



## Message from the Chair

On behalf of the Fondation de l'Hôpital de Lamèque, I am pleased to present our results from the past year. Your ongoing support allows us to advance the Lamèque Hospital and Community Health Centre's development priorities and meet our community's changing needs effectively.

Over the past year, your commitment helped us invest \$116,615 in the following sectors:

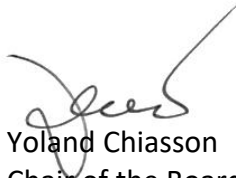
- \$97,162 – Patient care sectors (83%);
- \$2,022 – Continuing education and other sectors (2%);
- \$17,431– Specialized regional services and the fight against cancer (15%).

This success has been possible thanks to the commitment of the business community, organizations and the public. We remain extremely grateful for your significant support, which is helping us reach our objective of improving health care services here in our region.

We would like to highlight the support received from the Fondation communautaire des pionniers et pionnières, which made an over \$60,000 commitment this year toward the acquisition of beds that will improve patients' comfort. This commitment motivated the facility to assess the needs of the care unit and other sectors and develop plans that, it is hoped, can become reality within the near future.

It must be remembered that it is also very important to us to organize activities so the Foundation can reach out to the community and offer everyone the chance to participate in the Foundation's successes. Many thanks go out to UNI for their multi-year partnership in organizing the Northern Star campaign. Many thanks also go out to everyone participating in the Roses Radiothon, who are doing a huge job under the leadership of Marie-Jeanne Noël. The performance put on by employees is also eagerly awaited in the community. This initiative on their part is very motivating for us and once again demonstrates how important their patients are to them.

In closing, we thank the members of the Board of Directors, the volunteers sitting on our various committees, and you, our members, for your great generosity.



Yolande Chiasson  
Chair of the Board of Directors