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**HALL & FOREMAN, INC. ANNOUNCES
YAZDAN T. EMRANI, P.E., as SR. VICE PRESIDENT / PRINCIPAL**

TUSTIN, Calif, September 26, 2011 – Hall & Foreman, Inc. (HFI), a civil engineering, land planning and surveying firm, announced the addition of Yazdan T. Emrani, P.E., as Sr. Vice President / Principal. Mr. Emrani joins HFI to expand the firm's public works, GIS, and infrastructure management services.

"We're extremely pleased to have Yaz on our team. He has a unique blend of civil engineering and GIS expertise. His project portfolio includes extensive public works experience with projects ranging from studies and master plans to infrastructure design and construction, to pavement management and stormwater management programs. As a result, our clients will benefit from his ability to provide comprehensive infrastructure management services," commented John Hogan, P.E., LEED AP, HFI Chief Executive Officer.

Mr. Emrani has over 26 years of civil engineering and GIS experience in both the public and private sectors. His background includes planning, design, and construction management of infrastructure improvements and new construction. He has performed studies and master plans for water and wastewater systems and has managed various street, neighborhood improvement, water, wastewater, storm drain, road projects and water storage and distribution systems. Mr. Emrani's land development experience encompasses commercial business parks and residential subdivision projects. His GIS experiences include GIS needs assessment, database design, and data conversion. He has implemented numerous pavement management programs integrating street and road data with GIS. Additionally, he has managed and implemented several small and large GIS projects throughout the country.

Mr. Emrani holds a Master of Science degree in civil engineering from the University of Maryland at College Park and a Bachelor of Science degree in civil engineering from Syracuse University, New York. He currently serves as co-chair of the American Society of Civil Engineers' (ASCE) California Infrastructure Report Card Executive Committee. He is active in the County Engineers Association of California and the American Public Works Association where he served on the Board of Directors of the Monterey Bay Chapter. Mr. Emrani is past president of the ASCE Orange County Branch and past president of the University of California, Irvine (UCI) Civil and Environmental Engineering Affiliates. He has taught GIS and Project Management at UCI and is a registered professional engineer in multiple states.

Prior to joining HFI, Mr. Emrani was the Director of Public Works for Monterey County where he was responsible for managing and directing Engineering Design, Road and Bridge Maintenance, Construction, Development Services, Transportation and Traffic Engineering, Special Districts, (including water, wastewater, lighting and landscaping) Stormwater Management, Facilities, Fleet, Architectural Services, and Real Estate Services.

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About HFI

Founded in 1961, [HFI is celebrating its 50th Anniversary](#). The firm specializes in civil engineering, water quality management services, land planning and development, surveying and mapping, and entitlement coordination for the residential, commercial, infill/mixed use, education, industrial, and public works sectors. The firm has offices in Tustin, Santa Clarita, Temecula, and Victorville. For more information go to www.hfinc.com



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