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Northern Hires New District Engineer

Palm Beach Gardens, FL - November 14, 2007: The Northern Palm Beach County Improvement District Board of Supervisor's selected Arcadis as the new District Engineer at their October 26, 2007 meeting. The contract was voted on and approved at today's Board of Supervisor's meeting.

Recently, the District Engineer position became vacant upon the resignation of the former engineering firm, SFRN, Inc. In order to fill the vacancy, Northern issued and advertised a Request for Qualifications pursuant to the Consultants Competitive Negotiation Act. The top three short-listed firms gave presentations to the full board at the October 26, 2007 Board Meeting at which time the Board selected Arcadis.

Arcadis is highly regarded and has built an enviable reputation based on providing outstanding service to their clients which include Lake Worth Drainage District, Tradition Community Development District, St. Lucie West Services District and the Florida Governmental Utility Authority. Arcadis has an office staff of 68 in West Palm Beach and is supported by more than 3500 employees throughout Florida and the United States.

The District Engineer is responsible for overseeing Northern's numerous projects, permits, construction and easements within the district boundaries, and for coordination with other municipalities and government entities.

Mr. Robert Lawson, P.E. is a principal for the firm, and will work with Northern Staff. Also working with him on Northern projects are Wilbur Divine, PSM, Jockey Prinyavivatkul, PE, and Kim Leser, P.E. (pictured below).



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The Northern Palm Beach County Improvement District is an independent special district created by the Florida Legislature in 1959. Its role is to provide services related to water management and infrastructure for properties in northern Palm Beach County.