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## **Four New Members Join Board of Trustees of the Pilgrim Monument and Provincetown Museum**

**Provincetown (October 1, 2010)** – The Pilgrim Monument and Provincetown Museum (PMPM) announced today that four new members have been added to their Board of Trustees - Fred Ambrose, Al Silva, John Lundborn and Napi Van Dereck.

Mr. Ambrose is a resident of Truro. Over the years he has served on the Provincetown Board of Selectmen, as well as the Zoning Board of Appeals and the Planning Board. President of Ambrose Homes Inc., a family operated Design Build Company, he has developed a great affection for the unique character of the Outer Cape buildings and the people that live in them.

Mr. Silva was born and raised in Provincetown, his father and uncle being among the original Coast Guard seaman lifesavers of Cape Cod. After spending 13 years in the field of medical technology in the Boston area, Mr. Silva moved back home to North Truro where he has been the owner of the Top Mast Resort for 40 years. Mr. Silva recently became the owner of the new Beach Point Health and Swim Club and serves on the Board of Directors of the Truro Conservation Commission.

Mr. Lundborn, Acting Truro Chief of Police and resident of Truro, is another new addition to the PMPM Board of Trustees. A resident of Cape Cod for over 20 years, Mr. Lundborn is very active in the community serving on many boards, committees and organizations. He is on the Board of Directors of Lower Cape Ambulance, Inc., The Provincetown – Truro Lions Club and is the Master of King Hiram's Masonic Lodge, one of the oldest in our nation.

Mr. Van Dereck is a lifelong resident of Provincetown and owner of Napi's Restaurant. Mr. Van Dereck is well-known for his extensive collection of early Provincetown artwork that fills the walls of his restaurant and regularly appears in museum exhibitions. Several pieces from his large collection of town-related art combined with objects from the museum's collection are currently displayed in the Provincetown Museum exhibit, "Around the Town."

"It is an honor to welcome these four distinguished members of our community to the Board of Trustees," said Jim Bakker, Executive Director of Pilgrim Monument and Provincetown Museum. "They have all demonstrated strong leadership skills and will work to ensure a strong future for the Monument and Museum."

**About the Pilgrim Monument and Provincetown Museum**

Pilgrim Monument and Provincetown Museum is a non-profit educational, tax-exempt 501(3)(c) organization. Its mission is to commemorate the history of the Mayflower Pilgrims, culminating in their arrival and stay in Provincetown Harbor, and the signing of the Mayflower Compact. In addition, the Pilgrim Monument and Provincetown Museum collects, preserves, interprets, researches, exhibits, and publishes archival historical materials and exhibit materials depicting important events of Provincetown history. [www.pilgrim-monument.org](http://www.pilgrim-monument.org).

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