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HELIX Environmental Planning to Acquire Foothill Associates

Expanding Northern California Services, Establishing Landscape Architecture Practice

La Mesa, CA, April 8, 2019 – HELIX Environmental Planning (HELIX), an employee-owned California-based environmental consulting firm will acquire Rocklin-based Foothill Associates effective May 1, 2019.

The acquisition will establish HELIX's Placer County office, the firm's sixth office within California, allowing it to better serve existing and future clients in Northern California. In addition to the firms' San Diego headquarters, HELIX also has offices in North San Diego, Sacramento, Orange, and Riverside counties.

Founded in 1995, Foothill Associates is a veteran-owned, California Corporation that provides a wide range of environmental consulting, landscape architecture, and planning services to local governments, public agencies, and private clients.

With the incorporation of Foothill Associates staff expertise, HELIX will also offer a full range of landscape architecture services. Additionally, the acquisition bolsters HELIX's existing biology, regulatory compliance, Geographic Information System (GIS), and California environmental Quality Act (CEQA)/ National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) capabilities.

"HELIX has been providing environmental consulting and natural resource sustainability services in California for more than 27 years," said Mike Schwerin, CEO of HELIX. "We are thrilled to be joined by a team that shares our values and commitment to provide a positive and family-oriented work environment for employees, and high-quality service with sustainable environmental solutions for our clients."

About HELIX Environmental Planning, Inc.

HELIX Environmental Planning (HELIX) is a leader in environmental planning and natural resource sustainability. Established in 1991 and with offices in San Diego, Sacramento, Riverside, and Orange counties, HELIX provides a broad range of environmental consulting and habitat restoration services throughout California and the western United States. HELIX has extensive experience helping public and private clients comply with environmental laws and regulations, manage natural and cultural resources, and design and construct sustainable projects. For more information, visit www.helixepi.com.