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Promotion Announcement: Kevin Sipple Named New Kent County Administrator



Dover, Del. - The Kent County Levy Court is pleased to announce the promotion of Kevin Sipple to the position of Kent County Administrator, effective immediately.

Kevin R. Sipple has been serving as Acting County Administrator for Kent County since September 23, 2025, overseeing the daily operations of county government. In this role, he provides leadership and direction for all county departments, services, and budgets while working to establish and implement organizational goals, objectives, and policies. As the County's Chief Administrative Officer, Mr. Sipple is responsible for executing the programs and policies set by the Kent County Levy Court, ensuring compliance with state and federal laws, and enforcing ordinances, resolutions, and orders.

With over 38 years of experience in county government, Mr. Sipple previously served as the Director of Public Safety, where he led the Department of Public Safety, including the Divisions of Emergency Communications, Emergency Management, and Emergency Medical Services. His leadership played a crucial role in managing 24/7 emergency dispatch services, coordinating public safety efforts during crises, and overseeing the county's advanced life support emergency medical services.

A lifelong resident of Kent County, Mr. Sipple was born in Milford, Delaware. He currently resides in Felton with his wife, Kelly, where they have raised their two sons, Tyler and Ryan.

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Levy Court President Joanne Masten said, “Kevin has been an integral part of our team for over a decade, consistently demonstrating unparalleled dedication, leadership, and commitment to public service. His extensive experience, deep understanding of county operations, and visionary approach have made him an invaluable asset to our community.” “His innovative mindset and proactive problem-solving abilities will undoubtedly drive

Kent County toward a brighter and more prosperous future”, added Vice President Robert J. Scott.

In his new role, Kevin will oversee the administration of county departments, ensure the efficient delivery of services, and continue to foster a collaborative environment among county staff and residents.

Please join us in congratulating Kevin on this well-deserved promotion and in supporting him as he embarks on this exciting new chapter in his career.