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**Veolia Rail Transportation Manager Named New Sprinter GM**

Chicago, IL – Veolia Executive Vice President, Ron Hartman announced the recent promotion of Transportation Manager James Davis. Davis took over the General Manager’s position for Veolia’s Sprinter operation in North County San Diego in early June. Previously, he was with the company’s Metrolink Commuter Rail operation in Los Angeles.

According to Hartman, “Jim is very knowledgeable in rail and definitely the right person to take on the GM position. He knows our company and our rail operations. The Sprinter operation is doing very well and under his guidance will continue to meet and exceed our client’s expectations.”

Davis began his railroad career with Santa Fe Railroad in 1993 and was quickly promoted, first to Locomotive Engineer and then again into management. He went to work for Amtrak in 2003 before joining Veolia in 2005.

In addition to operating Sprinter and Metrolink in Southern California, Veolia also has a rail operations including MBCR in Boston, Tri-Rail in Miami and Capitol Metro and MetroRail in Austin, Texas.

**About Veolia**

Veolia Transportation is the largest private operator of bus, rail, paratransit, shuttle and taxi businesses in North America. The company has over 16,000 employees and operates some 200 contracts for cities in the U.S.

Veolia Transportation also owns SuperShuttle, America's leading airport shuttle service.

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