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## **STEVE GATTO APPOINTED SOUTHWEST DIVISION MANAGER FOR GVNW CONSULTING INC.**

Kerrville, TX (January 6, 2016) – GVNW Consulting is pleased to announce that effective January 1, 2016, Steve Gatto will be assuming the position of Southwest Division Manager for GVNW Consulting.

In addition to his responsibilities as Southwest Division Manager, Steve will continue to oversee client regulatory issues involving universal service funding, intercarrier compensation, tariffs, regulatory issues and compliance filings before state and federal commissions.

“Steve has been a great addition not only to the Southwest Division, but also to GVNW’s Board of Directors. His combined regulatory and legal background and expertise will continue to be an asset to our clients, as well as to the growth and success of GVNW,” said Dana Baker – Chairman of the Board.

Steve has a Bachelor of Science degree in Finance from Arizona State University and a Juris Doctor from Thomas M. Cooley Law School. Prior to joining GVNW in 2013, Steve was a Senior Regulatory Consultant at the Michigan Exchange Carriers Association for 10 years; and before that he was a practicing attorney in Michigan.

Mr. Gatto is based in GVNW’s Southwest Division office in Kerrville, Texas. He can be reached at 830.895.7226 or [sgatto@gvnw.com](mailto:sgatto@gvnw.com).

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