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### **Frank Bangor Joins Training & Development Associates**

**Laurinburg, NC, March 2, 2009** – Training & Development Associates announced today that Frank Bangor has joined the company as a Senior Project Manager. Mr. Bangor comes to TDA with an extensive background in affordable housing, community development, and strategic planning. With nearly three decades of housing and government policy experience, Mr. Bangor is a seasoned trainer and technical assistance provider that focuses on federal housing program requirements such as the HOME Investment Partnership Program, the Uniform Relocation Act and Section 104(d) of the Housing and Community Development Act (known as the “Barney Frank Amendments”), and Title X Lead Based Paint Requirements for HUD-funded projects.

“Frank’s long-time service to states and local governments supports TDA’s mission of enabling clients to create more livable communities. TDA and the communities we serve are very fortunate to have Mr. Bangor join our team,” said [E. Wayne Freeman, President and Chief Executive Officer](#) of TDA.

Prior to joining TDA, Mr. Bangor was a Project Manager at ICF International, a global professional services firm based in Fairfax, Virginia. Mr. Bangor earned a Bachelor of Science in Man-Environment Relations from Penn State University and is a Certified HOME Program Specialist, Certified Property Manager, and Certified Housing Manager.

“I am happy to become part of the TDA family,” said Frank Bangor. “With so many individuals and communities being impacted by the housing and financial crises, I am looking forward to providing assistance to states and local governments as they strive to make a difference in the lives of their citizens. Helping to ensure jurisdictions maintain needed capacity, programs meet community needs, and federal resources are managed wisely are more critical than ever.”

#### **About Training & Development Associates**

Training & Development Associates is a national, nonprofit technical assistance and training provider that provides professional services, develops training curricula, and delivers workshops related to community development programs and activities as well as organizational, professional, and board development. To enable our clients to create more livable communities, TDA is committed to inspiring excellence and professionalism throughout the community development field. We accomplish this mission by consistently providing high-quality, responsive, customer-centered service. For more than 10 years, TDA has been providing its services throughout the United States on behalf of the federal government as well as private organizations, municipalities, and states. To learn more about TDA, please visit our website at [www.tdainc.org](http://www.tdainc.org).