**Douglas/Elbert Task Force Selects New Executive Director**

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*Castle Rock, CO* – After a period of leadership transition, the Board of Directors at the Douglas/Elbert Task Force is pleased to announce the selection of Dan Marlow as Executive Director. A twenty-three year resident of Douglas County, Dan will lead the next phase of growth to serve the Douglas/Elbert Task Force’s current and future clients.

Dan joins the Douglas/Elbert Task Force with over twenty years of leadership experience specific to non-profit service to the community. Most recently, he successfully expanded Denver Area Youth For Christ by increasing the donor base, grants and events. He is also credited with growing the team of paid staff and volunteers for successful fulfillment of the of the mission of the organization. Under Dan’s leadership, Denver Area Youth For Christ grew outreach from six to nineteen sites in six counties while also expanding the juvenile offender mentoring program.

Dan said, “I count it a privilege to join the Douglas/Elbert Task Force team of staff and volunteers in the critical mission of bringing help and hope to individuals and families in financial distress.”

John Forsyth, Board Chair said, “I believe Dan possesses the exact combination of proven, in-depth non-profit expertise and practice participatory leadership the Douglas/Elbert Task Force needs to move forward into the next decade, and beyond. The Board is excited for the opportunity to work with Dan.”

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