



A Note From FareStart's Interim CEO, Craig Russell

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It's an honor to fulfill the CEO role in the interim as the Board of Directors launches the search for the next great leader of this special organization. I have now been in the role for more than a month and could not be more impressed with the passion, commitment and leadership that drives our mission.

As I work alongside FareStart's leadership team to ensure we fulfill our 2018 priorities, our Board Search Committee has engaged an executive search firm to find our next FareStart CEO. Spencer Stuart is conducting a national search, and we have reached out to staff, volunteers, supporters and other stakeholders for input on the profile of the next FareStart CEO.

As of this time, the first round of candidates have been scheduled for initial interviews. This pace of progress is very encouraging and means we are right on track to finding a new CEO within the next several months.

In the meantime, I look forward to working with the FareStart staff and community to help provide real solutions to poverty, homelessness and hunger. Thank you for being part of the solution!