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**VANESSA RICHTER NAMED ARIZONA PROGRAM DIRECTOR
FOR CONSERVATION SERVICES GROUP**

WESTBOROUGH, Mass. March 5, 2009 — Conservation Services Group (CSG) today announced Vanessa A. Richter as Arizona program director, according to Adam Parker, CSG president. In this new position, Richter is responsible for the day-to-day account management, operations and logistics of CSG's existing energy efficiency programs, as well as new business development.

Before joining CSG, Richter was the director of land development at NRG Development, LLC, in Fort Myers, Florida. There, she oversaw land acquisition, zoning, environmental and construction entitlements, land planning, project evaluation and construction. Under her leadership, NRG Development negotiated and executed an unprecedented public/private partnership that doubled the appraised value of one property within 18 months. Prior to her position at NRG, Richter served as land development manager at TOUSA Homes, Inc., also in Fort Myers. In this position, she led negotiations and managed development projects, entitlements and construction. She also initiated a regional storm water pollution prevention program that saved the firm a half a million dollars and prevented costly work stoppages. Earlier in her career, Richter served as a project manager and civil engineer at VanasseDaylor, LLC, in Fort Myers, Entranco Engineers and Parsons, Brinckeroff, Douglas and Quade in Tucson, Arizona. At these firms, Richter handled engineering specifications, negotiations and the design and management of residential and commercial development projects in the Southeast and Southwest regions.

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Richter named Arizona Program Director for CSG

Richter is a licensed professional engineer in Arizona and Florida. She is a member of the US Green Building Council and is currently pursuing LEED accreditation. Richter is also a certified home energy rater through RESNET. A former senior airman in the Arizona National Guard, Richter holds a B.S. degree in civil engineering from University of Arizona. She is a native of Tucson and returned there to work for CSG.

Parker said, “We are excited that CSG is expanding services to the Southwest and that Vanessa will be helping us develop a significant presence there. Her extensive talent in all phases of project management, civil engineering, negotiations, design and market knowledge will be a tremendous asset to our clients’ programs and to CSG.”

Celebrating its 25th year, Conservation Services Group is a non-profit energy services firm based in Westborough, Mass. with 14 offices nationwide. CSG provides energy saving strategies, program design, management services and technologies to consumers and businesses. For more information visit, www.csgrp.com.

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