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Announcement

From: Larry B Harris - Chair of Board of Delegates Land of Sky Regional Council
Re: Executive Director Search Report
Date: February 28, 2020

I am pleased to announce that the Executive Committee of Land of Sky Regional Council has selected Nathan Ramsey to serve as our Council's Executive Director.

Nathan's selection culminates a search process that attracted 75 applicants. The committee selected four finalists for interview sessions. I want to express my appreciation to each of the applicants and to our finalists whose impressive credentials, experience and professionalism made the selection process a very challenging one.

Since January 1, 2016, Nathan Ramsey has served as the director of the Mountain Area Workforce Development Board at Land of Sky Regional Council. Nathan has also served as the Interim Executive Director for the Council since December 7, 2019. Nathan earned his undergraduate degree in accounting from UNC Asheville and a Juris Doctor degree with honors from the University of Tennessee College of Law. Nathan has served as an elected official in Buncombe County as Chairman of the County Commissioners and as a member of the North Carolina General Assembly. In addition, Nathan has served in countless leadership positions on boards and commissions across our region and state. Nathan's extensive knowledge of our region and its people will benefit the Council in our service to the people of Buncombe, Henderson, Madison and Transylvania Counties.

Land of Sky Regional Council is a multi-county, local government, planning and development organization. The Council reaches across county and municipal borders providing technical assistance to local governments and administer projects and programs which benefit our region's citizens.