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Press Release

New Board Members Are Appointed To The El Paso Museum of Art Foundation

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The El Paso Museum of Art Foundation announces the appointment of four new Board Members who are: Dr. Roberto Assael, Alejandra de la Vega, David de Wetter, and Richard Moore. Board Members volunteer their time without pay and serve on the Board for as long as they are able. The Foundation is grateful for their professional expertise, support, and service.

Personal Backgrounds

Dr. Roberto Assael

Dr. Assael currently serves as the General Director for the International Medical Clinic in Ciudad Juarez, Chihuahua, Mexico.

Alejandra de la Vega

Alejandra de la Vega serves as an Officer with FEMAP (Federacion Mexicana de Asociaciones Privadas) and operates a family business.

David de Wetter

David de Wetter is a senior consultant with Watson Wyatt Worldwide, where he helps organizations effectively implement business strategy through people.

Richard Moore

Richard Moore, Jr. is a managing director and the chief financial officer of Verde Realty, an El Paso-based real estate investment and operating company. Prior to moving to El

Paso in November 2004, Richard was chairman of Security Capital European Realty, based in London.

EPMA Foundation Background

Founded in 1998, the EPMA Foundation is a Texas Non-Profit Corporation - a 501(c)(3) organization under the Internal Revenue Code. It is organized exclusively for the benefit of the Museum to provide long-term funding for acquisitions, conservation, preservation, education and interpretation, and related areas of Museum functions not provided for by the City of El Paso's operational funding. It is governed by a board of individual El Paso citizens, with committees for Development, Planned Giving, and Investment.

For further information about the El Paso Museum of Art Foundation please call (915) 532-1707.

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