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CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION ANNOUNCES FINALIST FOR DIRECTOR OF FINANCE

GRAND JUNCTION, Colo. June 21, 2023 – The City of Grand Junction has announced Jennifer Tomaszewski, CPA as the finalist for the Finance Director position that became open with the retirement of Jodi Welch from this role. Welch has served the city for 32 years, and during the last 16 years held the position of Finance Director.

As Finance Director for the City of Grand Junction, Tomaszewski's responsibilities will include oversight of the annual budget, accounting, financial reporting, grant administration, sales tax, payroll, and Municipal Court.

"We are very pleased to have someone of Jennifer's caliber as the finalist in our search for a new Finance Director," stated City Manager Greg Caton. "Jennifer has a wealth of knowledge and experience to bring to this new role in addition to providing leadership of a well established team."

Tomaszewski recently served as Assistant Finance Director for the City of Santa Maria, California a full-service city with a population of 110,000 and an annual budget of \$350 million. In her role as Assistant Finance Director, she oversaw the budget, accounting/accounts payable and reporting, treasury, purchasing, payroll, and utility billing, and cashiering services.

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