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## **International Executive Joins Board**

VICTORIA— Mel Couvelier, Chairman, announced today the appointment of Peter Dolezal to the Board of Directors of Municipal Solutions Group Inc. (MSM, TSX).

Mr. Dolezal has an impressive record of senior management experience. He has held many executive level positions in the automobile, oil sands, mining and government sectors. More recently he was President and CEO of BC Buildings Corporation (1,000 employees) for seven years, and President and CEO of Westar Mining (in excess of \$400 M annual revenue) for five years. He has also operated an import-export business and his own highly successful real estate company. He presently operates a consulting business and sits on the Board of the Victoria Airport Authority and many volunteer organizations. Mr. Dolezal replaces Robert Foo on the Municipal Solutions Group Board.

Robert Foo's role in developing funding for the Company over the past two years cannot be understated. "His appreciation of the CityView product and its potential usefulness to local government administrators was not only prescient but also critical to the evolution of the Company", said Robert Bennett, President and CEO. Foo said "my initial task has been fulfilled, and it is time to ensure the Board consists of a majority of outside Directors."

The Board of Directors now consists of Mel Couvelier, Chairman; Robert Bennett, President and CEO; Troy Kusy, Vice President; Norm Cafik, and Peter Dolezal.

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### **About Municipal Software Corporation**

Municipal Software Corporation ([www.MunicipalSoftware.com](http://www.MunicipalSoftware.com)) was recently named the North American Finalist in the Packaged Application Category of the Microsoft Certified Partner Awards. This makes Municipal Software Corporation one of five finalists in the world for this award. The winner will be announced at Microsoft's Fusion Conference in Los Angeles on July 12, 2002.

Municipal Software Corporation provides CityView®, a fully integrated suite of software products that assist municipal administrators and managers with scalable technology solutions for increasing municipal government productivity in order to service citizens and communities more efficiently and effectively. CityView Enterprise 8.NET™ is powerful automation software that is designed specifically for local government and easily converts paper systems and business processes into a computerized system without costly and time-consuming programming. CityView Enterprise 8.NET enables E-government. It allows government to automate any business process internally and offer it over an Intranet or the Web with the click of a button. CityView Xpress is designed specifically for out-of-the-box departmental management and comes complete with ready-to-use forms and reports for a variety of municipal functions.

CityView 8.NET Enterprise incorporates Microsoft's .net technology. The incorporation of Microsoft's .net technology allows CityView to take any form and report and save it as an .ASPX page that maintains the full functionality of the desktop form and allows it to be accessed through the Web. The .net technology allows Municipal Software Corporation to provide their users with a fully functional browser interface. CityView 8.NET Enterprise also incorporates ESRI's MapObjects to allow direct links to mapping data so users can deploy maps with their Web forms and reports by using ESRI's ArcIMS. CityView 8.NET Enterprise automatically completes the entire configuration necessary to make this work.

## About Municipal Solutions Group Inc.

Municipal Solutions Group Inc. ([www.MunicipalSolutionsInc.com](http://www.MunicipalSolutionsInc.com)) was formed in January 2002 as the public financing arm for Municipal Software Corporation, to provide the overall strategic leadership and guidance for Municipal Software and to build comprehensive solutions for local government on a global basis.

### Forward-Looking Statements

Certain statements in this news release are not historical and may constitute forward-looking statements reflecting Municipal Solutions Group Inc.'s current expectation in the local government sector. Investors are cautioned that all forward-looking statements involve certain risks and uncertainties, including, without limitation, changes in market and competition, technological and competitive developments, cooperation and performance of strategic partners, and potential downturns in economic conditions generally. Forward-looking statements are based upon management's estimates, beliefs, and opinions on the date the statements are made. Municipal Solutions Group Inc. assumes no obligation to update forward-looking statements if circumstances of management's estimates, beliefs, or opinions should change. Additional information on these and other potential factors that could affect the Company's financial results are detailed in documents filed from time to time with the British Columbia Securities Commission. The TSX Venture Exchange (formerly CDNX) has not reviewed and does not accept responsibility for the adequacy or accuracy of this release.

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