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VECTOR CONTROL FINANCE DEPARTMENT WINS AWARD

INDIO, CA, JUNE 1: The Coachella Valley Mosquito and Vector Control District (District), is pleased to announce that, for the second year, the District has been awarded the certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting by the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) for its comprehensive annual financial report (CAFR). The Certificate of Achievement is the highest form of recognition in the area of governmental accounting and financial reporting and represents a significant accomplishment for the District and its management. General Manager, Branka B. Lothrop credits the rigorous efforts of the District's Finance Manager, David I'Anson, and its Finance Committee for this outstanding recognition of the District's financial responsibility and transparency.

In addition for the second year in a row, David I'Anson has been awarded the Finance Reporting Achievement Award, for being primarily responsible for preparing the award-winning CAFR. The CAFR was judged by an impartial panel to meet the high standards of the program, including demonstrating a constructive "spirit of full disclosure" to clearly communicate its financial story and motivate potential users and user groups to read the CAFR.

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