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Additional Employees hired by TLA Engineering & Planning, Inc.

Roseville, CA – July 17, 2006 – TLA Engineering & Planning, Inc. (TLA), a California Corporation providing Land Planning and Civil Engineering services, today announced it has hired their former intern, Keone Kauo, as a full time employee.



As TLA's Assistant Engineer, Keone will be responsible for the preparation of improvement plans for a variety of public and private land development projects, along with engineering support for permits and entitlements. He has recently graduated from University of Nevada, Reno. While pursuing his education, Keone also interned at TLA for three summers. His duties included subdivision design of utilities, roadways, infrastructure, retaining walls and drainage reports.

TLA, based in Roseville, California, is a design and engineering firm dedicated to providing a full-range of services to private and public Clients. Established in 1985, the firm specializes in planning, designing, engineering and managing projects that range from small residential developments to large mixed use projects. Experience earned over many years and across all varieties of development projects provides the necessary foundation for a wide range of capabilities. Each project is undertaken with an eye towards providing solutions that allow projects to proceed smoothly. Our extensive work with government agencies provides Clients with a knowledgeable ally in moving a project through to completion. TLA's particular expertise in hydrology and hydraulic engineering has been valuable in our work throughout the Northern California region.

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