


Office of the City Manager

July 22, 2015

To: Honorable Mayor and Councilmembers
From: Christine Daniel, City Manager 
Subject: Acting Public Works Director

The City's Public Works Director, Andrew Clough, is retiring from the City of Berkeley after almost eight years of service as the department's Director and previously as its Deputy Director. We thank Andrew for his service to the community and wish him all the best on his next chapter.

Phil Harrington has graciously agreed to serve as Acting Director of Public Works, effective immediately. Phil has been the Deputy Director of Public Works since 2012, responsible for managing the Department's Operations, Facilities Capital and Maintenance, and Engineering Divisions. He is a graduate of the University of California, Berkeley, where he received his Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering. Phil is a registered civil engineer in the state of California with over 34 years of experience in municipal engineering specializing in design, construction and operations management.

Prior to Berkeley, Phil worked for the City of Antioch as the Director of Public Works, where he managed the City's Operations and Maintenance Divisions, and prior to that as the Deputy Director of that department. In 2007, Phil was appointed as the Capital Improvements/Water Rights Director for the City of Antioch responsible for developing and overseeing the City's five-year Capital Improvements Program including Community Facilities; Parks and Trails; Roadway Improvements; Traffic Improvements; and the Water and Wastewater Systems.

Please join me in welcoming Phil to this new role with the City of Berkeley.

cc: Dee Williams-Ridley, Deputy City Manager
Ann-Marie Hogan, City Auditor
Department Directors