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NEWS RELEASE

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Visalia Police Department Hires Crime Prevention Coordinator

The Visalia Police Department is pleased to announce the hiring of Samantha Ferrero as our new Crime Prevention Coordinator. Samantha was born and raised in the City of Visalia. She attended Golden West High School and graduated in 2007. After graduating, Samantha attended UC San Diego where she graduated in 2011 with a Bachelor's Degree in International Studies and a minor in Legal Studies.

Prior to being recently hired as the Visalia Police Department's Crime Prevention Coordinator, Samantha worked for the Department's Crime Lab. Samantha is currently on the Board of Directors for ACT for Women and Girls, a local non-profit organization. She is looking forward to her new career with the Visalia Police Department.

Police Chief Colleen Mestas will publicly introduce Samantha Ferrero at the Tuesday, January 21, 2014 Visalia City Council Meeting. The introduction will be held at 4:30 PM at City Hall Council Chambers, 707 W. Acequia, Visalia.

For additional information regarding the Visalia Police Department's Crime Prevention Program, please contact:

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