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Pomona City Council and the City Manager Agree to Mutually Acceptable Employment Separation

POMONA, CA, December 11, 2023 – The Pomona City Council and City Manager have agreed to a mutually acceptable employment separation for City Manager James Makshanoff effective December 11, 2023.

Mr. Makshanoff was appointed on January 21, 2020. Among his achievements, Mr. Makshanoff led the City of Pomona through the Covid pandemic, produced a balanced budget 4 years in a row, increased budget reserves from 19% to 43%, consolidated waste hauling services to a state-of-the- art waste hauler and produced a state approved housing element.

The City Council thanks Mr. Makshanoff for his dedicated service and his numerous accomplishments that benefited Pomona's residents, businesses and employees.

"On behalf of the entire Council, I want to express our appreciation for Mr. Makshanoff's dedicated service to our community. Mr. Makshanoff organized an exceptional group of hard working department executives, making it possible for us to have a smooth transition", said Mayor Tim Sandoval.

"It has been a privilege to serve such an outstanding community. I am grateful to the city council, the executive staff, employees, and residents who have given their time and energy to improve the City of Pomona", said James Makshanoff.

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