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All,

I wanted to let you know that I have hired Steve Hyvonen as our News/Content Director. Steve was mostly recently at WKMG (Graham Media/Post-Newsweek) in Orlando where he was News Director for the last seven years. Before Orlando, Steve was News Director at WEWS in Cleveland. He has also worked as News Director at WVTM in Birmingham, Executive Producer at MSNBC, Assistant News Director at WVIT in Hartford and Executive Producer at WTVJ in Miami. Steve was also a producer at WTVJ and WSVN in Miami.

I talked to a number of candidates for this position and I was impressed with Steve's quick grasp of our strengths and his ideas to get our news department to the next level. We've got momentum—and I'm sure Steve and the news managers will take advantages of the possibilities ahead.

This is a return to the Midwest for Steve and his wife Sabrina. Both are from Indiana and met at Ball State University. They have two daughters, Emma, 21 and Alissa, 18. Please help me welcome Steve to the FOX 19 NOW family. He will start next Wednesday, September 16.

**Debbie Bush**

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