care that will include residential care, assisted living and affordable housing. The new Nigel House is a partnership of Broadmead Care, Island Health, BC Housing and the Capital Regional Hospital District.

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