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Public Forums Set for Athletic Director Finalists August 4-5

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas – Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi will hold public forums to introduce the two finalists for the position of director of athletics on Tuesday, Aug. 4, and Wednesday, Aug. 5, in the University Center's Legacy Hall.

Scott Street, Texas A&M-Corpus Christi's interim athletic director, is scheduled to meet the media and community at 2 p.m. on Aug. 4. Timothy Fitzpatrick, senior associate athletic director at Indiana University (Bloomington), is scheduled for Aug. 5, also at 2 p.m.

Both Street and Fitzpatrick were selected as finalists from a short list of 12 applicants narrowed by a screening committee consisting of members of the athletic program staff, other faculty and staff, the community and alumni. In all, 59 individuals completed applications for the position which was vacated in July 2008. The national search was launched in June 2009.

Street, who became the interim head of the Islanders in August 2008, was director of athletics at the University of Texas Pan American from March 2005 to August 2008. He had prior athletic program experience at the University of Texas San Antonio.

Fitzpatrick has been with the Indiana University Hoosiers since January 2005. Prior to the Indiana post he was associate athletic director for external operations at the United States Military Academy in West Point, N.Y.

The public forum is one of many meetings being held during the full-day interview process for each finalist. The community and media are invited to the public forum.

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