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## PRESS RELEASE

### **Bethel Appoints New Director of Public Works**

November 3, 2014

The Town of Bethel is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Douglas Arndt to the position of Director of Public Works, having joined the town hall staff on Monday, October 27<sup>th</sup>. Mr. Arndt brings 16 years worth of engineering and management experience to the department, most recently serving as Director of Public Works for the City of New Haven. Prior to that assignment he held numerous DPW supervisory positions with the City Stamford and later served as Director of Public Works for the town of Monroe. Mr. Arndt holds a Bachelor of Science in civil engineering from Wentworth Institute of Technology. He has assumed responsibility for all of Bethel's public works departments, which include Engineering, Highways, Fleet, Transfer Station, Building Maintenance, Tree Warden and Water-Sewer Utilities.

Doug and his family reside in the town of Stratford, CT.

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