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Chris Krueger Set to Become Kirkwood Public Services Director

KIRKWOOD (June 6, 2023) The City of Kirkwood proudly announces Chris Krueger as the new Public Services Director effective July 10, 2023. As the Public Services Director Krueger will oversee the Engineering, Streets, Sanitation, and Water Departments.

Krueger has been with the City of Kirkwood since 2019 as City Engineer. In the past four years, Krueger has realized over \$9 million in grant funding for the City.

Krueger graduated from Missouri S & T in Rolla with a Bachelors in Architectural Engineering. He then went on to receive a Master of Business Administration from St. Louis University. Krueger worked at the City of Clayton as a Civil Engineer from 2009-2013 and at the City of Chesterfield from 2014-2019, before joining Team Kirkwood.

Krueger said what drew him to Kirkwood was the growth potential of the city. As well as the opportunity for hands-on and interesting projects. "I really enjoy dealing with transportation projects that focus on pedestrian safety and bike infrastructure," said Krueger.

Krueger will take over this position following the retirement of current Public Services Director Bill Bensing. Bensing has over 40 years of experience in the industry. About 24 of those years have been serving the City of Kirkwood. Krueger said the knowledge and insight he has gained working with Bensing is invaluable.

Krueger is married to wife Alissa, with whom he shares two kids, eight-year-old Mackenzie, and six-year-old Mason. Krueger serves as the Vice President of the American Public Works Association, Missouri Chapter.

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