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Gore Mutual Recognized as a Top Ontario Workplace

Cambridge, ON, June 29, 2020: Building a strong and inclusive company culture that supports all employees regardless of whether they are in an office or working remotely has never been more important. This remains a key area of focus for Gore Mutual and the past few years have seen the Cambridge, Ontario-based insurer gaining increased recognition as a top employer. Today, Gore Mutual is proud to share that it has been named as one of 2020's Best Workplaces in Ontario.

Gore Mutual received this honour after a thorough and independent analysis conducted by Great Place to Work. Companies from across the province were selected for the 2020 Best Workplaces in Ontario list based on direct feedback from employees at the hundreds of organizations that Great Place to Work surveyed.

“Everything that we accomplish is because of the hard work our people put forth every single day,” says Catherine Leclair, Chief Human Resources Officer at Gore Mutual. “They’re what makes Gore Mutual a fantastic place to work.

“The last few months have created unprecedented situations for all companies, but everyone across our business has been 100% committed to ensuring a seamless level of support for our broker partners and customers. It’s been really inspiring to see. As an organization, we’re always looking for ways to better support our employees. We’ve adopted more flexible work schedules, created additional wellness days and developed other initiatives to support everyone’s well-being, keep people connected and continue to make Gore Mutual a work environment that people are excited and proud to be part of.”

Earlier this year, Great Place to Work selected Gore Mutual as a 2020 Best Workplace in Canada and last year the company was named a Best Workplace Managed by Women and a Best Workplace in Financial Services and Insurance.

About Great Place to Work:

Great Place to Work is the global authority on high-trust, high-performance workplace cultures. Through proprietary assessment tools, advisory services, and certification programs, it provides the benchmarks, framework and expertise needed to create, sustain and recognize outstanding workplace cultures. Learn more at greatplacetowork.ca.

About Gore Mutual:

Founded in 1839, Gore Mutual is Canada’s oldest property and casualty insurer, with over \$475 million in premiums and over \$1.1 billion in assets. Based in Cambridge, Ontario and Vancouver, British Columbia, this Canadian-owned and operated mutual company employs over 400 people and is known for its investment in people, technology and innovation. Gore Mutual was voted the #1 insurance company by the Insurance Brokers Association of Ontario (IBAO) in 2014, named a 2019 Best Workplace in Financial Services and Insurance and certified as a 2020 Best Workplace Canada. The Gore Mutual Foundation strengthens Canadian communities by supporting local initiatives and has donated more than \$12 million





to over 650 charities over the past 20 years. Learn more at goremutual.ca.

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