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City of Oshkosh names Davis as Community Development Director

(Oshkosh, WI.) The city of Oshkosh has selected Allen Davis as the city's new Community Development Director. In his new position, Davis will oversee the Community Development Department which includes planning, inspections, and assessors.

"We are very pleased Allen Davis will be joining our team to lead Oshkosh's community development efforts," said City Manager Mark Rohloff. "Allen is a solid professional who comes to us with a diverse background in community development, including economic development, housing, neighborhood planning, and inspections. Some of Allen's strengths are in improving development processes and engaging the community in decision making. These are two traits that will serve Oshkosh well as we look to broaden our tax base and redevelop our neighborhoods."

Currently Davis is the Community Development Director for the town of Grand Chute, Wisconsin where he has worked for the past twelve years. Davis has 26 years of private and public sector experience which included work for the city of Janesville and Dane County Regional Planning Commission. Davis is a Certified Planner with a Bachelor's degree in Economics and a Master's degree in Urban and Regional Planning.

"I look forward to the challenges and opportunities this position will provide, truly believe in the potential of Oshkosh, and am honored to be a small part of the city team," said Davis.

Davis will replace Jackson Kinney who retired on January 4, 2010 after 25 years of service with the city.

Davis will begin work with the city of Oshkosh on March 22, 2010. For more information please contact the City Manager's office at (920) 236-5000.

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