

March 10, 2025

Dear Eye Banking Colleagues,

It is my sincere pleasure that I support the candidacy of **Chris Hanna** as a member At-Large of the Eye Bank Association of America Board of Directors. Chris is an exceptionally outstanding candidate and I am thrilled that he wishes to continue to serve the Association on the Board.

I have known Chris for decades now, having served together on the Accreditation and Medical Advisory Boards, as well as on the Editorial Board of the International Journal of Eye Banking and an important strategic planning committee. I know Chris to be a conscientious, successful leader, who is talented, trustworthy and highly insightful. All characteristics that have served him well as the Executive Director of Utah Lions Eye Bank, as well as a recent two-term past EBAA BOD member.

Chris understands the importance of collaboration and holds a strong position for non-profit, community eye banking and has demonstrated his commitment to the EBAA's core values. I am confident Chris will make an excellent choice as an At-Large member of the Board of Directors and I encourage you to join me in voting for him.

Sincerely,

Patricia Dahl

Executive Director/CEO

Patricia Dale