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Tobias W. Buck Elected to Hillsdale College Board of Trustees

HILLSDALE, Mich. —Tobias W. Buck of Warsaw, Indiana has been elected to the Board of Trustees of Hillsdale College, a private classical liberal arts college in south central Michigan. Buck serves as the founder, chairman, president, and CEO of Paragon Medical and its 11 global facilities.

"Since its founding, Hillsdale's Board of Trustees have helped guide and support the administration in its devotion to providing a rigorous, classical liberal arts education," said Rich Péwé, Chief Administrative Officer of Hillsdale College. "We are truly grateful for his support."

"I am proud join Hillsdale College's Board of Trustees," Buck said. "I look forward to serving this great College and its students, faculty and staff members."

Buck joins many distinguished men and women who have served on the board since the College's former president, Edmund Fairfield, became its first chairman in 1853.

Buck is a graduate of Purdue University and The Harvard Executive Development Program, as well as the MIT Birthing of Giants program. In 1998 and 2004, Ernst & Young named him Indiana's Entrepreneur of the Year for small manufacturing firms. Buck was also named the 2006 Man of the Year by the Warsaw Kosciusko County Chamber of Commerce.

He and his wife have been married for thirty-nine years and have four children and nine grandchildren.

About Hillsdale College
Hillsdale College, founded in 1844, has built a national reputation through its classical liberal arts core curriculum and its principled refusal to accept federal or state taxpayer subsidies, even indirectly in the form of student grants or loans. It also conducts an educational-outreach effort promoting civil and religious liberty, including a free monthly speech digest, *Imprimis*, with a circulation of more than 3.5 million.

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