



## City of Tustin

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**Subject:** Tustin City Manager Jeffrey Parker Announces Retirement  
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After seven years as Tustin's City Manager, Jeffrey Parker has announced his retirement effective February 1.

Jeffrey Parker was appointed Tustin's City Manager on November 15, 2011. He previously served as the City Manager for Claremont, Walnut, and Patterson.

Parker leaves with 35 years in public service and beginning February 4, will take over as CEO of Laguna Woods Village.

"We are excited for this new chapter in his life and greatly appreciate Jeff's leadership, vision and dedication to our community," stated Mayor Chuck Puckett.

With Parker's retirement announcement, the City Council unanimously appointed Assistant City Manager, Matthew West, as Acting City Manager effective upon Parker's departure.

West has served in local government in a wide variety of roles for over 20 years; however, his background in urban planning brought him to the City of Tustin in 2001.

While at Tustin, he has held numerous positions in City Management, Economic Development, Finance, Redevelopment, and Community Development. West is experienced with all levels of the organization and the community as a whole, and is a key member of the visioning and development team for the future of Tustin Legacy.

Mayor Puckett further stated, "Matt has a robust record of managing complex issues and projects, proven to be a person of character, and is a dedicated advocate for the City of Tustin. We are proud to have him in his new role."

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