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International Code Council welcomes Russ Manning as Deputy Senior Vice President of Technical Services

Dr. Manning will oversee codes and standards development as well as architectural and engineering services at the Code Council

Washington, D.C. – The International Code Council announced that Russ Manning, former Executive Director of Facility Operations & Maintenance for the National Facility Services of the Kaiser Permanente Health System, joined the Codes and Standards Department as Deputy Senior Vice President of Technical Services. Dr. Manning will succeed Mike Pfeiffer, who has announced his plan to retire in 2023 after serving the Code Council for 36 years.

Dr. Manning brings more than 25 years of experience in process improvement and optimization in enterprise facility life cycle management, real estate master planning and real estate management. He holds a Ph.D. in architectural engineering from Pennsylvania State University and has served as a medical service officer in the United States Army. In his extensive project and leadership experience, he has previously managed a multi-national facilities operations program across 13 countries and an annual operating program of more than \$1 billion. Through his contributions to the industry, Dr. Manning has also established the first building information modeling guide for facility life cycle integration within the healthcare sector.

"With his broad technical and strategic skills, Russ is well-positioned to guide our Technical Services team in providing world class codes, standards and technical services to our members and customers," said Code Council Chief Executive Officer Dominic Sims, CBO. "The Code Council is thankful to have his experience and energetic leadership."

The Technical Services Department, responsible for codes and standards development and architectural and engineering services, is an integral part of the Code Council. The Code Council's Technical Services team makes the process of understanding and applying the codes efficient and straightforward by offering code commentaries and code interpretations.

"Technical Services is thrilled to welcome Russ to the team. He has a passionate support for building safety and, from his unique perspective and background, has a lot to offer to the Code

Council," said Senior Vice President of Technical Services, Mike Pfeiffer, PE. "Russ will be assisting me as we transition him to lead the department upon my retirement in 2023."

"I am excited and honored to be joining the International Code Council team, the industry's dedicated professionals, and helping to continue its legacy of ensuring the safety of the built environment for future generations to come!" said Dr. Russ Manning.

<u>Click here</u> to download a picture of Dr. Manning.

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About the International Code Council

The <u>International Code Council</u> is the leading global source of model codes and standards and building safety solutions. Code Council codes, standards and solutions are used to ensure safe, affordable and sustainable communities and buildings worldwide.