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MANAGEMENT OF BOB COOK MEMORIAL/MT. EVANS HILLCLIMB CHANGES HANDS

Beth Wrenn-Estes, Race Director of the Bob Cook Memorial/Mt. Evans HillClimb announced today that effective January 1, 2009 management of the HillClimb would pass to Team Evergreen Racing, the racing division of the Team Evergreen Bicycle Club.

Wrenn-Estes, the Race Director since 1981, stated "I have been thinking about what is best for the race now that I am moving to California. After a lot of soul searching I have decided that in order to maintain the race in the manner that we have for the past decades a new management group would need to be found. I am delighted that Team Evergreen Racing has agreed to manage the event and keep the quality that riders have come to expect from it.

Team Evergreen Racing is also committed to keeping Bob Cook's memory alive, which was one of the major concerns with me turning the race over to new management. I think Team Evergreen Racing is passionate about keeping Bob's memory as the primary focus."

Kevin Skruch, President of Team Evergreen Racing stated "We are very excited about the opportunity to promote this landmark Colorado tradition. The Bob Cook Memorial/Mt. Evans HillClimb is the most prestigious race in our state and we're honored to continue its legacy. Team Evergreen Racing is a natural fit for the race as many of the agencies involved in the race are also involved with the Triple Bypass ride promoted by our parent, Team Evergreen Bike Club"

Skruch continued "We are also pleased to announce that David Newcomer, currently coach of Team Evergreen Racing, will become Race Director of the Bob Cook/Memorial Mt. Evans Hill Climb."

The Team Evergreen Bicycle Club, promoter of the Triple Bypass Bicycle Tour, was established in 1988 and is based in Evergreen, Colorado. Team Evergreen actively supports bicycling and related activities in order to further the sport of cycling and promote its growth and safe enjoyment.

Team Evergreen Racing seeks individuals who are serious about participating in Colorado's rich and diverse racing scene - including Road Racing, Mountain Bike, Endurance, and Cyclocross. For more information, go to www.teamevergreenracing.com.

Race date for 2009 will be July 18th. The web site will remain the same – bicyclerace.com. Stay tuned for more information after the first of the year.

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