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Nancy Hunt-Coffey Named as Director of Community Services

Beverly Hills, CA – The City of Beverly Hills will appoint Assistant Director of Community Services Nancy Hunt-Coffey as the new Director of Community Services, following the retirement of Steve Zoet in March.

Hunt-Coffey, 48, has been with the City for more than eight years, overseeing the Library, recreation services and fine arts. Under her leadership, the Library leapt into the 21st century, offering eBooks and audio books delivered wirelessly, self-checkout and returns using radio frequency ID and robotics technology, online classes and tutoring, and other innovative technology services.

“Nancy has outstanding experience and leadership skills,” said City Manager Mahdi Aluzri. “Her knowledge of the community and sense of fiscal responsibility are tremendous assets that will serve the Community Services Department and the City well in the coming years.”

Hunt-Coffey led the team to build the Roxbury Community Center and the new Children Library, bringing both projects in ahead of time and under budget. She spearheaded an innovative program to integrate the Library, Human Services and Recreation divisions to meet the needs of our more vulnerable community members.

She holds a bachelor’s degree in English and Spanish literature from Occidental College and master’s degree in Information Studies from UCLA. Before to coming to Beverly Hills, she worked at the City of Glendale for more than 20 years, leading the Information Technology Department’s eGovernment program and as Director of the Glendale Library. She holds appointments at both UCLA and USC, teaching graduate students in management and librarianship.

Hunt-Coffey lives in Beverly Hills with her husband and two children.

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