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PAUL FITZGERALD to rejoin the Washington State Housing Finance Commission (WSHFC) as Director of the Asset Management & Compliance Division

SEATTLE – Executive Director, Kim Herman Washington State Housing Finance Commission (WSHFC) announced today that Paul Fitzgerald has agreed to rejoin the Commission as Director of the Asset Management & Compliance Division effective January 16, 2012. Fitzgerald served as the Commission’s first manager of the tax credit program which was created in 1987 and later became Director of the Commission’s Tax Credit Division.

Fitzgerald most recently served as housing director at Sea Mar Community Health Center a Seattle based community health center located in South Seattle.

Prior to Sea Mar, Paul served as housing development program manager at the Seattle Housing Authority. Paul also served several years as Director of Development at the King County Housing Authority.

Mr. Fitzgerald will oversee the asset management and compliance for more than 800 affordable housing project financed by the Commission across Washington State. He will supervise a professional staff of eleven persons.

The Washington State Housing Finance Commission is a self-supporting agency that provides below-market financing to buy, build or preserve affordable housing and nonprofit capital facilities. The Commission builds partnerships with the private sector to raise capital needed to further these social and economic objectives at no cost to the taxpayers of Washington State. To learn more about the Commission and its programs, please visit the web site at www.wshfc.org.