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Barry Ritter Appointed Executive Director of Indiana's Wireless Enhanced 9-1-1 Advisory Board

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INDIANAPOLIS (July 9, 2010) – State Treasurer Richard Mourdock, Chairman of Indiana's Wireless Enhanced 9-1-1 Advisory Board (Wireless Board), announces the appointment of Barry Ritter of Richmond, IN, as the new Executive Director of the Wireless Board.

“Barry brings over 24 years of experience in all aspects of public safety to his new position, which includes being a former police officer, a firefighter, and an emergency medical technician. In addition, Barry was recently selected as the ‘Finest Communications Center Director of the Year for 2010’ by NICE Systems when he previously served as the Director of Wayne County’s Emergency Communications Department,” explained Treasurer Mourdock. “I am extremely pleased that Barry has agreed to lead the Indiana Wireless Enhanced 9-1-1 Advisory Board as we deal with the ongoing evolution of communication technologies in the public safety field.”

The Wireless Board’s Executive Director Ken Lowden, since 2004, who previously served as a member of the board itself, will officially be retiring from the State of Indiana on July 30th.