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REPORT NO. 03-143

ATTENTION: Honorable Mayor and City Council

SUBJECT: Appointment of Community Services Deputy Director

SUMMARY

THIS IS AN INFORMATION ITEM ONLY. NO ACTION IS REQUIRED ON THE PART OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

This is to announce the appointment of Ernie Linares to the position of Community Services Deputy Director in the Community and Economic Development Department. In this position, Mr. Linares will be responsible for the programs and functions in the Community Services Division, including CDBG Administration, Child Care Services, Homeless Services, Section 108 Loan Program, Six-to-Six Extended School Day Program, Social Services, the Youth Commission, and Youth Services.

Mr. Linares has been with the City for nearly 16 years. He began his public service career in the Financial Management Department, supervised the Metro Wastewater Department's equal opportunity program, was the Planning Department's senior budget analyst, and most recently served in the unclassified ranks in the Community Services Division overseeing the CDBG, social services grants, the section 108 loan program, and several other responsibilities. Mr. Linares earned a Bachelor of Science degree in business administration and marketing from San Diego State University.

Mr. Linares is married with three children, and lives in the San Carlos community.

Respectfully submitted,

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Comm & Econ Develop Director

Approved: Bruce Herring
Deputy City Manager

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