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Nevada Conservation League Announces New Executive Director

Las Vegas, NV – The Nevada Conservation League (NCL) is proud to announce the selection of Andy Maggi as the organization's new Executive Director. Andy starts his new position effective Monday, March 21, 2016.

With over a decade of experience in political and conservation organization management, Andy brings a keen sense of how to best secure Nevada's clean energy future, promote clean energy jobs and protect our public lands heritage. Andy previously served as the Political Director for U.S. Senator Jeff Merkley's re-election campaign, and for six years served as the Political Director of the Oregon League of Conservation Voters. He also served as the Director of the Oregon Chapter of the Sierra Club, where he helped champion groundbreaking legislation bolstering renewable energy.

"Andy has a wealth of experience and is well-positioned to hit the ground running," said Robert Buntjer, chairman of the NCL Board of Directors. "With so much at stake in the next few years, we are thrilled to have Andy at the helm."

"This is a critical time for conservation priorities in the West—from energy to public lands – and Nevada is on the front lines of many of the values I have spent my career fighting for," said Maggi. "I look forward to joining the team at the Nevada Conservation League and building upon the good work to ensure that our elected officials share our conservation values."

The Nevada Conservation League is the independent political voice of Nevada's conservation community. NCL works to maintain and enhance the natural character of Nevada and the quality of life for Nevada's families through effective advocacy, the election of pro-conservation candidates and building collaboration. The Nevada Conservation League is a partner of the national League of Conservation Voters.