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Zachary Goins Promoted to Assistant Supervisor in Probation and Parole District 10

FRANKFORT, Ky. (**Sept. 17, 2018**) – Kentucky Department of Corrections Division of Probation and Parole Director John Hall today announced the promotion of Zach Goins to District 10 assistant supervisor. District 10 encompasses Bell, Clay, Harlan, Jackson, Knox, Laurel and Leslie counties. His new position was effective Sept. 16.

"Zach Goins has the knowledge, skill and dedication required for this position," said Hall. "He is a top-notch employee who has served the Division of Probation and Parole with honor and integrity. We are looking forward to the contributions he will make as part of our leadership team."

Goins began his career with the Department of Corrections in July 2012 working in the Harlan County Probation and Parole Office. Throughout his career he has maintained a caseload of both probationers and parolees in Harlan County, in addition to writing pre-sentence investigation reports. He has served as the Harlan County home incarceration program (HIP) officer, back-up safety officer, class D officer, field training officer (FTO), DNA trainer and the sex offender caseload officer for both Harlan and Bell counties. In 2017 Goins was selected to serve on the Field Training Officer Committee to assist with implementing the new FTO program.

Goins is a Harlan County native and a graduate of Eastern Kentucky University where he earned a bachelor's degree in criminal justice. He was the recipient of the 2013 DOC Rookie of the Year Award and the 2016 District 10 Achievement Award.

Editor's note: photo attached

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