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City Commission Extends City Manager Offer to Bryan Heck

SPRINGFIELD, OH (Nov. 30, 2018) — Current Deputy City Manager Bryan Heck has been extended an offer to be Springfield’s next city manager, Springfield City Commissioners announced today.

“I’m honored to have been selected by the City Commission to become Springfield’s next City Manager,” said Heck. “I am excited for the opportunity to lead this organization comprised of very talented and hardworking employees who are committed to making Springfield a great place to live, work and play.”

Heck was one of three internal and 18 external applicants to the job, which opened when City Manager Jim Bodenmiller announced his retirement in August. Heck will take office next year following Bodenmiller’s departure in January.

“Bryan has the experience in public administration and vision for the future that we feel is the best fit to help lead Springfield in a positive direction,” said Springfield Mayor Warren Copeland. “We are pleased that Bryan has accepted this challenge and we look forward to working together in service to the people of Springfield.”

City Commission is expected to vote on Heck’s appointment in its next regular meeting Dec. 18 at 7 p.m. in the City Hall Forum, 76 E. High St.

Heck is a lifelong resident of Clark County and a graduate of Wittenberg University. He and his wife Bailey have two children.