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**Jewish Community Foundation Promotes Charlene Seidle
To Vice President – Philanthropy**

The Jewish Community Foundation of San Diego has promoted Charlene Seidle to Vice President – Philanthropy.

Charlene oversees the Foundation's Donor Services department, its development and grant-making programs, community planning initiatives, and the Jewish Community Disaster Fund. She plays an important role in general management of the Foundation, and directs its Jewish Women's Foundation.

Charlene is a 10-year veteran of the Foundation, which last year awarded more than \$55 million in 4,700 grants to fund 1,100 Jewish and general organizations in San Diego, the United States and Israel. Charlene helps build strong partnerships with community organizations, and plays a pivotal leadership role in community planning and oversight. She works with families to match their charitable interests with community needs.

"Charlene's promotion reflects the deep respect and confidence with which she is held in all areas of our community," said Marjory Kaplan, chief executive officer of the Foundation. "Charlene brings excellent leadership, strong collaboration skills, and exceptional values to the Foundation and to the community we are proud to serve."

Charlene joined the Foundation as a college intern in 1997 and has held increasingly responsible positions as Associate Director and Director of Donor Services. She graduated with honors from the University of California, San Diego in 1999. She attended the San Diego Jewish Academy, Soille San Diego Hebrew Day School and La Jolla High School.

About the Jewish Community Foundation:

Founded in 1967, the Jewish Community Foundation partners with individuals, families and community organizations to help them achieve their philanthropic goals and to increase current and future support for a vibrant and secure Jewish community in San Diego, Israel and around the world.

With managed assets of more than \$260 million, the Jewish Community Foundation is the largest grant maker in San Diego. During fiscal year 2006-07, the Foundation awarded more than \$55 million in 4,700 grants to fund 1,100 Jewish and general organizations in San Diego, the United States and Israel.

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