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### Quebec Musicians' Guild welcomes new Board of Directors

**Montreal - The unveiling of the new Board of Directors of the Quebec Musicians' Guild (GMMQ) took place on June 2. Among the 13 elected members, the board includes several new faces, including 9 women.**

GMMQ members, called to the polls at the nomination meeting held on April 16, elected a renewed Board, made up of musicians from all sectors of the industry: popular music, classical music, recording, stage and television.

Voting members had to elect 9 directors, in addition to choosing a new national president and two vice-presidents, one for the Montreal region and one for the Quebec City region.

"These new faces reflect our community. Their diversity and youth will be an undeniable asset in meeting the challenges that lie ahead.

*Luc Fortin, Past President*

"It is with great honour and humility that I begin my duties as President of the Quebec Musicians' Guild. I would like to thank the members for their trust. I pledge to remain attentive to their needs and to maintain a constant presence. My mandate will be primarily devoted to finding solutions to the issues and difficulties experienced by the music community throughout the province. It is essential to recognize the immense talent of our musicians and to put in place a structure and mechanisms that will enable them to maintain a career in their field in a dignified and sustainable manner.

*Vincent Séguin, president-elect*



The GMMQ holds a full election of its Board of Directors every three years, as stipulated in its by-laws.

It is the third largest local chapter of the American Federation of Musicians, after New York and Los Angeles. It represents the collective interests of over 3,000 musicians in Quebec.

**Composition of the new GMMQ Board of Directors: GMMQ President :**  
**Vincent Séguin**

**Vice-présidence Québec :**  
**Annie Vanasse**

**Vice-présidence Montréal :**  
**Maxime Lalanne**

**Secretary-treasurer :**  
**Éric Lefebvre**

**Administration Québec (in alphabetical order) :**  
**Marie-France Mathieu**  
**Claude Soucy**

**Administration Montréal (in alphabetical order) :**  
**Marie-Josée Arpin**  
**Emmanuelle Caplette**  
**Line Deneault**  
**Gabrielle Gélinas**  
**Jean-François Langevin**  
**Marie-Josée Simard**  
**Daphnée Sincennes Richard**

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