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New Jersey Conference of Mayors Welcomes New Executive Director

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TRENTON. Mayor Janice Mironov, President of the New Jersey Conference of Mayors, announced that the organization is excited to welcome Kerry Kirk Pflugh as the new NJCM Executive Director. Ms. Pflugh is a 34-year veteran of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, having recently retired from the department.

NJCM President Mayor Mironov stated, "Kerry Pflugh, who is well known to mayors around the state, has worked extensively while at the DEP with New Jersey mayors and municipalities as an advocate in furthering projects, resolving issues and communicating information and resources. Kerry, who began April 4 brings tremendous experience and outstanding skills, will be able to hit the ground running for NJCM mayors in helping to further our mission that our voices be heard by state and federal officials in making policy, creating legislation and allocating funds."

Mayor Mironov added, "The NJCM is committed to working together as mayors, Democrats and Republicans and Independents, as the front-line officials in serving our residents and our state, and providing mayors the tools, resources and networking opportunities to improve the health and well-being of all of our communities."

The New Jersey Conference of Mayors was founded in 1963 by a group of leading Mayors who believed their collective voices should be heard in Trenton and Washington. The founding Mayors were interested in finding common ground on issues impacting their residents. NJCM has since become the largest statewide organization in our Nation to exclusively represent the interests of Mayors to the State and Federal Legislatures and Administrations.

"I am thrilled to assume the position of executive director of this prestigious organization and look forward to working with the President, officers and board of the NJCM," said Ms. Pflugh. "I have had the opportunity to visit all 564 municipalities and have seen the numerous challenges Mayors confront daily in conducting town business. I look forward to assisting Mayors in meeting their daily tasks and advocating for them to the state."

Ms. Pflugh was formerly the Director for Local Government Assistance at the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection acting as the department's liaison to New Jersey's 564 Mayors. Her area of expertise is strategic communication planning. She is the recipient of numerous awards including Cabinet Liaison of the Year, from the New Jersey Conference of Mayors in April 2019.

The New Jersey Conference of Mayors is located in Trenton New Jersey. The NJCM annual conference, which offers a series of relevant panels and expert speakers, informational exhibitors, and networking opportunities, will be held on May 10-12 in Atlantic City. For additional information about the NJCM and registration for the annual conference, visit: <https://newjerseyconferenceofmayors.com/#>

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