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Allen Event Center Announces New General Manager

(Allen, Texas) David Angeles, formerly Assistant General Manager, has been named the new General Manager for Allen Event Center. Angeles has been serving as Acting General Manager since November of last year.

Angeles has been with the City of Allen since 2005 and in that time built an impressive track record of success. Having begun his tenure in the Parks and Recreation Department as a Recreation Specialist with program and facility oversight, Angeles was soon after appointed as Recreation Center Supervisor for the Joe Farmer Recreation Center. He served in that position until 2010 when he was transferred to help supervise the Allen Community Ice Rink, quickly becoming the Facility Manager.

“Dave has been a great asset to the City of Allen from his first day of employment,” said Tim Dentler, Parks and Recreation Director for the City of Allen. “He has proven his successes through the years by establishing high standards and successful operations at each of the facilities he has managed.”

Angeles is credited with helping turn the Allen Community Ice Rink, which opened to the public in November 2009 as part of Allen Event Center, into not only a successful operation but one of the most popular recreation facilities to date. It was that success during those challenging start-up operations that again led to his progression through the ranks in the organization.

Since being named Assistant General Manager for Allen Event Center in 2012, Angeles has aggressively sought to establish his foothold in the industry. As a member of the International Association of Venue Managers (IAVM) and Serving the American Rinks (STAR) where he holds certifications in both operations and risk management, Angeles has again proven his ability to step in and lead operations in the direction of success.

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“I’m excited to lead Allen Event Center operations and continue working with exceptional staff and tenants,” said Angeles. “We look to continue to grow the reputation of Allen Event Center in North Texas as a premier entertainment venue and bring economic impact to the community. I’m pleased to be part of an exceptional organization.”

Angeles earned his Bachelor of Science from Grand Valley State University and was recognized by the Texas Recreation and Parks Society with the Texas Recreation and Administration Award in 2010. He was also honored by the City of Allen for “Integrity” through their annual employee awards program.

About Allen Event Center

Allen Event Center (AllenEventCenter.com) is a city-owned, 7,500+ seat capacity multi-sport and entertainment arena located in one of the largest mixed-use developments in the country, The Village at Allen. The arena is home to the Allen Americans Hockey Club, the Dallas Sidekicks Soccer Club, Texas Revolution Football, The Tom Thumb Texas Stampede and Lone Star Conference Championship basketball. Host to more than 100 events annually including concerts, graduations, tradeshow, and family ice shows, Allen Event Center offers a variety of quality concessions at affordable prices and parking that is always free.

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