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FORSYTHE APPRAISALS NAMES PAST PRESIDENT OF APPRAISAL INSTITUTE SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT AND CHIEF APPRAISER

As a result of continued growth and commitment to providing quality appraisals for their customers, Forsythe Appraisals announces the appointment of Alan E. Hummel, SRA, as Senior Vice President and Chief Appraiser. As a key member of the executive team, Hummel will be responsible for implementing an industry leading quality initiative at Forsythe, developing an appraiser training program and exploring other strategic initiatives to strengthen and grow the rapidly expanding organization.



A former president of the Appraisal Institute, Hummel is a present or past member of several appraisal boards and committees and has testified before Congress on multiple occasions regarding the appraisal industry. A 22-year veteran, Hummel joins Forsythe from Iowa Residential Appraisal Company where he held the position of Chief Executive Officer/Owner for the past 16 years. Previous to that, he was Vice President and Department Head of the Residential Division for Iowa Appraisal and Research Corporation. Hummel's background also includes three years as an Appraiser and Real Estate Broker for Hummel Real Estate Services.

"Alan brings extensive appraisal experience and expertise to our team that fits our unique business model exceptionally well," says John Forsythe, Co-owner and President. "As a second generation appraiser and former owner/operator, he shares our passion for the business and understands the importance of setting extremely high quality standards for ourselves and our customers. Alan will play an integral role in taking Forsythe Appraisals to the next level." Forsythe added.

Mr. Hummel holds a Bachelor of Science Degree from Iowa State University and was awarded the SRA designation from the Appraisal Institute in 1987. He is an approved instructor for the Appraisal Institute as well as an Appraisal Qualifications Board certified USPAP Instructor. Hummel is a published curriculum author and a frequent speaker and presenter of appraisal techniques, methodologies and regulations.

**Feel free to contact Alan if you have any appraisal questions at
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Mortgage Rates As of September 8

30 Year Fixed: **5.71%**
15 Year Fixed: **5.30%**
1- Year ARM: **4.45%**

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