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Lake George Land Conservancy Hires New Staff

Bolton Landing, NY – The Lake George Land Conservancy (LGLC) announces three new staff hires and one promotion. Diane Potter has been promoted to the position of donor relations manager, Cornelia Wells has been hired as finance and office manager, and Katie McClanahan and Emma Wilson have been hired as short-term science technicians.

Potter, who previously held the LGLC's finance and office manager position for four years, has been promoted to fill the new donor relations manager position in April 2006. Potter's new position will focus on the development and communications needs of the organization.

As finance and office manager, Wells assumes responsibilities for the office administration and accounting/bookkeeping duties for the LGLC. Wells has lived in the Lake George area for 18 years and owns Trees, a retail store in Bolton Landing.

McClanahan and Wilson are conducting field and lab work associated with a collaborative study on water quality with the Darrin Fresh Water Institute. McClanahan is a 2006 graduate of Skidmore College with a dual degree in Environmental and Women's Studies. Wilson attended Wells College from 2003 to 2005, then completed a year at Adirondack Community College. She plans to continue her education at the State University of New York College of Environmental Science and Forestry this fall.

The LGLC is a non-profit organization working to preserve the world-renowned water quality of Lake George and the rare plants and animals within the lake's 150,000-acre watershed by permanently protecting natural lands through conservation easement and fee acquisition.

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