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White brings expertise to MAP's Montana clients

NEW PRAGUE, Minn., June 13, 2008 – In his new position as resource development advisor, Dustin White brings in-depth water and wastewater expertise to Midwest Assistance Program's clients throughout Montana.

Certified in water treatment and distribution and wastewater treatment, White has worked as a utility director, plant operator and supervisor and provided training, technical assistance and water system security analyses for communities and tribal nations. For three years he worked for MAP as a utility consultant.

"We're delighted to have Dustin with us again," says Martha Cashman, MAP's CEO. "He brings a broad range of skills and hands-on environmental and training experience that will benefit the communities and tribal nations of Montana.

White's most recent position was as a utility consultant for Rural and Tribal Environmental Solutions in Billings.

"Dustin will be a real asset to MAP and all of the entities he works with," says Pam Higgins, MAP regional director. "He'll be sharing his past experience with DEQ contracts related to financial managerial assistance and the Operation and Maintenance Program, in addition to his background working with small communities, operators and tribal governments."

Based in Billings, White can be reached via e-mail at dwhite@map-inc.org or phone at 406-697-8998.

Midwest Assistance Program, Inc., is a non-profit organization dedicated to helping rural communities in a nine-state area improve their environment, quality of life and achieve self sustainability. MAP helps revitalize small communities by working with them to find solutions for their infrastructure, enterprise development, aging, technology or training issues. It's a member of the Rural Community Assistance Partnership, a national, rural community development network. MAP is an equal-opportunity lender, provider and employer.