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### **HALL & FOREMAN, INC., ADDS PACE ENGINEERING TO FAMILY**

SANTA ANA, Calif. — Hall & Foreman, Inc., has announced that PACE Engineering, Inc., of Chatsworth, Calif., is now part of the 40-year old civil engineering/surveying firm, headquartered in Santa Ana.

The addition of PACE Engineering, which was founded in 1967, will significantly expand the company's geographic coverage and professional service base throughout Southern California, according to John Hogan, President of Hall & Foreman, Inc.

“We are delighted to welcome PACE Engineering to the Hall & Foreman family,” said Hogan. “This acquisition will add valuable depth and breadth to our ability to serve our clients' needs, particularly in the areas of civil engineering, municipal engineering, surveying, land planning and entitlements, as well as the service of forensics engineering.”

Founded in 1961, Hall & Foreman, Inc. specializes in land development, civil engineering, municipal engineering/public works services, land surveying, and land planning for clients in both the public and private sectors. Projected revenue for the combined firms is expected to exceed \$13 million over the next year.

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PACE Engineering will adopt the Hall & Foreman name and maintain its present office location in Chatsworth. Charles G. Novak will become a vice president of the firm and continue to provide management and technical direction for the new Los Angeles/Ventura County office of Hall & Foreman. The firm's forensic engineering arm will maintain the name of PACE Investigative Services, a division of Hall & Foreman, Inc.

Including the existing PACE employees, Hall & Foreman's total workforce expands to more than 100 employees to serve clients across the six-county region of Southern California. In addition to their Santa Ana office and the new Chatsworth location, the firm has an office in Upland, Calif., to serve the rapidly growing Inland Empire area.

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