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PAYCARE RELOCATES ITS NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS FROM ORANGE COUNTY TO THE CITY OF RIVERSIDE

PayCare, a provider of customized payroll solutions has recently relocated their headquarters from Garden Grove to the City of Riverside.

Founded by Scott Willsea and his wife Isabel in 1997, the company has grown to provide service to more than 400 clients nationwide. Specializing as a full service payroll company that provides personal attention, PayCare acts as management for background checks, paychecks, workers compensation and payroll tax payments. Named by Payroll Associates as one of the ten fastest-growing independent payroll companies in the nation, Mr. Willsea expects his employees to grow from eight to 12 and his client portfolio to increase to 600 by the end of the year. He plans to go public in 2010.

Mr. Willsea contacted IEEP via our website in August of 2005 to assist in their relocation process. He was looking for a better quality of life for himself and his employees. "Not only have we been able to reconnect with old clients, but this move has been especially great for the employees who relocated with us. They have been able to move into homes they would not have been able to afford in Orange County, and their quality of life has certainly improved because of it," he said.

IEEP provided more than 100 site options through their regional partners, illustrating that the Inland Empire has significant office product at competitive prices. In addition to site assistance, IEEP facilitated connections with the City of Riverside, and the County of Riverside Workforce Development.

“I have been totally impressed with IEEP, the City and County of Riverside and the Chamber, who have gone out of their way to help us in this process. Their efforts have made us feel at home,” Mr. Willsea said.

This story comes as no surprise to the City of Riverside. “This is a trend. More and more companies from Orange County are considering moving to Riverside because they find they are closer to their customers, their employees’ neighborhoods and will enjoy an improved quality of life and a more affordable cost of living,” said Dave White, Business Attraction Manager, City of Riverside and Executive Director, SmartRiverside

According to Grubb & Ellis Inland Empire Office Market Trends - Third Quarter 2005, the Inland Empire office market has a 7.2 % vacancy rate, 19 million sq feet of office product and 1.5 million office product currently under construction, signifying a healthy demand for office product in the Inland Empire.

“Professional services companies realize that locating to the Inland Empire makes good business sense. Not only are their clients living and doing business in the Inland Empire, but the region offers more than 200,000 college degreed professionals, 27 colleges and universities, affordable and available office product and an affordable, high quality lifestyle for everyone in the company.” Karin Weddig Durant, vice president economic development, IEEP.

Inland Empire Economic Partnership is the region’s only private, non-profit economic development corporation that promotes Southern California’s Inland Empire with the purpose of enriching the region’s economy through business attraction, expansion, retention, and creation.

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