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**ROSSMOOR COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT ANNOUNCES
RESIGNATION OF DIRECTOR
JEFFREY T. RIPS**

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Rossmoor Community Services District Board Member Jeffrey T. Rips has informed the Board of Directors of his resignation from the Board effective July 12, 2013. Director Rip’s stated reason is his recent promotion to the position of Executive Director of the Alpert Jewish Community Center in Long Beach. “This new assignment”, he said, “is an opportunity of a lifetime. Unfortunately, this new role will take up a great deal of my time and I would not be able to give my full attention to my duties with the RCSD”.

It is with regret that the Board will accept his resignation at their Regular meeting on June 9, 2013. Said Board President Michael Maynard, “I am happy for Jeffrey, but saddened that he is leaving the Board. He has been a tremendous asset to the Board and to the residents of Rossmoor”.

At that meeting, the Board will decide to fill the vacancy by appointment or by holding a special election. The practice of the Board has been to fill vacancies by appointment, but a formal decision will be made at the time of the June 11th Board meeting.

Should the Board elect to fill the vacancy by appointment; a Notice of Vacancy will be posted for a minimum of 15 days in order to make Rossmoor residents who are registered voters aware of the vacancy and to consider submitting a request to be appointed to the Board.

Director Rips has served as both President and Vice President of the Board and is currently a Director. He also serves on the Budget, Investment, CIP and Tree/Parkways Committees and has served on the Los Alamitos/Rossmoor Ad Hoc Committee and the Rossmoor Advisory Committee.

The Board and staff wish Jeffrey good fortune in his new role as Executive Director. Said Board President Michael Maynard, “Jeffrey has been a true leader and trusted colleague on the Board. He will be missed, but we have all profited from his contributions to Rossmoor.” ###

