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News Release

International Association of Emergency Managers USA Council Announces Results of 2020 Officer and Board Elections

Sept. 3, 2020 (Falls Church, Va.) – The International Association of Emergency Managers USA Council (IAEM-USA) is pleased to announce the results of its elections that ended on August 31. IAEM-USA members selected **Cathy Clark, MA, as the incoming second vice president**, and **Sarah L. Moore, CEM, as incoming secretary**. 508 total members voted this year, continuing a trend of increased IAEM voter activity.

Cathy Clark, MA, deputy director, emergency communication networks, Minnesota Department of Public Safety, has served IAEM in numerous roles since 2009. Currently, she serves as the co-chair of the IAEM-USA Conference committee. Previously, Cathy chaired the IAEM-USA Training and Education Committee for four years and served as vice chair prior to her role as chair. She led the Poster Showcase Work Group, which redesigned the Poster Showcase event held annual at the conference. In addition, Cathy worked collaboratively with colleagues at the Naval Postgraduate School Center of Homeland Defense and Security to develop content for IAEM's popular Leadership Symposium. She holds an M.A. in Management and is a graduate of the National Emergency Management Executive Academy.

Sarah Moore, CEM, senior resiliency consultant, Arcadis, is the current IAEM-USA Region 2 vice president and has served IAEM in many roles since 2004. She served as vice chair for the Awards & Recognition Committee has been an active member of the IAEM-USA Conference Committee for several years. Recently, Sarah served on the CEM® Exam Task Force. In the past, she served on the IAEM-USA Board of Directors as IAEM Student Region President. She holds a B.S. in Emergency Administration and Planning and is currently working on a M.S. in Emergency Management at the University of New Haven.

Additions to the IAEM-USA Board of Directors

Also joining the Board of Directors this November are presidents representing five of IAEM-USA's 10 regions. Returning for a second term are IAEM-USA Region 2 President **Anthony S. Mangeri, MPA, CPM, CEM**, and IAEM-USA Region 10 President **Sarah Miller, MPA, CEM**. Joining the Board for their first term with their new officer titles are: IAEM-USA Region 4 President **Joshua M. Morton, MPA, CEM, SCCEM**; IAEM-USA Region 6 President **David J. Alamia, Jr., MPA, CEM**; and IAEM-USA Region 8 President **Robert W. Hill, CEM**.

The newly elected officers and members of the Board of Directors will be take office on Nov. 18, 2020, during the closing session of IAEM Reimagined: The IAEM Virtual Conference.

IAEM-USA, the nation's largest emergency management professional association, is a non-profit professional organization representing more than 5,000 emergency management and homeland security professionals for local communities, state and federal disaster officials, private sector, non-governmental organizations and others involved in preparing for, responding to, and recovering from all types of disasters including acts of terrorism. IAEM provides: access to the largest network of emergency management experts who can provide advice and assistance; the Certified Emergency Manager program; annual scholarships; a comprehensive monthly newsletter; and more.