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VALUATION MANAGEMENT GROUP HONORED BY COBBWORKS

Marietta, GA (Dec. 8, 2011) – Valuation Management Group (VMG) was honored by CobbWorks as a 2011 Outstanding Business of the Year.

The award acknowledges businesses that have made a positive impact on economic development of the county over the last year. VMG was recognized for major growth and development.

The award was presented at a luncheon held by CobbWorks that featured Cobb County Board of Commissioners Chairman Tim Lee as the guest speaker.

“Cobb County is a major player in the Southeast’s economic development community. CobbWorks 2011 award honorees are perfect examples of why skilled workers and major corporations are attracted to our community,” said Chairman Lee.

Five other companies were honored as well, including Heritage of Sandy Plains; K-9 Coach; Osmotica Pharmaceutical; The Home Depot Foundation and The Weather Channel. All six will be featured in the CobbWorks 2012 annual business calendar being released at the end of this month.

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About Valuation Management Group

Valuation Management Group (VMG) is a nationwide commercial and residential appraisal management company that serves Community Banks, Mortgage Bankers, Credit Unions and Investors. Due to strong client satisfaction and high growth, Inc. *Magazine* ranked VMG 22nd on its 2011 Inc. 500 list, an exclusive ranking of the nation’s fastest-growing private companies. VMG also ranked first in the real estate category and first in all companies represented throughout the State of Georgia. The *Atlanta Business Chronicle* named VMG as a 2011 Pacesetter in its annual list, ranking third.

About Cobb Works

CobbWorks, Inc. is a 501(c)3 not-for-profit organization governed by a board of directors with oversight from the Cobb Workforce Investment Board. Established in 2000, CobbWorks is the workforce development center serving Cobb County residents and businesses. CobbWorks helps to ensure an adequate supply of skilled workers while supporting the recruitment needs of businesses.



Valuation Management Group President and CEO Vicky Thompson (center) was honored by CobbWorks as a 2011 Outstanding Business of the Year. The award was presented by Cobb County Commissioner Chairman Tim Lee and Beth Herman, Regional Director of the Atlanta Metro Market for Manpower.