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JACOBS APPOINTED SPALDING COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR

Spalding County Manager William P. Wilson, Jr. announced today the appointment of Chad Jacobs as Spalding County Community Director effective September 12, 2011. The interviewing process was conducted by both William Wilson and Chuck Taylor, the current Director. After several interviews of qualified candidates and extensive deliberations, Jacobs was named Taylor's successor.

Mr. Jacobs worked with the Spalding County Community Development department as the Senior Planner from 2004 until 2009 and has served as the Upson County Community Development Director since his departure.

Mr. Jacobs earned his Bachelor of Science degree with a concentration in Urban and Regional Planning from Eastern Michigan University in Ypsilanti, MI. Jacobs is a member of the American Planning Association, the Georgia Planning Association, is a 2005 graduate of Leadership Griffin/Spalding and a 2009 graduate of the Georgia Economic & Development Leadership Academy.

County Manager Wilson acknowledged, "Chad's technical knowledge, inter-personal skills, leadership, and communication abilities will be a great asset for Spalding County. I am pleased to welcome Chad back and look forward to working with him as he embarks on his new position."

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