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## NEWS RELEASE

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### **WELD COUNTY COMMISSIONERS INTRODUCE ROBERT FRICK AS NEW COUNTY ATTORNEY**

WELD COUNTY, CO – The Board of Weld County Commissioners welcomed Robert Frick to his new position as County Attorney starting Monday, December 1. Frick will replace Bruce Barker as the lead attorney for Weld County. Barker, who has been the County Attorney since 1993, is retiring at the end of the month.



"We are confident that Robert will be able to step into this role seamlessly," said Commissioner Chairman Douglas Rademacher.

Frick, who received his Bachelor's degree from the University of Iowa and his Juris Doctor from Creighton University School of Law, is no stranger to Weld County. He worked as a prosecutor for the Weld County District Attorney's Office from 2000-2008 before becoming a municipal judge for the City of Greeley in June 2008. He served as the city's judge through 2012 when he left to take the position of Hearings Manager for the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission.

"Robert brings not only knowledge about the law but also knowledge about our county," said Commissioner Barbara Kirkmeyer. "We are glad to bring him back to Weld County."

The Weld County Attorney serves as legal advisor for the Board of County Commissioners and all departments and divisions of Weld County Government. When directed by the Board, the County Attorney represents Weld County, county officers, county employees, and appointed boards and commissioners and their members in suits, actions and other legal proceedings.

Frick will lead a team of seven attorneys employed by the county (four with the Department of Human Services and three additional in the Administration Building).

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