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City Manager Update

San Bernardino, CA- City Manager Update

As 2015 comes to a close, San Bernardino will prepare for new leadership under a new city manager. This evening, the City Council approved the appointment of Police Chief Jarrod Burguan as the Interim City Manager from January 1, 2016 until early February 2016. After the interim period, Mark Scott, Burbank's current City Manager, will take over the city manager position. The Council unanimously approved the execution of an employment agreement between the City of San Bernardino and Mark Scott as City Manager that will commence on February 8, 2016.

Mark Scott and Jarrod Burguan bring decades of valuable management experience to San Bernardino in their new roles.

"I am confident that this decision will help stabilize the City as we transition between management and continue forward with the implementation of San Bernardino's Recovery Plan," Mayor Carey Davis stated. "Both leaders exhibit the ability to properly lead the organization toward achieving the goals set in the Recovery Plan."

Mark Scott has served in the city management profession for more than 35 years. He served as Burbank's City Manager for approximately two years, served as Fresno's City Manager for three and a half years, and was the longest tenured city manager in the City of Beverly Hills' history. Mr. Scott received his undergraduate degree in Political Science from Fresno State University, and an MBA from the Stanford University Graduate School of Business. He currently resides in Burbank, but will move to San Bernardino to immerse himself in the San Bernardino community. He describes himself as an accessible manager who enjoys participating in the craft of community-building and the role of facilitating partnerships.

Burguan and Scott will be essential in the implementation of San Bernardino's Recovery Plan. We look forward to continuing the progress that we have made thus far, and are confident that both leaders will excel in their roles.

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