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GROVER BEACH CITY MANAGER ANNOUNCES APPOINTMENT OF A PERMANENT COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR

“On behalf of the City of Grover Beach, I am pleased to announce the appointment of George Hansen to fill the Community Development Director position on a permanent basis,” stated Bob Perrault, City Manager.

“George has served the City as the Interim Community Development Director since August of 2005. He brings a wealth of solid experience in both the private and public sector to this multifaceted position. As Community Development Director, George will be responsible for overseeing the planning and building functions of the City, while assisting the City Council and me in the implementation of an Economic Development Program,” stated Perrault. Mr. Hansen’s monthly salary will be \$8,484 per month.

Mr. Hansen’s background contains substantial experience across a broad spectrum, including extensive experience with affordable housing, economic development, and planning projects. In the private sector, Mr. Hansen was the managing partner for a landscape architectural firm for a number of years and is credited with the design and implementation of the Shooting Facilities for the 1984 Olympics. More recently, as Interim Director for the City, Mr. Hansen worked with the Hilton Inn to bring their proposed project to Grover Beach. Mr. Hansen has a Bachelor of Science Degree in Urban Planning from California State Polytechnic University, Pomona.

Mayor Larry Versaw commented, “George has strengths in a number of areas, and I am pleased that he is permanently joining the team during this challenging time for the City of Grover Beach.”

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