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## Harris County Clerk Announces Retirement of Chief Deputy and Names Successor

**Houston, TX**– Harris County Clerk announces the retirement of Chief Deputy, Kevin Mauzy, and names current Administrator of Communications and Voter Outreach Teneshia Hudspeth as his successor. Kevin will retire at the end of this year.

“I am at once happy and sad to announce the retirement of Kevin Mauzy. After 30 years of devoted service to Harris County, Kevin’s experience and extensive knowledge has proved to be truly invaluable. He will be missed,” expressed Dr. Diane Trautman, Harris County Clerk.

Over the next several months, the Harris Clerk’s Office will work to transition Hudspeth into her new leadership role. She will be the first African-American woman to serve as the Chief Deputy for the Harris County Clerk. Teneshia is a native Austinite who studied Communications at Texas Southern University and has served in the Harris County Clerk’s office for almost 14 years. She has held a variety of positions over this time period, including Administrative Aide of Public Affairs, Special Projects Coordinator, Voter Outreach Coordinator, Public Information Officer, and most recently Administrator of Communications & Voter Outreach. Teneshia and her husband, Samson have one son.

“I know Teneshia’s diverse experience working within the Harris County Clerk’s Office and community is an extremely valuable asset to the Harris County Clerk team. She is an outstanding leader who understands the service our office provides and does so with excellence. She is the best person for the job,” explained Trautman.

Teneshia will continue to serve in the Administrator of Communications role until the end of the year when current Chief Deputy retires. The announcement of her replacement is forthcoming.

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