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Public Works Director Named as Assistant City Manager

Beverly Hills, CA – The City of Beverly Hills has named Director of Public Works Services George Chavez as the new Assistant City Manager, effectively immediately. Chavez takes over the position held by Mahdi Aluzri until his appointment as City Manager last year. Chavez also will keep his current position until a replacement is chosen.

“George’s leadership and experience has become increasingly valuable to me, our residents and staff over the last few years,” Aluzri said. “He is a dedicated and creative manager whose insight into our community, expert knowledge of our City organization and energy will help Beverly Hills tackle the many challenges ahead.”

“George has long been a terrific asset to Beverly Hills,” said Mayor Julian Gold. “He embodies the City’s core values of service and excellence. The City is in very good hands with our new senior management team.”

Chavez, 53, has been with the City of Beverly Hills for more than 25 years. Before his appointment as Director of Public Works Services, he held various positions within the Community Development Department, including Assistant Director of Community Development/City Building Official.

Under his leadership, the Public Works Services Department and the Public Works Commission developed the Water Enterprise Plan, which defines a long term strategy to become less dependent on imported water supplies by developing local sources of groundwater for greater reliability and security. Chavez also works closely with employees to deliver Public Works Services which Exceeds Expectations.

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