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Butte County Board of Supervisors to Appoint Public Health Director

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Oroville, CA – The Butte County Board of Supervisors announced the appointment of Cathy Raevsky as Public Health Director effective March 4, 2013. Ms. Raevsky's employment contract will be considered for approval at the January 29, 2013 Board meeting.

For the past 12 years, Ms. Raevsky has worked as the Health Officer for Kent County Health Department (MI). Previous to that position, she worked as the Deputy Director of Health for Merced County (CA), Director of Program Administration for AMC Cancer Research Center (CO), and Administrative Specialist for Colorado Department of Public Health.

Ms. Raevky obtained her Bachelor of Arts degree in psychology from Baylor University and also took graduate courses from the same university. "I am excited for this opportunity to serve the residents of Butte County," said Ms. Raevsky. "I am aware of the great reputation that the department has – that of dedicated employees who provide outstanding service. I hope to work closely with the Board of Supervisors, County departments, community members, and stake holders to continue the tradition of excellent service."

"We welcome Ms. Raevsky to Butte County and look forward to working with her as the new Public Health Director," said Bill Connelly, Chair of Butte County Board of Supervisors. "She has a wealth of experience and has the necessary skills to lead the department."

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