



## ILLINOIS RACING BOARD

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### **Alyssa Murphy Appointed to Serve as Illinois Racing Board Commissioner**

**Chicago, IL** – On Friday February 17, 2023, Governor JB Pritzker announced the appointment of Alyssa Murphy to serve as a Commissioner on the Illinois Racing Board. Alyssa Murphy brings an extensive resume in the horse racing industry to the Board.

“I am excited to welcome Alyssa Murphy to the Illinois Racing Board” said Domenic DiCera IRB Executive Director. “Commissioner Murphy’s experience working at both Arlington International Race Course and Gulfstream Park brings years of experience and institutional knowledge that will be invaluable to the Racing Board.”

Prior to her appointment as a Racing Commissioner, Alyssa Murphy served as Director of Marketing and Communications, Marketing Manager, and Promotions Coordinator at Arlington International Racecourse. She also has experience working at Gulfstream Park in Florida. Currently Commissioner Murphy serves as Director of Marketing for @properties Christie's International Real Estate.

In her role at Arlington International Race Course, she oversaw a \$1.5 million budget to manage paid media, event content, and digital initiatives. She is also an experienced equestrian in dressage. Commissioner Murphy received her Bachelor of Arts degree from Augustana College.

The mission of the Illinois Racing Board is to regulate pari-mutuel horse racing and support the development of the equine industry. The goal of the Board is to advance a regulatory environment that benefits the equine industry and to ensure that the public has confidence in the integrity of pari-mutuel horse racing.

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