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MEMORANDUM FOR: Write Your Own (WYO) Principal Coordinators  
and the NFIP Servicing Agent

FROM: WYO Clearinghouse

SUBJECT: Appointment of Ed Connor as Deputy Director of  
Insurance

Attached is a memo from David Maurstad, Federal Insurance Administrator, announcing the recent appointment of Edward Connor as the new Deputy Director of Insurance.

Please distribute this information within your organization as appropriate.

Attachment

cc: Vendors, IBHS, FIPNC, Government Technical Representative

Suggested Routing: Claims, Marketing, Underwriting



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MEMORANDUM FOR: Write Your Own (WYO) Company Principal Coordinators  
National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) Servicing Agent  
*David I. Maurstad*

FROM: David I. Maurstad  
Federal Insurance Administrator  
National Flood Insurance Program

SUBJECT: Appointment of Edward L. Connor as Deputy Director  
for Insurance

On September 27, 2006, R. David Paulison, Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) announced the selection of Edward L. Connor as the new Deputy Director of Insurance and his inclusion in the Senior Executive Service (SES). I am proud and pleased with this selection and look forward to working with Ed in this new capacity.

Ed began with FEMA in 1992 in the Federal Insurance Administration working with both the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) and the Federal Crime Insurance Program. He came to us with over twenty years of insurance industry experience in personal lines (thirteen years with Allstate Insurance Company; eight years with the Chubb Group of Insurance Companies) in the areas of underwriting, marketing, auditing and as a comptroller.

More recently, Ed has served as the Chief of Risk Insurance in the Mitigation Division. He has been instrumental in strengthening our relationships with the insurance industry, lending community, and with State government officials by his work with Write Your Own (WYO) Companies, producer associations, State Insurance Commissioners, and various State Municipal Leagues. Ed is responsible for presenting the Agency's point of view on all matters relative to the NFIP, and he serves as liaison to the Flood Insurance Producers National Committee (FIPNC), the Institute for Business and Home Safety's (IBHS) Flood Committee, the National Conference of Insurance Legislators (NCOIL), and FEMA's Office of Inspector General. He also represents me before the National Association of Insurance Commissioners.

Ed received a Bachelors of Science Degree in 1972 from Bowie State University, in Bowie, Maryland and a Masters of Science Degree in 1998 from the National Defense University in Washington, D.C.

Please join me in congratulating Ed and recognizing the honor of his entry into the SES.