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TO COUNTY ASSESSORS:

NEW SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY ASSESSOR

Effective August 25, 2015, Steve J. Bestolarides was appointed by the San Joaquin County Board of Supervisors as the San Joaquin County Assessor. Mr. Bestolarides will complete the term of Kenneth Blakemore who retired in August 2015.

Mr. Bestolarides graduated from the University of the Pacific, Stockton with a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration and returned to earn a Master's degree in Finance. Mr. Bestolarides was appointed to the Stockton Planning Commission in 1993 and served two terms as Commissioner and was twice selected as Chairman. He was first elected to the Stockton City Council in 2002 and then elected for his first term to the Board of Supervisors, representing the Third Supervisorial District in June 2008, and reelected for his second term in June 2012.

I know you join with the Board Members and staff in congratulating Mr. Bestolarides on his appointment and wishing him well as he assumes his new responsibilities.

We look forward to working with him in his new role.

Sincerely,

/s/ Dean R. Kinnee

Dean R. Kinnee
Deputy Director
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