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COUNTY OF MENDOCINO ANNOUNCES SELECTION OF ACTING DIRECTOR OF PLANNING & BUILDING SERVICES

Chief Executive Officer Carmel J. Angelo announced this week that Mr. Roger Mobley, Chief Planner, has been selected as the County of Mendocino's Acting Director of Planning and Building Services.

Roger brings over 35 years of experience in planning to the Acting Director's position. This includes preparation of General Plans and Specific Plans, drafting of Zoning Ordinances, preparation of master plans for planned communities, managing multi-disciplinary staffs made up of planners, environmental scientists, engineers, and landscape architects, and working within both small and large governmental agencies.

He has worked for the City of San Jose, City of Watsonville, Town of Yountville where he served as Planning Director, City of Newport Beach, City of Walnut, City of Claremont, and the Counties of San Bernardino and Kern. He also served as Vice President of two large multi-disciplinary consulting firms.

Roger is a member of the American Planning Association and the Urban Land Institute. He earned a Bachelors degree in Geography and a Masters of Business Administration.

Mr. Nash Gonzalez, former Mendocino County Planning and Building Services Director, states "Roger Mobley came to the Department of Planning and Building Services in December 2010 as the Chief Planner and immediately hit the ground running, Roger immediately wrapped his arms around the UVAP and the Mendocino Town Plan projects. Roger has been instrumental in working on the Mixed-Use Zoning classification which is new land use and zoning classification provided for in both the General Plan and the UVAP. The Mixed-Use zoning classification will be a key component for the implementation of the recently adopted Housing Element and the UVAP. Roger is a tremendous asset, bringing both his many years of experience and professionalism to the department."

Mr. Mobley will begin his new position the week of January 22, 2012.

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Carmel J. Angelo, Chief Executive Officer