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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

**Long Time KPTS Staffer Dave McClintock Named As
Station's Interim General Manager**

WICHITA, KS – November 15, 2007 – Lisa Dodson, Chair of the KPTS Board of Trustees announced recently “The Board of Trustees has named Dave McClintock, KPTS’s Director of Broadcast Operations, as the Interim General Manager for the station.” McClintock took over as Interim General Manager for the local PBS station on November 12th, following the resignation of Don Checots.

According to Dodson, “Dave has been with KPTS for more than twenty-six years and serves on the station leadership team.” The Board has confidence in McClintock’s abilities. Dodson added, “Dave is dedicated to fulfilling the station’s mission and will provide effective leadership during this transition period. His expertise will help to ensure that station operations will run smoothly and that our viewers will still receive the quality programming they’ve come to expect from KPTS.”

KPTS has strengthened its position as the source for national and international cultural and political programming in south central Kansas, and has greatly grown its regional and local program content.

The Board of Trustees has begun a national search to locate a new station manger. The search is expected to take four to six months.

KPTS is a locally owned, not-for profit, public television station serving south central Kansas since 1970. The station strives to provide high-quality telecommunications services that deliver knowledge, information and entertainment. In addition, **KPTS'** programming reflects the diversity of the region through local initiatives.

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